Lesson 14  Review Exercise

1. Few Europeans traveled to Asia in the Middle Ages. Those who did had strange tales to tell of monsters seen in the ___________ lands in the East.

2. Bigfoot and the yeti appeal to our imagination. These two ___________ creatures belong in the imagination and not the real world.

3. Tales of Bigfoot-like creatures are found in other parts of the world. Such stories have their ___________ in many different cultures.

4. We especially like scary stories. Tales of monsters have been ___________ children and adults for thousands of years.

5. Bigfoot and the Abominable Snowman are not real. However, the belief that they exist and are ___________ in the dark somewhere never goes away.

6. Stories that scare and excite us have always been popular. The world would be a more ___________ place without them.

7. The editors of tabloids help keep stories of Bigfoot alive. They ___________ to those who want to believe in the reality of the big, hairy creature.

8. Tabloid newspapers are famous for their absurd stories. Sometimes the stories are downright ___________.

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9. Tabloid editors don’t check the truth of their stories very carefully. They are not very _____________ about the contents of the paper.

10. If a tabloid headline were “Bigfoot Found on Mars,” would you believe it or would you be _____________?

11. Many people claim to have seen the Abominable Snowman. It isn’t enough to _____________ to have seen it, you have to have proof.

12. Many people also claim to have had an encounter with Bigfoot. If an account proved to be _____________, would we have to accept that he exists?

13. What would we do if we discovered Bigfoot was real? Would we let him go free or would we put him in a _____________?

14. What would your friends think if you told them you believed that Bigfoot was real? They would probably think you were very _____________.

15. Scientists try to keep an open mind. If an account of a sighting of Bigfoot seemed _____________, the claim would certainly be investigated.