

Language Practice for the test

A) Apply vocabulary in context. Complete the sentences with the correct vocabulary.

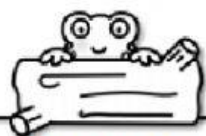
meteorite	soldiers	asteroid	diameter	peasant	unique
core	universe	archaeologists	tomb	spacecraft	gravity

1. The Earth is the only planet with living things. It is a _____ planet.
2. Recently _____ discovered the emperor's tomb deep underground. They were very excited!
3. Near my house there is a museum with a huge _____ that falls to Earth from space.
4. Someday, my friend Lucas wants to travel through the universe in a _____.
5. An _____ is made of gas.
6. Thousands of _____ died during the battle.
7. Earth and Venus are close in size. They have similar _____.
8. The _____ is all of space, including the solar system and billions of galaxies.
9. It is very hot in Earth's _____.
10. The moon has weaker _____ than Earth, so astronauts weigh less there.
11. When the emperor dies many peasants visited his _____.
12. The emperor told the soldier to give food and water to the poor _____.

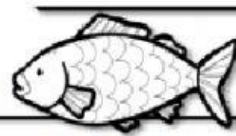
B) Read the story, write the facts in the Venn diagram. Then write six sentences using the following words,

Both - alike - the same

But - whereas - however



Frogs and Fish



Frogs are amphibians. They can live on land or in the water.

Most frogs live in freshwater ponds or lakes. Frogs are cold-blooded. They need the sun to keep warm. They have smooth, wet skin. Frogs have powerful back legs to help them jump. Frogs lay eggs. The baby frogs are called tadpoles. Frogs eat small insects and worms.

Fish are cold-blooded animals. They need the sun to keep warm. Fish live their whole lives in water. Fish can live in freshwater or saltwater. Most fish are covered in scales. Fish have tails and fins to help them swim in the water. Fish lay eggs. The baby fish are called fry. Some fish eat plants. Some fish eat other fish and ocean animals.

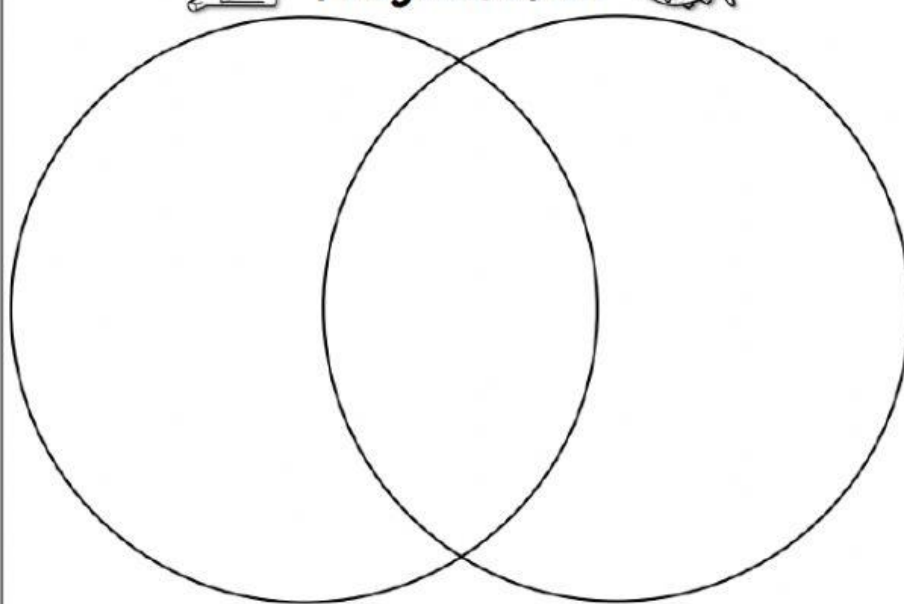
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Compare and Contrast



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

C) Write three sentences with the following words,

in common – similar - also

differences – however- but



Penguins and Parrots

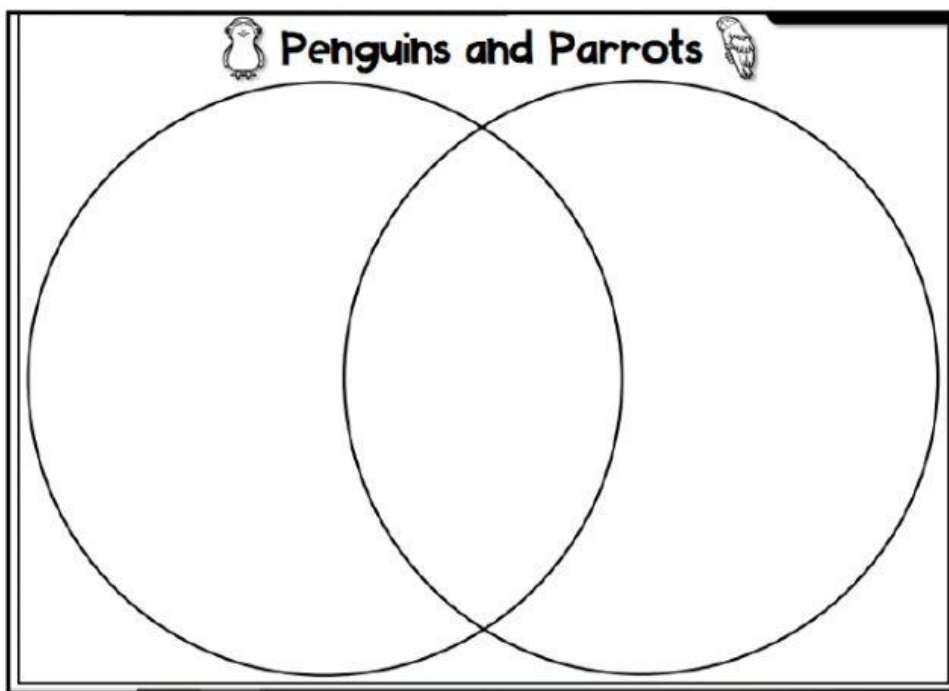


Penguins are birds. They are warm-blooded animals. Most penguins live in icy climates. They cannot fly. Instead, they use their wings to glide through the water. Penguins have black and white feathers. They lay only one egg at a time. The male penguin incubates the egg while the female hunts for food. Penguins eat small fish and Krill.

Parrots are birds. They are warm-blooded animals. Most parrots live in tropical climates. They use their wings to fly high into the trees. Parrots can be many colors: red, blue, green, and yellow. Parrots can lay between one and six eggs at a time. The male and female parrots take turns incubating the eggs while the other parrot finds food. They eat seeds, fruit, and small insects.



Penguins and Parrots



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

D) Create a sentence from a phrase given.

1. Can see it easily in the night sky.

2. Because of the rain.

3. _____
4. Happy to see you.

5. Told me last night.

6. Discovered the cure for the disease.

7. Running down the hill and going into the forest.

8. Large icy object.

9. After I finished my project.
