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QUIZ
Unit 2 : The Shape of the Earth



▪ Unscramble the words. Then match them with the correct pictures.

must prove round later true track

1. v e p r o

2. r t l a e

3. m s t u

4. c a k t r

5. o u n r d

6. u e r t

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• a.



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• b.



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• c.



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• d.



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• e.



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• f.



Complete the sentence. One is extra.

moon earth round true

7. We need to work to protect the _____.

8. The wheels work best when they are _____.

9. When it is full, the _____ is bright in the night sky.



Read the passage then choose the correct answer.

It's hard to see the shape of the earth. The ground looks flat, and it feels flat. For a long time, people thought the earth really was flat.

Around 500 BCE, Pythagoras looked at the moon. He saw that it is round. He thought the earth must be round, too.

In 350 BCE, Aristotle tracked the stars. They showed that the earth is round. Later, scientists proved this is true.

10. The story is about _____.

- a. Aristotle b. Pythagoras c. Earth's shape

11. People once thought the earth was _____.

- a. flat b. stars c. ground

12. Around when did Pythagoras look at the moon?

- a. 500 BCE b. 350 BCE c. 150 BCE

13. What did Aristotle do to show that the earth was round?

- a. He looked at the moon.
b. He tracked the stars.
c. He looked at the ground.

14. What is NOT true?

- a. It's hard to see the shape of the earth.
b. The moon looked round to Aristotle.
c. A long time ago, the earth was flat.