



Mountains Reader Answer Key



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natural history specialists

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- 1 b
- 2 d
- 3 c
- 4 a

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- 1 yes
- 2 yes
- 3 no
- 4 no

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Reader's own answers

Model answers

- 1 Where do gelada baboons live?
They live in the Ethiopian Highlands.
- 2 Which animals live in the Rockies?
Bears live in the Rockies.
- 3 Which animals live in the Himalayas?
Snow leopards live in the Himalayas.
- 4 Which animals live in the Andes?
Guanacos live in the Andes.

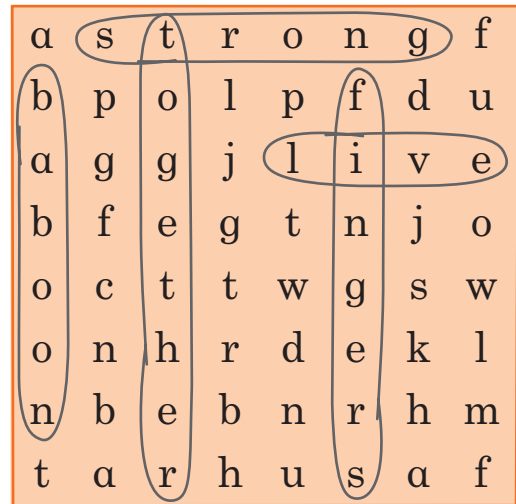
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- 1 the Ethiopian Highlands
- 2 the Himalayas
- 3 the Rockies
- 4 the Andes

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- 1 These are **gelada baboons**.
- 2 Gelada baboons live **together**.
- 3 They live in the **Ethiopian Highlands**.
- 4 Gelada baboons have strong **fingers**.

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- 1 These animals are baboons and **wolves**.
- 2 They live in the **Ethiopian Highlands**.
- 3 There is no **fruit** to eat in these mountains.
- 4 Gelada baboons eat lots of **grass** here.
- 5 The baboons know that the **wolves** are near.

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Reader's own answers

Model answers

- 1 What are these animals?
They are snow leopards.
- 2 Where do they live?
They live in the Himalayas.
- 3 What are they doing?
They are looking for an animal to catch and eat.
- 4 Do you like snow leopards? Why? / Why not?
Yes, I do, because they can run very fast.

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- 1 Snow leopards catch other animals.
- 2 They eat the animals.
- 3 They can run very fast.

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- 1 a
- 2 b
- 3 a
- 4 b

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- 1 A **markhor** is a big, brown animal.
- 2 Animals cannot hear snow **leopards** in the snow.
- 3 The markhor runs down the **mountain** from the leopard.

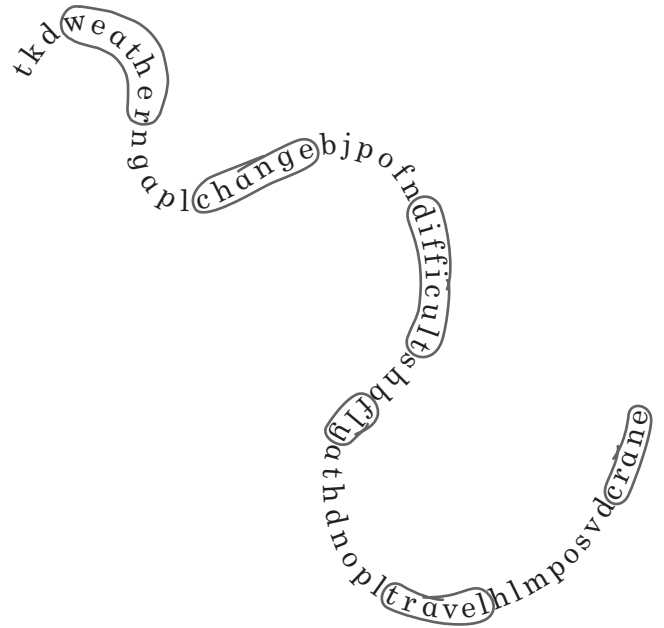
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- 1 c
- 2 a
- 3 b

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- 1 Yes, it does.
- 2 No, it is not.
- 3 Yes, they can, because it is not difficult to fly in good weather

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- 1 a
- 2 a
- 3 a
- 4 b

Page 45 – Activity 17

- 1 T
- 2 F
- 3 T
- 4 F

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- 1 Many animals have their **homes** in the mountains.
- 2 Birds live in the **trees** in the mountains.
- 3 The red panda finds **food** in the mountains.
- 4 **Bears** live in the mountains.

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