

Name Date

2017: The Year in Pictures December 8, 2017

Use this week's cover story to answer the questions. For each question, circle the letter next to the best answer.

Identify Author's Purpose (RI.5.6; RI.6.6)

- 1.** The author wrote this article to
- A. illustrate the political events of 2017.
 - B. inform readers about important events of 2017.
 - C. teach us about the impact of weather in 2017.
 - D. describe the most important people of 2017.

Recall Key Facts and Details (RI.5.1; RI.6.1)

- 2.** Peggy Whitson stayed in space an extra _____ days longer than the record.
- A. 131
 - B. 534
 - C. 665
 - D. 57

Sequence Events (RI.5.2; RI.6.2)

- 3.** Which events are in chronological order?
- A. President Trump's inauguration; Winter Storm Stella hits the Northeast; Houston Astros win World Series, solar eclipse crosses coast to coast
 - B. Houston Astros win World Series, solar eclipse crosses coast to coast, President Trump's inauguration, Winter Storm Stella hits the Northeast
 - C. Winter Storm Stella hits the Northeast; President Trump's inauguration; solar eclipse crosses coast to coast; Houston Astros win World Series
 - D. President Trump's inauguration; Winter Storm Stella hits the Northeast; solar eclipse crosses coast to coast; Houston Astros win World Series

Make Inferences (RI.5.2; RI.6.2)

- 4.** The event on July 10 best fits in which category?
- A. sports news
 - B. science news
 - C. entertainment news
 - D. health news

Make Inferences (RI.5.1; RI.5.2)

- 5.** Which word best describes how Peggy Whitson felt after breaking U.S. record for the most days in space?
- A. surprised
 - B. discouraged
 - C. honored
 - D. perplexed

Define Vocabulary (RI.5.4; RI.6.4)

- 6.** What does the author mean by "They object to the election of Donald Trump"?
- A. They disagree with the election.
 - B. They support the election.
 - C. They promise to help Donald Trump.
 - D. They agree with Donald Trump.

