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# Relief Mission October 2017

Use this month's News issue of TIME for Kids Edition 2 to answer the questions. For each question, circle the letter next to the best answer.

Article: **"Surviving the Storm"**  
RI.2.2

- 1.** This story is *mostly* about
- A.** how Hurricane Harvey got its name.
  - B.** how Hurricane Harvey affected Houston.
  - C.** how Hurricane Harvey formed.
  - D.** how Hurricane Harvey became a tropical storm.

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- 2.** Which is another way of saying *occurred* (paragraph 4)?
- A.** destroyed
  - B.** flooded
  - C.** appeared
  - D.** happened

Article: **"Surviving the Storm"**  
RI.2.5

- 3.** According to the caption, the photograph shows
- A.** Brock Long.
  - B.** Patrick Burke.
  - C.** the National Weather Service.
  - D.** people who live in Texas.

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RI.2.3

- 4.** Major flooding happened in Houston because
- A.** many people are without homes.
  - B.** highways were turned into rivers.
  - C.** 52 inches of rain fell.
  - D.** wind speeds reached 130 miles per hour.

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- 5.** Hurricane Harvey began as a
- A.** Category 4 storm.
  - B.** Category 3 storm.
  - C.** Category 2 storm.
  - D.** tropical storm.

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- 6.** Brock Long promised to
- A.** make the flooding go away.
  - B.** prevent future hurricanes.
  - C.** help Texas recover.
  - D.** study hurricanes.

Article: **"By the Numbers"**  
RI.2.5

- 7.** Which hurricane was Category 2?
- A.** Hurricane Irene
  - B.** Hurricane Andrew
  - C.** Hurricane Charley
  - D.** Hurricane Ike

Article: **"By the Numbers"**  
RI.2.2

- 8.** This chart is about
- A.** the largest hurricanes.
  - B.** different categories of hurricanes.
  - C.** how to prepare for hurricanes.
  - D.** how hurricanes form.

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- 9.** Category 5 hurricanes are
- A.** the weakest.
  - B.** not dangerous.
  - C.** the most common.
  - D.** the strongest.

Article: **"Dig This!"**  
RI.2.7

- 10.** This article's photo helps readers understand
- A.** how old Jude Sparks is.
  - B.** where Las Cruces, New Mexico, is.
  - C.** how they can find fossils.
  - D.** what the fossil Jude Sparks found looks like.

W.2.3

**Bonus** Write a narrative describing what it would be like if a hurricane forced you to leave your home. Be sure to include details about what you would take with you, what you'd have to leave behind, and how you would feel.