A. Terms, People, and Places

Match the descriptions in Column I with the terms in Column II. Write the letter of the correct answer in the blank provided. Not all the words Column II will be used.

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<th>Column I</th>
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<td>1. an object made by humans</td>
<td>a. prehistory</td>
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<td>2. the study of the origins and development of people and their societies</td>
<td>b. historian</td>
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<td>3. someone who studies the past</td>
<td>c. artifact</td>
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<td>4. a society’s way of life</td>
<td>d. anthropology</td>
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<td>5. the study of past cultures through their remains</td>
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<td>f. archaeology</td>
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B. Main Ideas

Write the letter of the correct answer in the blank provided.

6. How do historians evaluate evidence to determine if it is reliable?
   a. by recreating historical artifacts and written records
   b. by reading straightforward accounts of past events
   c. by asking questions about the evidence like detectives would
   d. by relying on personal experiences and opinions

7. Artifacts play a key role in the study of
   a. ancient plants and animals.
   b. how ancient peoples lived.
   c. ancient forgeries.
   d. human physical traits.

8. Which discovery encouraged the Leakeys to continue looking for human remains at Olduvai Gorge?
   a. human footprints in the gorge
   b. weapons fashioned from bones
   c. complex hieroglyphics in a cave
   d. tools chipped from stone

9. What characteristic did early hominid groups share?
   a. They all could kindle fires.
   b. They all first developed in Asia.
   c. They all made polished tools.
   d. They all walked upright on two feet.

10. Which statement describes *Homo erectus*?
    a. They were the first hominids to make stone tools.
    b. They lived in Africa 7 million years ago.
    c. They were the first hominids to learn how to use fire.
    d. They were the first modern humans.