

Lesson 1 • What are solids, liquids, and gases?

- 1 What can you see in the photo? Look, circle, and write.

solid *trg states of matter it liquid my gas*

1 solid

2 _____

3 _____

4 Solids, liquids, and gases
are all _____.



- 2 Solid, liquid, or gas? Read the text and underline words for each. Then write. The photo in 1 can help you.

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Solid

hot air balloon

Liquid

Gas

3 Solids, liquids, and gases. Read and write *always* or *never*.

A solid (1) always keeps its own size and shape. Solids (2) _____ take up space and have weight.

A liquid (3) _____ has its own shape. Liquids (4) _____ take the shape of their containers.

Gas (5) _____ has its own size or shape. Gas (6) _____ takes the size and shape of its container. It (7) _____ takes up all of the space inside the container.

Grammar Tip

It **always** keeps the same size and shape. Gas **never** has its own size and shape.



4 Size and shape. Look at 3 and complete the table with *always* or *never*.

	Keeps Its Own Shape	Keeps Its Own Size	Takes the Shape of Its Container, e.g. bowl, cup, etc.
Solid	always		
Liquid		always	
Gas			

5 The three states of matter. Think of examples. Write.

- 1 A _____ is a _____. It _____.
- 2 A _____ is a _____. It _____.
- 3 _____ is a _____. It _____.