Go to www.euroclub-schools.org. Enter the French Zone and click on Famous Places in France. Alternatively, enter the Mystery Zone. Finally, click on the title le Mont-Saint-Michel. By reading through the web page, can you find the answers to the following questions?

1. In which région is le Mont-Saint-Michel situated?

2. Write the French name of the building on top of the mount.

3. Why should you be careful if walking across the sand to the mount?

4. According to legend, which forest existed in ancient times in the area of the mount? According to the legend, what happened to the forest?

5. Another legend from the year 708 A.D. tells us that a bishop had a series of dreams in which he was commanded to build a church on the summit of the mount.

What was the name of the bishop?

Who visited him in the dream?

What happened to the bishop’s head?

6. It is believed that the mount is haunted by which person?

7. There is a smaller English replica of le Mont-Saint-Michel. Where is it situated and what is it called?

8. Write the French words for a World Heritage Site.

9. What was the original name of the mount?

10. Write the French name of the bridge that now exists, leading to the mount.

11. How did the writer Victor Hugo describe the tides around the mount?

12. Le Mont-Saint-Michel is named in honour of the Archangel St. Michael. He is the patron saint of which area of France? Which date is his feast day?