



The Blue Hole

1 Read *The Blue Hole*. Circle the best definition.

A fable is...

- a. a true short story about animals.
- b. a short story with talking animals that teaches a lesson.
- c. a short story about a teacher who is an animal.

2 Read *The Blue Hole* again. Number the scenes in the order in which they appear in the story. Then match them with the warning messages.



It doesn't smell like horses now. It smells like salt!



We have to leave the cave. If it gets any warmer, there will be a big flood!



The ocean is coming! If you don't run, you will all drown!



Run! The ocean is coming! If you don't leave now, you will be caught in the waves.



The ice has disappeared, too. I'm sure that it's warmer than usual.

3 Read the information from the text. Write *fact* or *fiction*.



1. The Great Blue Hole near Belize is the biggest blue hole in the world. _____
2. Saber and Zara lived in the blue hole over ten thousand years ago. _____
3. The water in blue holes is darker than in the rest of the ocean. _____
4. Saber-tooth tigers lived during the last ice age. _____
5. Saber-tooth tigers hunted for buffalo and horses. _____
6. A crow and horses told the tigers to run. _____

Drag and drop

are sorted are rolled is made are collected are melted is recycled

How Aluminum (1) _____

We recycle aluminum in a similar way to plastic. Aluminum cans (2) _____ and taken to the plant. At the plant, they (3) _____ into different colors and cleaned. After that, they (4) _____ down and then made into blocks called ingots.

These ingots (5) _____ flat into a long sheet. This sheet (6) _____ into new cans and products!