

Unit 5 – Set 4 – Verbs**Exercise A***Match the words to their meanings:*

	Words			Meanings
1	to civilize	.....	a.	להקל
2	to ease	.....	b.	להתעטש
3	to freeze	.....	c.	לצמצם
4	to minimize	.....	d.	לקפוא
5	to seize	.....	e.	לתפוס
6	to sneeze	.....	f.	לתרבות

Exercise B*Circle the correct answer:*

1. At a temperature of 0°C water **freezes / minimizes** to ice.
2. I **eased / seized** the opportunity of starting the degree with both hands.
3. The government decided to build new schools to **ease / freeze** the problem of overcrowded classes.
4. The Spanish set out to **sneeze / civilize** the Maya tribes.
5. These flowers are making her **ease / sneeze**.
6. Wearing masks during the pandemic **civilizes / minimizes** the risk of infection.

Exercise C*Complete the definitions with the words below:***civilize, ease, freeze, minimize, seize, sneeze**

1. To _____ means to educate a society so that its culture becomes more developed.
2. To _____ means to lower the temperature of something below 0°C, causing it to become cold and often hard.
3. To _____ means to make or become less severe, difficult, unpleasant, painful, etc.
4. To _____ means to reduce something to the least possible level or amount.
5. To _____ means to send air out from the nose and mouth in an explosive way that you cannot control.
6. To _____ means to take something quickly and keep or hold it.

Glossary for definitions:

1	explosive	חומר נפץ
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*Definitions are taken from:

<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english/>
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