

4 Setting Match the descriptions from the story with the settings.

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| 1 "A blanket of fog covered the trees." | a at the cave |
| 2 "There were steps going up the hill into the jungle." | b at the house |
| 3 "He walked to it and carefully pulled the jungle plants away from the entrance." | c on the path to the lake |

5 Word Choice Read the sentences and the words in parentheses. Underline the words and phrases with the same meanings.

- 1 "The tiles were icy cold." (very cold)
- 2 "It's so green, he thought." (jungle)
- 3 "A blanket of fog covered the trees." (thick, low clouds)
- 4 "The ride to Lake Guatavita was along a twisty road through the mountains." (the road was not straight)



✦ Match the descriptions with the pictures.

6 Active Reading Read the guide's story of El Dorado on page 89 again.

What did the boy have to do? Number the actions in the correct order.

- ☐ He swam in the lake.
- ☐ He covered himself in honey and gold.
- ☐ He threw some gold jewelry into the lake.
- ☐ He washed the gold off in the icy water.