Circle the one that doesn't belong.



2 bump

3 whole

4 shelter **5** geologist

6 speck

ball

lump

erode piece

chamber biologist

collide chunk

plain

room

chemically pile

globe crash crust outdoors scientist

mass



Exercise C possible answers

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- 1 Biologist, archaeologist, etc.
- 2 Helium, hydrogen, iron, bronze, silver, uranium, etc.
- 3 Learn to play an instrument, learn a new language, etc.
- 4 To glue, mold, press things like sculptures, woodblock carvings, or collages, etc.
- 5 Classrooms, students, teachers, etc.
- 6 Moon, globe, Earth, etc.

6 The intense heat from the fire

Words in Context Look at the words you circled in the text. Then match the sentence halves.

1 Geologists believe that a volcano a carries land, not water. 2 The continental crust 0 **b** new stadium downtown. **c** layer and is mostly composed of rock. 3 These sections of the theater 4 They're building an enormous **d** could erupt at any time. e caused a lot of damage. 5 The mantle is Earth's deepest \bigcirc

f can each hold 50 people.





1 Where is Lake Vostok?

a the Arctic

b Antarctica

2 How long has the lake been hidden?

a 10 million years

b 20 million years

3 How many hidden lakes are there?

a about 400

b about 100

4 How wide is Lake Vostok?

a 48 kilometers

b 257 kilometers



Exercise B answers

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- 1 Scientists are looking for ancient bacteria.
- 2 They are removing water samples by drilling.
- **3** Lake Vostok is one of the largest lakes on Earth.
- 4 They would send a robot down to explore because it is one of the coldest places on Earth.

Exercise D answers

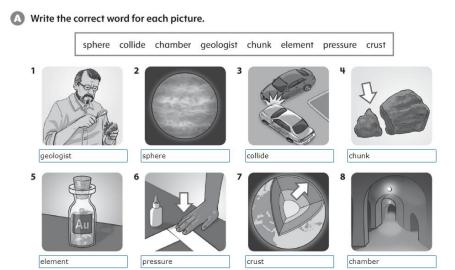
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- 1 match: something you use to make a flame; a sports contest (tennis match)
- 2 clear: empty or free from things; plain and obvious
- 3 bow: something made of wood and string, used to shoot an arrow; a ribbon tied in a special way
- 4 tie: a draw in a sports match where both teams get the same number of points; a piece of clothing men wear around their necks

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Exercise E answers

- **1** The mantle (which is 2,900 kilometers thick) is Earth's deepest layer.
- 2 Rocks are composed of different elements (such as iron, calcium, and sodium) and are constantly changing.
- **3** The movement of Earth's plates (known as plate tectonics) can cause mountains to form.



Circle the correct answer. 1 A ball is the shape of a 4 Copper and gold are both_ a chunk **c** sphere a elements **c** spheres **b** chamber d crust **b** chambers d chunks 5 When two different chemicals _____, there builds up, causing volcanoes may be an explosion. to erupt. **a** Mass **c** Sphere **a** erode **c** comprise **b** Element **b** collide **d** Pressure **d** pressure 3 The oceanic __ carries water. 6 Magma collects in magma **a** chamber **c** sphere **a** chunks c crusts **b** crust **d** mass **b** spheres **d** chambers

Exercise C answers

Nouns	Verbs	Adverbs
mass	comprise	gradually
crust	collide	chemically
sphere	erode	
chamber		
chunk		
geologist		
pressure		
element		

Write a sentence for each word.

1	(crust)	Earthquakes leave scars in earth's crust.
2	geologist	The geologist found many uncovered fossils in the valley.
3	collide	When oxygen and carbon collide, we will have carbon dioxide.
4	gradually	The balloon descended gradually as the air came out.
5	element	Carbon is an element, while carbon dioxide is a compound.
6	erode	The building had been eroded by the weather.

A Fill in the chart with homonyms.

match rock tie bow clear

1	match	something to light a fire with	
2	bow	a weapon that goes with an arrow	
3	tie	sometimes a game will end in this	
4	clear	easy to understand	
5	bow	something you can tie using ribbon	
6	rock	a large stone	
7	clear	the sky is this on sunny days	
8	tie	you can wear one around your neck with a shirt	
9	rock	a type of music	
10	match	a game you play against another team	

1	I need a match to light this candle. Do you have one?		
2	My older sister loves listening to rock music.		
3	The game was still a tie with only two minutes to play.		
4	Let's put a bow on this gift to make it look nicer.		
5	Dad always wears a suit and a tie to go to his office.		
6	Great news! My team won the match !		
7	On some nights, the sky is so clear that you can see every star.		
8	In archery, players use a bow and an arrow.		
9	Mom couldn't drive down the road because a large rock was blocking the way.		
10	The article was easy to understand, and the visuals were clear.		
G u	se the homonyms from $oldsymbol{\mathbb{A}}$ to write five sentences of your own.		
	1 The sky is clear today.		
	It's gentle to wear a tie with your shirt.		

Exercise A answers

This rock is so hard to pull.

The match was a tie.

- 1 Some jobs (such as being a surgeon) are difficult.
- 2 The water (which takes a long time to reach the deepest part of the Earth) rises to the surface as steam.
- **3** Many animals (including tigers and pandas) are severely endangered.
- **4** Old Faithful (a geyser in Yellowstone National Park) is famous all over the world.
- **5** Geologists (like many other types of scientists) are interesting people to talk to.

- **6** Brussels (which is the capital of Belgium) is known for having great food.
- **7** Certain vegetables (including mushrooms and broccoli) are called superfoods.
- 8 Some games (like this one on my phone) are free to download.

B Circle True or False.

If you take out the extra information from the sentences in A, they are still complete sentences with a subject and a verb.



