

Questions 1 – 16 are about **The Great Barrier Reef**

1 Look at page 4 of your reading booklet.

What was the Great Barrier Reef classified as in 1981?

1 mark

2 Look at the first paragraph.

What evidence is given to suggest that The Great Barrier Reef is the largest coral reef in the world?

- It stretches from Gladstone to Cape York.
- It measures 2,900 kilometres.
- It is the only living thing that is clearly visible from outer space.
- It is home to 1,200 tropical islands.

1 mark

3 According to the text, how long is the Great Barrier Reef?

1 mark

4 What are the islands of the Great Barrier Reef known for?

1 mark

5 Look at the section headed: **Geography**.

Find and copy one word which shows the Great Barrier Reef is cherished by the local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander groups.

1 mark
