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**READING TEST – 1st TERM – 2º ESO.- DATE:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Read the text and answer the questions about it; **use complete answers**:

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| **The mystery of Loch Ness**  Loch Ness is one of Scotland’s most famous tourist attractions. The area near the loch, or lake, has got beautiful mountains and there are a lot of visitors. But they don’t come to climb the mountains. The tourists visit the area because they want to see the Loch Ness Monster!  There were stories about a monster in the lake long ago. Then, in 1933, somebody took a photo of ‘Nessie’. The picture showed a very large sea snake. Newspapers told the story of the monster and published the pictures all over the world, and the tourists started to come to Scotland. Many tourists bring their cameras, hoping to see the monster and take a picture.  Scientists are still looking for ‘Nessie’ today, but many people don’t want them to find her, because the mystery is good for Scottish tourism. Nobody knows the truth.  http://marcianitosverdes.haaan.com/wp-content/uploads/2008/05/altamahaha.jpg |

1. Where is Loch Ness?
2. What is the area of the lake like?
3. Why do visitors come to the area of the lake?
4. What did stories talk about?
5. What happened in 1933?
6. What did the picture of Nessie show?
7. Who told the story of the monster?
8. Why do tourists bring their cameras?
9. Do people want scientists find Nessie? Why?
10. Who knows the truth about Nessie?