

Petrified Park vocabulary





Definition Exercise: Target Vocabulary

Part 1: Matching

Match each word or phrase on the left with its correct definition on the right.

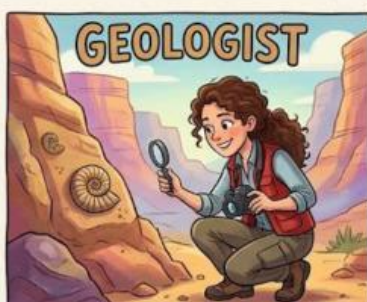
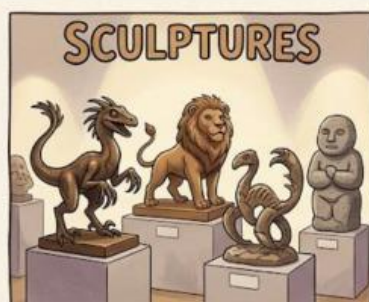
Target Word / Phrase	Definition
1. City block	A. Related to or resembling a story about magical creatures, legends, or folklore; often magical or enchanted.
2. Turn into	B. A deep well or structure where people toss coins and express a desire or dream, hoping it comes true.
3. Hire	C. To pay someone to do a job, or to employ a person or service for a period of time.
4. Wishing well	D. To transform, change, or convert from one state or form into another.
5. Fairy-tale	E. An area of land in a town or city surrounded by four streets; the distance along one side of this area.

Part 2: Fill in the Blanks

Complete each sentence below using the correct word or phrase from the box. (*Change the verb form if necessary.*)

[city block • turn into • hire • wishing well • fairy-tale]

1. After months of hard work, their small backyard garden began to _____ a lush, beautiful sanctuary.
2. The company decided to _____ three new software engineers to help complete the project on time.
3. She tossed a shiny quarter into the stone _____ and closed her eyes to make a silent request.
4. The wedding venue looked like something straight out of a _____, complete with floating candles and velvet curtains.
5. We walked down the avenue for just one _____ before turning left at the bakery.



Match each word or phrase on the left with its correct definition on the right.

Vocabulary Word / Phrase	Definition
1. Sculptures	A. Sharp, curved nails found on the feet or hands of animals, birds, or creatures.
2. Geologist	B. Places over something to protect, hide, or enclose it (such as glass cases or lids).
3. Show off	C. Three-dimensional works of art created by shaping stone, metal, wood, or clay.
4. Display	D. A scientist who studies the Earth, its rocks, minerals, and physical history.
5. Covers	E. To exhibit or arrange items publicly so that people can look at them easily.
6. Claws	F. To display something proudly or boastfully in order to gain admiration or attention.

Fill in with the correct word.

Display / searched / show off / covers / hire / collect

1. The sculptor wanted to _____ his creation.
2. They went into the forest to _____ wood.
3. The geologist _____ for petrified wood.
4. The museum _____ historical objects.
5. They _____ John to work at the museum.
6. The tourist attraction _____ a large area of the town.

Compound Words & Phrases Answers

Complete the phrase with the correct word.

Fairy-tale / city / wishing well / outdoor / tourist / claw / Dinosaur / tree

1. bones
2. attraction
3. trunk
4. park
5. block
6. marks
7. well
8. castle