Circle the correct answer for the questions below.

1. A viral post is __________
   a. A post that is shared with friends and family
   b. A post that contains personal or sensitive information
   c. A post that is quickly and widely spread and popularized on social media

2. Most of the time, a post goes viral because __________
   a. It is outrageous, heartwarming or terrifying. It stirs up emotions.
   b. A big brand or company shared it.
   c. People print it out and spread copies of it.

True or False:

Just because a post has gone viral doesn’t mean it’s true. ______
It’s important to check dates carefully, because old news can go viral when people aren’t looking
at the details. ______
If you feel emotional or angry when seeing a viral post, it was likely designed with the intention
to play on emotions. ______
You shouldn’t worry about where a news story originated. The original author or creator isn’t
important. ______
People copy content all the time, so it’s important to try and trace how the information got to
you, or locate the original post to verify details. ______