How to Find Tom Flint's Treasure

1 Take a ship to Coral Island and drop anchor off the west coast.

2 Row a small boat into Smuggler's Cove – this is the only safe beach to land on the island.

3 Find the old path and follow it to Dead Man's Hollow.

4 Stand in the middle of Dead Man's Hollow and look up to see the Dragon's Cave. You will know this cave by the fire smoke marks on the rocks around the entrance.

5 Follow the track past the entrance to Dragon's Cave all the way to the top of Smokey Mountain. This is an old volcano, which frequently erupts.

6 Wait for a clear day and look south for the big 'W', which is made out of four giant palm trees. This stands in a clearing deep in the forest.

7 There is no path in this direction, you will need to 'hack your way' through the dense forest to reach your destination. Beware the creatures of the wood!

8 Stand underneath the big 'W' and face southeast.

9 Take ten paces forward and turn right.

10 Take five paces forward. You should now be standing in soft sand.

11 Dig down one metre and find 'your dream'.

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Section A

Choose the best word or group of words to fit the passage and put a ring around your choice.

Take a ship to Coral Island and anchor off the

1 **north** **south** **east** **west**

coast. Stand in Dead Man's Hollow and look for the

2 **Lion's** **Wolf's** **Tiger's** **Dragon's**

Cave. Stand on Smokey Mountain and look

3 **north** **south** **east** **west**

for the big 'W'. This is made from

4 **three** **four** **five** **six**

giant palm trees. Beware the

5 **spiders** **darkness** **dangers** **creatures**

of the wood. From the big 'W' take

6 **five** **ten** **fifteen** **twenty**

paces forward and turn right. Take five more paces and dig for 'your dream'.

Section B

1 Why must you land on the island at Smuggler's Cove?

2 How do you think Dead Man's Hollow got its name?

3 How can you recognise the Dragon's Cave?

4 How would you feel waiting for a 'clear day' on top of a volcano which frequently erupts?

5 What do you think 'hack your way' through the dense forest means?

6 Why must you 'beware of the creatures of the wood'?

7 What do you think the author means by 'your dream'?

Section C

Write a set of instructions to direct somebody to 'hidden treasure'

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