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## ENGLISH PROJECT

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**NAME:**

**CLASS:**

### How have humans' creations changed the world?

#### 1) Match the words with the correct definitions

Beverage

something that takes the place of something else



Replacement

a liquid you can drink, like coffee, soda, or juice



Cornmeal

a little, relatively



Somewhat

flour made from crushed corn



Nowadays

free from mistakes or errors



Accurate

at the present time



Seismograph

a device that measures and records the movement of the earth during an earthquake





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**2) Drag and drop the words in the correct picture.**

a. Concrete



b. Earthquake detector



c. Telescope



d. Paper



**3) Read the article and choose the true sentences.**

### Discoveries from Ancient Cultures

Believe it or not, people that lived many years ago invented things that are still used nowadays.

**Concrete:** About 2,100 years ago, Romans created a really hard material by mixing rocks with volcanic ash. It was used to build the famous Coliseum in Rome.

**Earthquake detector:** The Chinese invented the first seismograph 2,000 years ago. It was made of bronze and was very accurate in detecting earth movements.

**Paper:** Around 3,000 BC, Egyptians made the first paper from the fiber of the papyrus plant and also invented a special pen to write on it. The quality was so good that Egyptian papyrus remains intact.

**Telescope:** The Assyrians could see the stars and the sky 3,000 years ago because they created a special lens that could have been the first telescope.

**The number zero:** This number is somewhat new in human history. Both the Mayans and the Babylonians had the idea of zero; not as a number, but as a replacement for other numbers. The Mayans used it to make their calendars. A Hindu astronomer introduced the concept of zero as an independent number.

### Choose the true sentences:

- a. Egyptians created the concrete
- b. The concrete was used to build the Coliseum in Rome.
- c. The Chinese invented the Earthquake detector.
- d. The Earthquake detector was almost accurate in detecting earth movements.
- e. Romans made the first paper from the fiber of the papyrus.
- f. The Assyrians created a special lens for the first telescope.
- g. The number zero is somewhat new in human history
- h. A Chinese astronomer introduced the concept of zero number.
- i. The Mayans used the number zero to make their calendars.