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The Olympic Games began around 3,000 years ago in Greece. People competed in the games to honor the god Zeus, who was the ruler and most powerful of the Greek gods. The Olympic games were first held in a city called Olympia. There, visitors could see a statue of Zeus on his throne. The Olympics didn't become a global competition until the late 1800s. It was then that a new flag was created to include a colored ring for each of the five continents. In 1924, France held the Winter Olympics for the first time. The Olympics added the torch relay in 1936 during the games in Germany. Now, the colored rings and the Olympic torch are famous symbols of the summer and winter Games.

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**【Question 1】** What were the original Olympics held in honor of?

1. A famous queen.
2. The city of Olympia.
3. Zeus, the ruler of the Greek gods.
4. The kings of ancient Greece.

Your answer: \_\_\_\_\_

**【Question 2】** What happened in France in 1924?

1. The first winter Olympic games.
2. The first summer Olympic games.
3. The first Olympic flag was created.
4. The first torch relay was added.

Your answer: \_\_\_\_\_

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