

UNIT 2

LISTENING

- 1  Listen and write the landscape words in the order they are mentioned. Then match.

- 1 waterfall
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____



- 2  Listen and circle. Then match.



- 1 Linda saw a **desert** / volcano.
- 2 Mary saw **rocky peaks** / a rocky canyon.
- 3 There was a **drought** / flood in Jack's village.
- 4 The temperatures are **glacial** / warm.
- 5 The landscape is **arid** / wet.
- 6 Beth was **dry** / wet.

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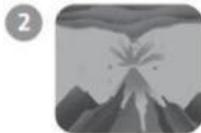
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READING

3 Read and match the landscapes to the descriptions.



a It's usually quite wet, but not because it rains! The noise is very loud and there's often a lake at the bottom of it.

b This landscape is very dry and can be very hot during the day and very cold during the night. It's very deep and can be very rocky, too!

c This is the landscape that makes our planet clean and healthy. Thousands of wild animals live there, especially birds.

d There are many of them all over the world. Lots of people go hiking there in groups, and the bravest even try to reach the top!

e These are the iciest and coldest areas on our planet. Some animals live there, mainly penguins and polar bears.

f Some of them are not active, but when they erupt and lava starts coming out, it can get dangerous.

4 Read and write.

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Glaciers are 1 the coldest places on Earth. Did you know that they're also the 2 _____ ones, too? That's because it almost never rains! The 3 _____ amazing thing about glaciers is that animals manage to survive there. Like the Emperor penguin, for example, that lives in Antarctica. It's the heaviest penguin 4 _____ the world and it can live in 5 _____ temperatures, as low as -40°C ! It also swims in the 6 _____ water ... -1.8°C . That's freezing!