

READING CHECK

Correct ten more mistakes in the chapter summary.

boat

Some of Gaius Plinius's sailors find Agathe in the silver sea. She sleeps for some time and then wakes and speaks about the things she saw in Stabiae and Herculaneum. The ship stops in the next port and Felix and Agathe get off and travel to Misenum. They go to Pliny's house and find Alcander there. Spurius and Cassia are both angry to see Felix. Felix tells Flavia about Petrus and slowly they become good friends. Felix and Agathe get married and Felix becomes a slave in Spurius's business, and then buys the whole house. Alcander stays in Rome and works with Felix making statues. Flavia likes him and they start to fall in love. Three years later, the Emperor wants to order a drawing to remember the people of Pompeii and Herculaneum. Flavia and Agathe think that Spurius will design and make it.

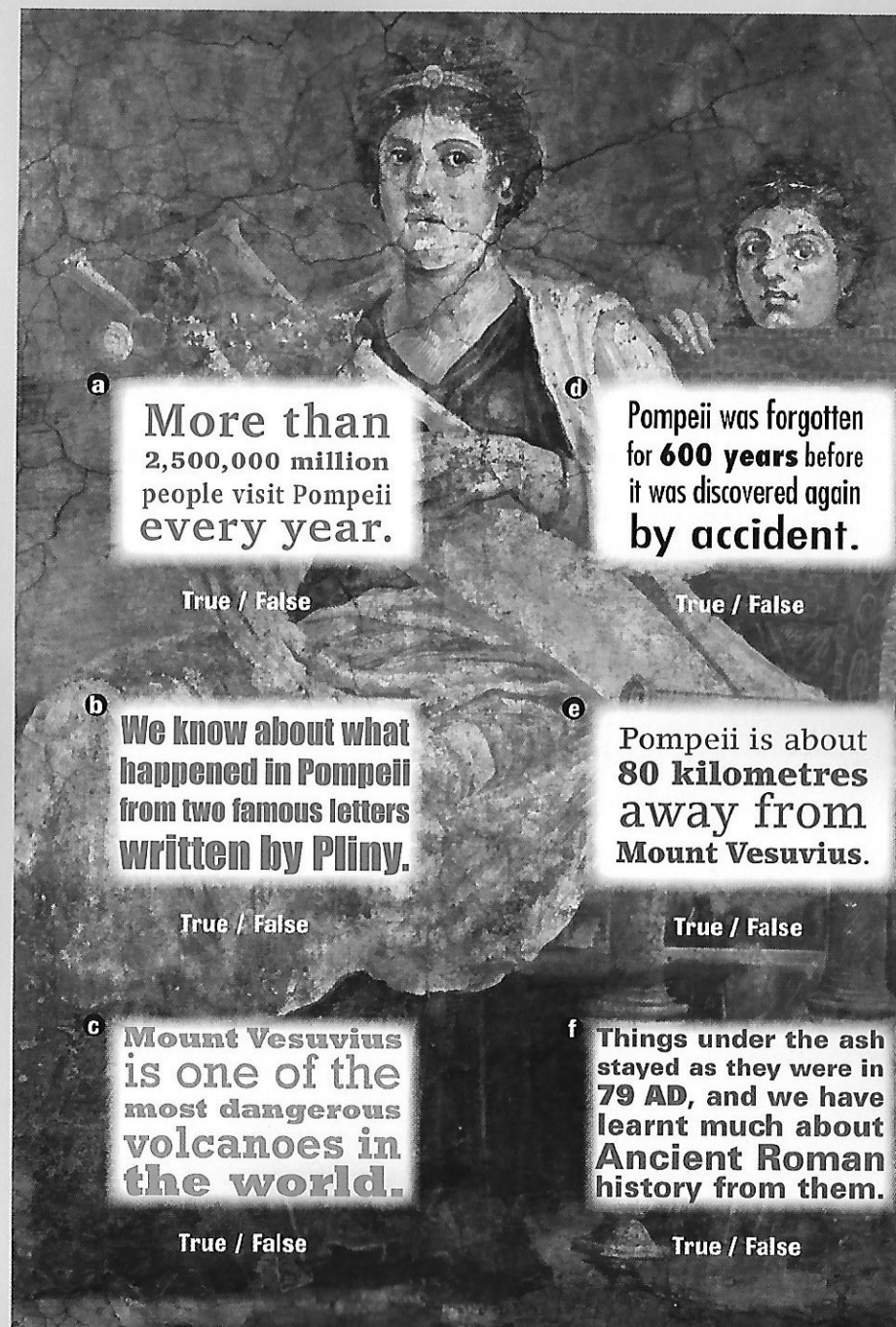
WORD WORK

Circle the correct words to complete the sentences.

- a My sister often has bad nightmares / neighbours at night.
- b You look very pain / pale . Do you feel OK?
- c He's repairing a car in his workshop / worried at the moment.
- d My grandfather returned /retired from work when he was sixty-five.
- e She's very slim / skin . I don't think that she eats much.
- f Try not to shallow / swallow any water while you are swimming.
- g I was shocked / shot by the price. It was very expensive.

WHAT NEXT?

What do you know about Vesuvius and Pompeii? Are the sentences on page 71 true or false? Circle the correct answers.



a More than 2,500,000 million people visit Pompeii every year.

True / False

d Pompeii was forgotten for 600 years before it was discovered again by accident.

True / False

b We know about what happened in Pompeii from two famous letters written by Pliny.

True / False

e Pompeii is about 80 kilometres away from Mount Vesuvius.

True / False

c Mount Vesuvius is one of the most dangerous volcanoes in the world.

True / False

f Things under the ash stayed as they were in 79 AD, and we have learnt much about Ancient Roman history from them.

True / False