

# ACTIVITIES

## READING CHECK

Order the sentences to summarize Chapter 5.

- a** Felix and Agathe become friends.
- b** Rectina wakes up and sees that Agathe is hurt.
- c** Felix stays with Agathe and draws her face for his mosaic.
- d** Agathe speaks in a strange voice about the future.
- e** Petrus tells Felix that he wrote the graffiti about Cassia.
- f** Bassus and Festus return drunk to the house.
- g** Felix and Petrus meet Bassus's Greek slave, Alcander.
- h** There's an earthquake and Agathe falls on the stone floor.
- i** Felix learns that the beautiful slave girl is Alcander's sister.
- j** Alcander and Petrus go to the tile shop to buy some blue tiles.

## WORD WORK

1 Complete the labels with new words from Chapter 5.



**a** slip



**b** \_\_\_a\_i\_o\_



**c** \_\_\_u\_\_



**d** \_\_\_a\_\_\_a\_e



**e** \_\_\_u\_\_\_i\_o\_



**f** \_\_\_o a\_

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## 2 Complete the sentences with the words in the tiles.



- a** I'm going to run in a ..... *race* ..... on Saturday. I hope I win.
- b** It was late and I felt very tired. I was ..... to go to bed.
- c** You're not going to get on the table and sing. Don't be an ..... !
- d** Before the earthquake hit the city, they felt some small .....
- e** Her wonderful singing voice is a real ..... from God.
- f** We have an important meeting. So please don't ..... us.
- g** I didn't do anything wrong. I promise you that I'm telling the .....



## GUESS WHAT

**What happens in the next chapter? Are these sentences true or false? Tick the boxes.**

- a** Pompeii is destroyed by a big earthquake.
- b** Felix tells Agathe that he loves her.
- c** The Venus in Felix's mosaic has Rectina's face.
- d** Felix plays a game with Bassus for Agathe's freedom.
- e** Petrus discovers that Bassus is his father.
- f** Petrus falls into a fountain and hits his head.

**True**  **False**

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Match the two parts of the sentences to summarize Chapter 6.

- a Felix finishes the mosaic ...
- b Alcander tells Felix ...
- c When Bassus shows his guests the mosaic, ...
- d Bassus is angry with Agathe and ...
- e Felix plays dice with Bassus ...
- f Petrus arrives at the party when ...
- g He looks wild and he says that ...
- h Bassus falls into the fountain after ...
- i Alcander helps Petrus ...

- 1 wants to slap her.
- 2 Petrus whispers something to him.
- 3 people are starting to dance.
- 4 on the same day as the party.
- 5 Agathe drops a cup of wine.
- 6 to pull Bassus out of the water.
- 7 about the famous people at the party.
- 8 he must speak to Bassus.
- 9 to win Agathe's freedom.

## WORD WORK

Circle the correct words.

- a In England, people sometimes eat choose / cheese at the end of dinner.
- b It was so hot that it was hard for people to break / breathe.
- c Open those curtains / cupboards. Let's see the picture behind them.
- d We can't play this game because we haven't got any dice / dance.
- e There are no guesses / guests at the moment. The hotel's empty.
- f The slave brought in a large chicken and rice wish / dish.
- g There's a beautiful fountain / mountain in the middle of the town square.
- h The gentle / general told all of the soldiers to stand in line.
- i There are no mistakes in this report. It's perfect / perhaps!
- j Can you roll / real the ball along the ground to me, please?
- k My grandmother is really old. In fact, she's armchair / ancient.

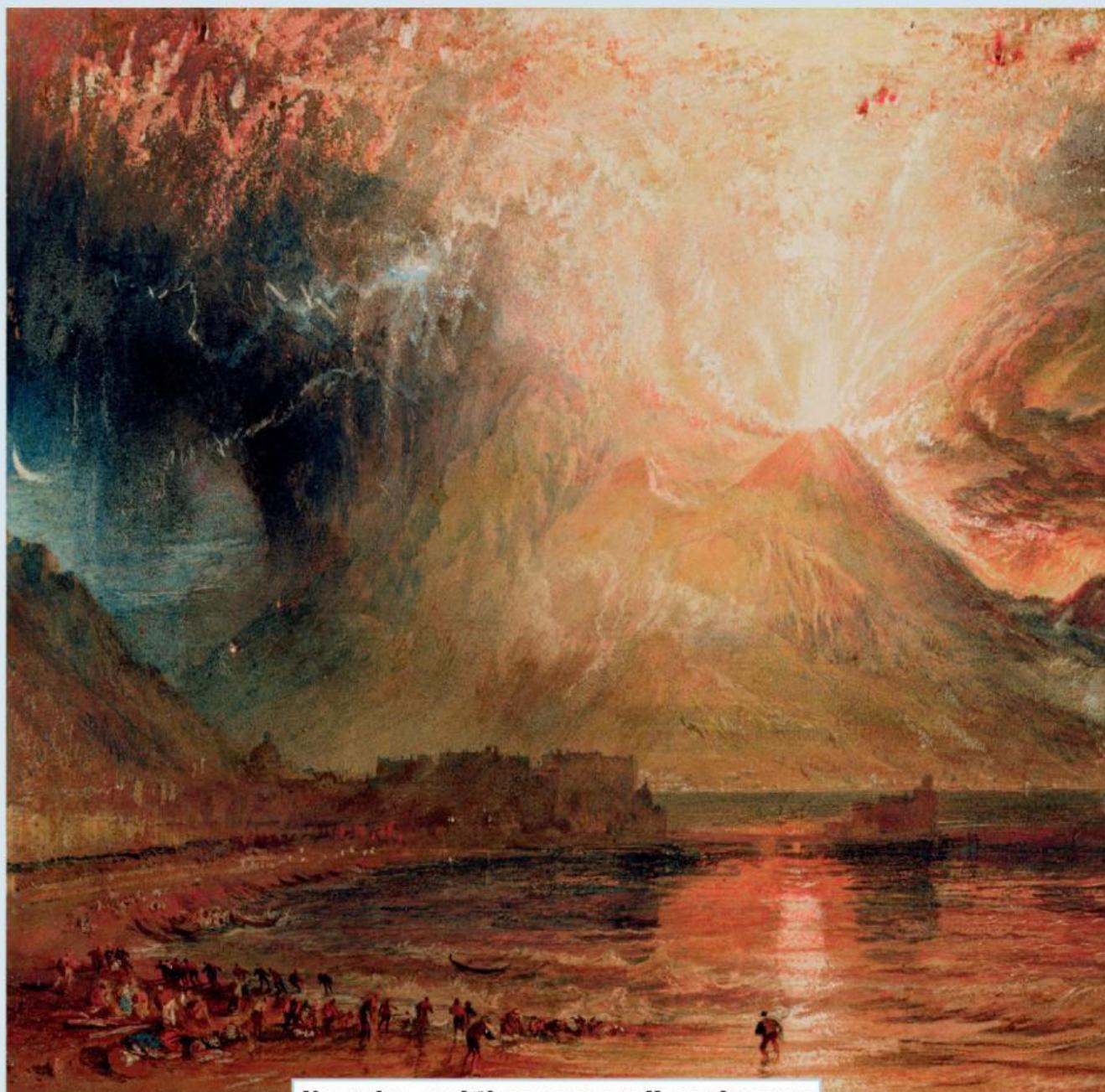


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**What happens in the next chapter? Tick three sentences.**

- a** Bassus discovers that he's Petrus's father.
- b** Felix and Agathe decide to get married.
- c** Alcander doesn't want his sister to marry Felix.
- d** Smoke starts to come out of the mountain near Pompeii.
- e** Rectina decides that the family must stay in the house in Pompeii.
- f** Felix and Alcander go to Rome for help.



**Vesuvius and the sea near Herculaneum**