

## Story Under the Sea

Name ..... Class ..... Date .....

### Before you watch

#### 1 Match the words with the definitions.

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|-------------|-------|---------------------------------|
| 1 ancient   | _____ | a very old                      |
| 2 giant     | _____ | b a building                    |
| 3 structure | _____ | c symbols that give information |
| 4 marks     | _____ | d very big                      |



#### 2 Complete the sentences with the words from Exercise 1.

- We found an unusual structure in the mountains.
- It was a giant stone tower.
- It had marks on the side, but we couldn't understand them.
- We think it is an ancient tower, something from thousands of years ago.

### While you watch

#### 3 Watch the first part of the video (up to 01:21). Put the sentences in the order you hear them.

- 2 Not many people live on these islands, so it's quiet and calm.
- 1 But far to the southwest there is a very different part of Japan.
- 5 But maybe Yonaguni has more stories ... ancient stories from under the sea.
- 4 Yonaguni is part of Japan, but it has its own language and culture.
- 3 About a thousand people live on this small, beautiful island.

#### 4 Watch the second part of the video (from 01:20 to 02:10) and answer the questions.

- What does Kihachiro Aratake do?  
He's a diver.
- Where did he find the giant stone structure?  
Under the water, near the island of Yonaguni.
- What did the structure look like?  
Like a small city.

#### 5 Match the sentence halves. Then watch the final part of the video (from 02:11) to check your answers.

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|-------------------------|-------|---|
| 1 Some scientists think | _____ | a stories in the stone?                         |
| 2 They say              | _____ | b build this structure?                         |
| 3 Did people            | _____ | c it was once above the water.                  |
| 4 Did they write        | _____ | d the structure is over ten thousand years old. |

### After you watch

#### 6 Work with a partner. Ask and answer the question.

Do you think that people built the stone structure or do you think that it was created naturally?

Students' own answers