

# Labeling for Comprehension

## LEVEL 3

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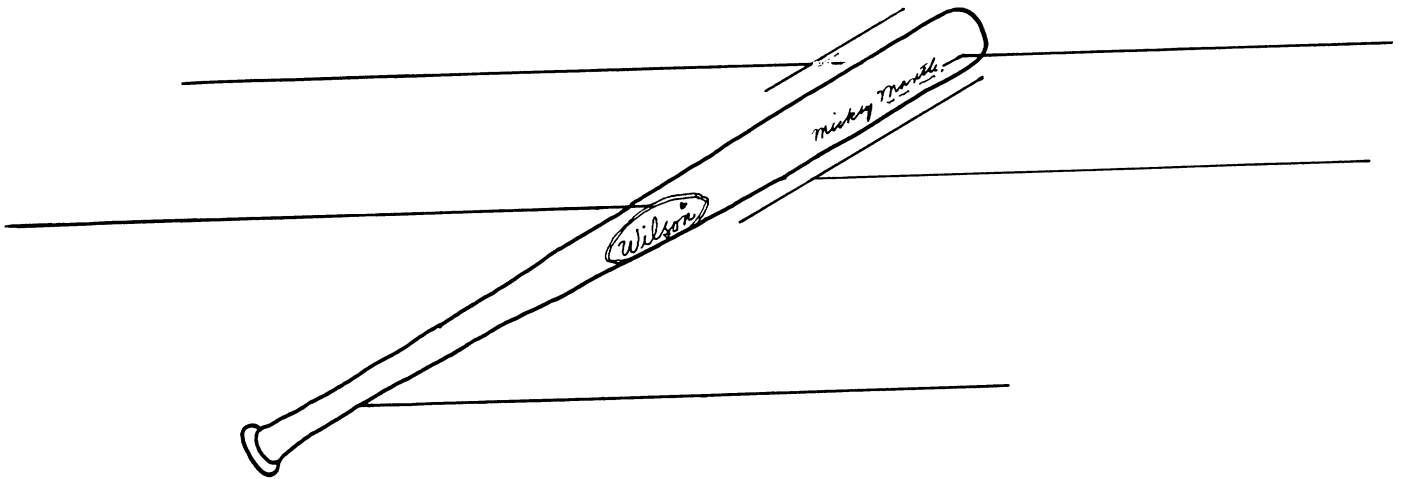
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## Strike Three!

A baseball player likes to have his own special bat. Bats are made from wood or a thin metal called aluminum.

- The **barrel** is the thick part of the bat.
- A copy of a famous baseball player's name in his own writing, called a **signature**, is stamped on the barrel.
- The **handle** is the thin part of the bat.
- The name of the company that made the bat, called the **trademark**, is also stamped on the bat.
- The **meat** of the bat is the part of the barrel on the other side of the signature.

**Label the parts of the baseball bat.**



Name some famous baseball players.

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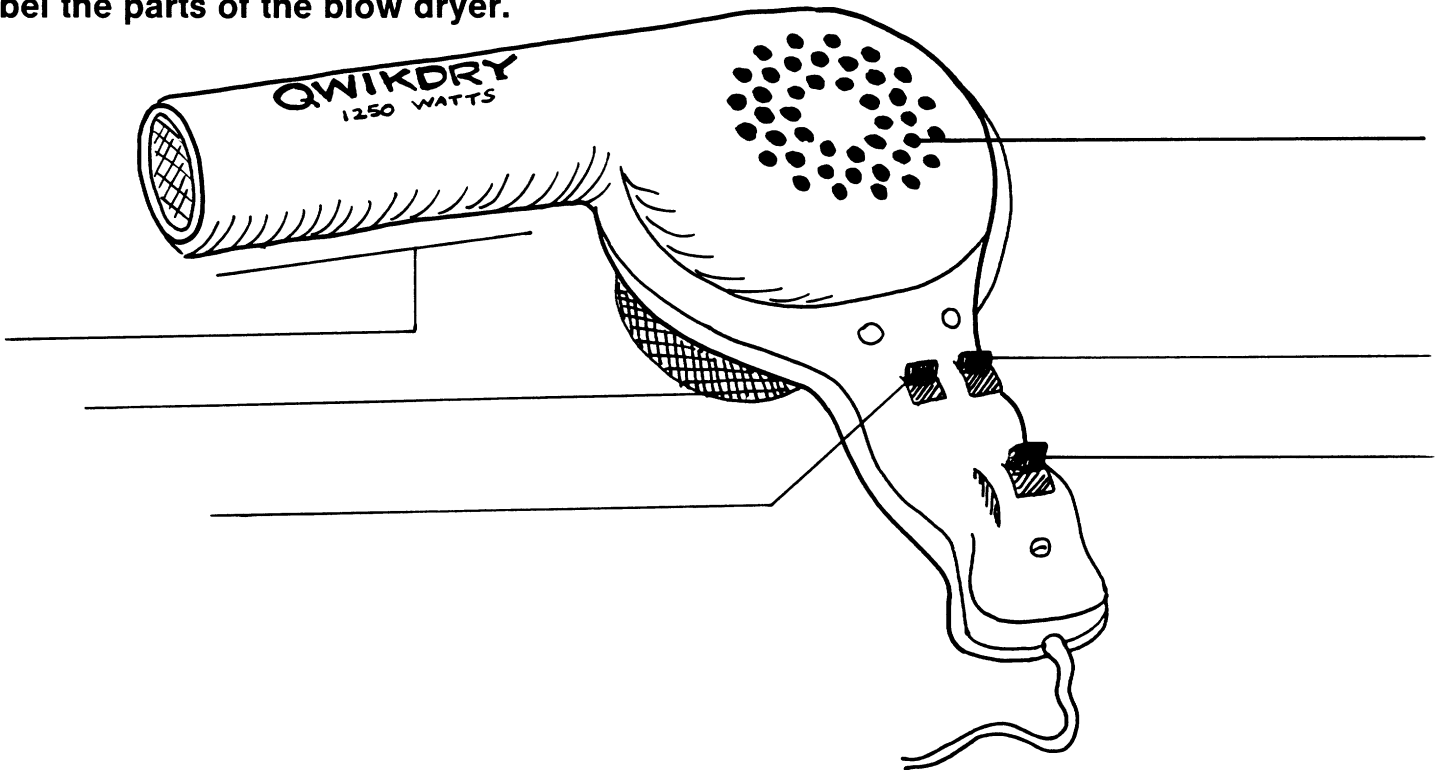
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## Beauty Tip

Whether you have short hair or long hair, the fastest way to dry it is with a blow dryer.

- To use the dryer, push forward the **on-off switch**, the bottom button on the handle.
- If you want warm air to blow out of the dryer, push forward the **low-heat switch**, the button above the on-off switch.
- If you want hot air to blow out, push forward the **high-heat switch** next to the low heat switch.
- The air blows out the **barrel**, the long, round piece on the dryer.
- The round part of the dryer between the barrel and the handle is where the motor is and is called the **motor housing**.
- Several holes in the housing, called **air vents**, let cool air in to keep the motor from getting too hot.

Label the parts of the blow dryer.



Is it better to use warm air or hot air to dry your hair? Explain your answer.

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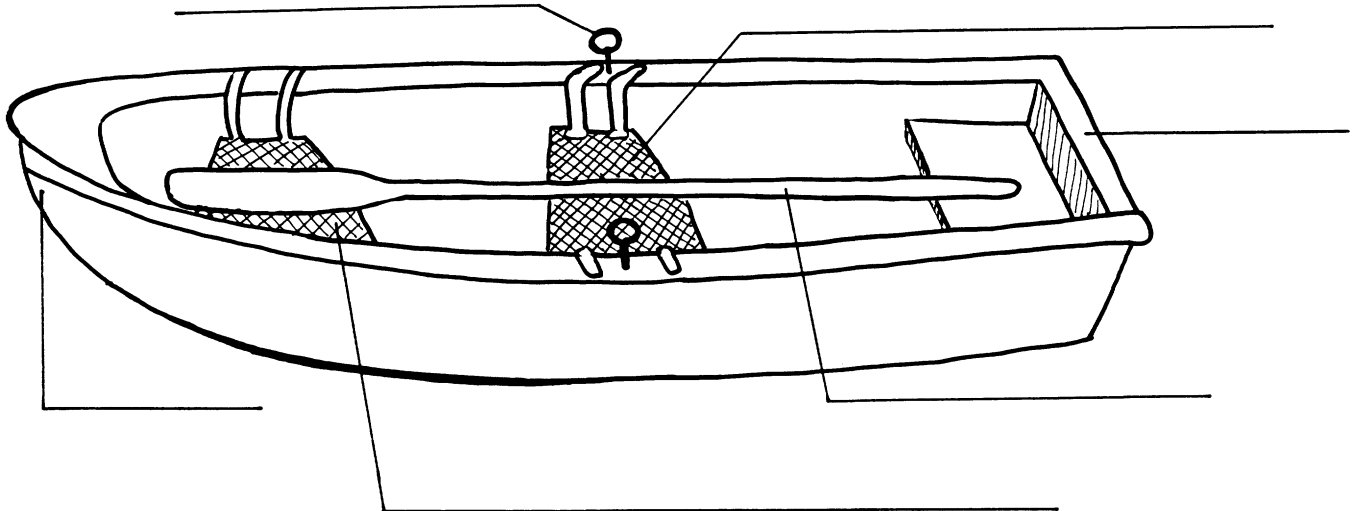
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## Row, Row, Row Your Boat . . .

A rowboat is a very simple boat. It is used on small ponds and lakes. To make it move, you need good arm muscles.

- The person rowing the boat sits on the middle seat called the **rowing thwart**.
- The long, wooden paddles are the **oars**.
- The oars are attached to the boat by **oarlocks**, metal rings on either side of the rower's seat.
- The person on the front seat, called the **sailing thwart**, tells the person rowing what lies ahead.
- The back end of the boat is called the **stern**.
- The nose, or front part, of the boat is the **bow**.

**Label the parts of the rowboat.**



If you were rowing in the middle of a pond and lost your oars, what would you do?

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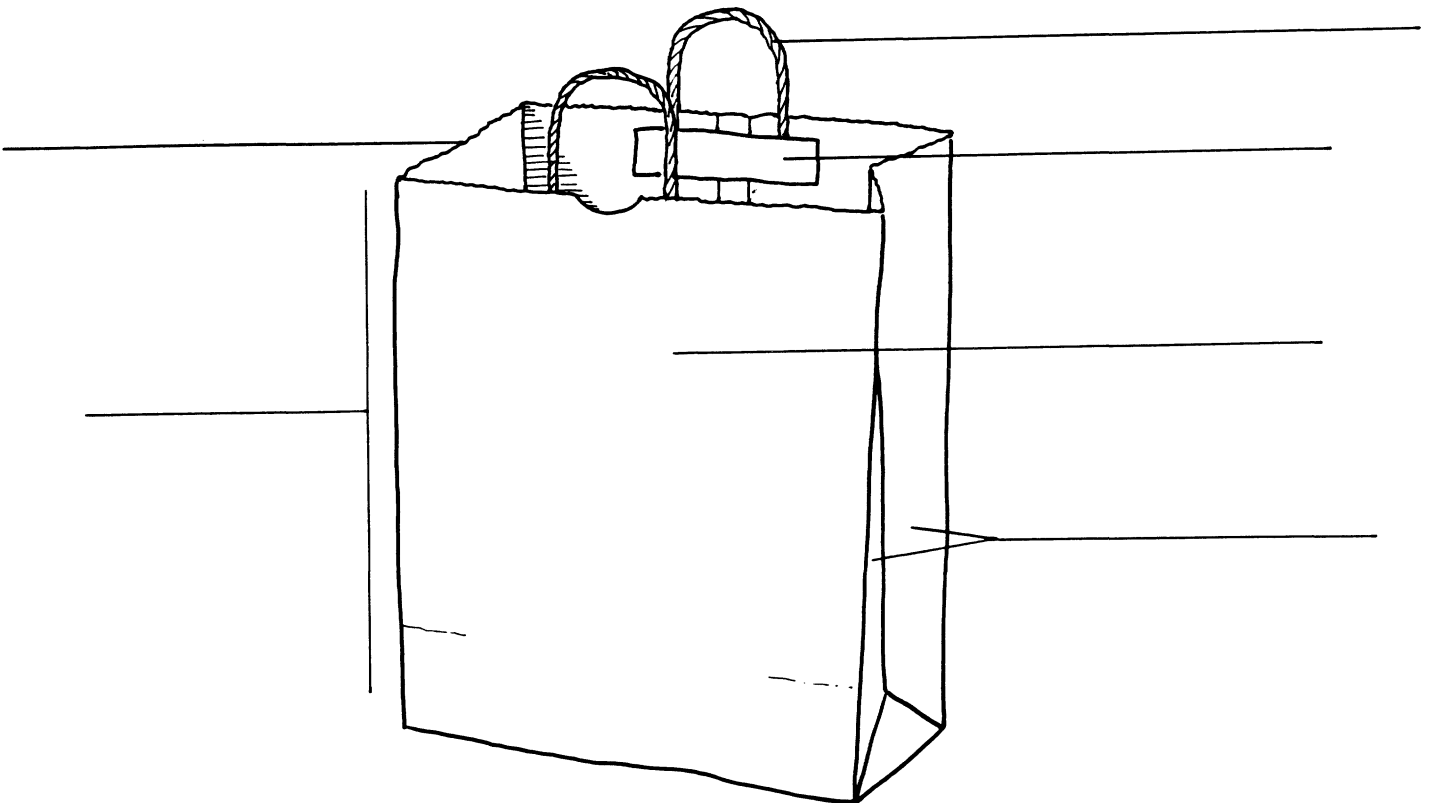
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## Shop 'Til You Drop

It is hard to carry many packages at one time. The best thing to do is put them all in a shopping bag. Then it is easy to carry a lot of things at once.

- The two loops at the top of the bag, called the **twisted handles**, are made of tightly coiled rope or plastic.
- The handles are held to the bag by a strip of sticky paper called a **patch**.
- The top rim of the bag has saw-like notches and is called the **serrated edge**.
- The whole bag in which you put your packages is the **body**.
- The front of the body is the **face** of the bag.
- The folding part on the side of the bag is the **bellows**.

**Label the parts of the shopping bag.**



Why do you think the handle of a shopping bag is usually twisted material?

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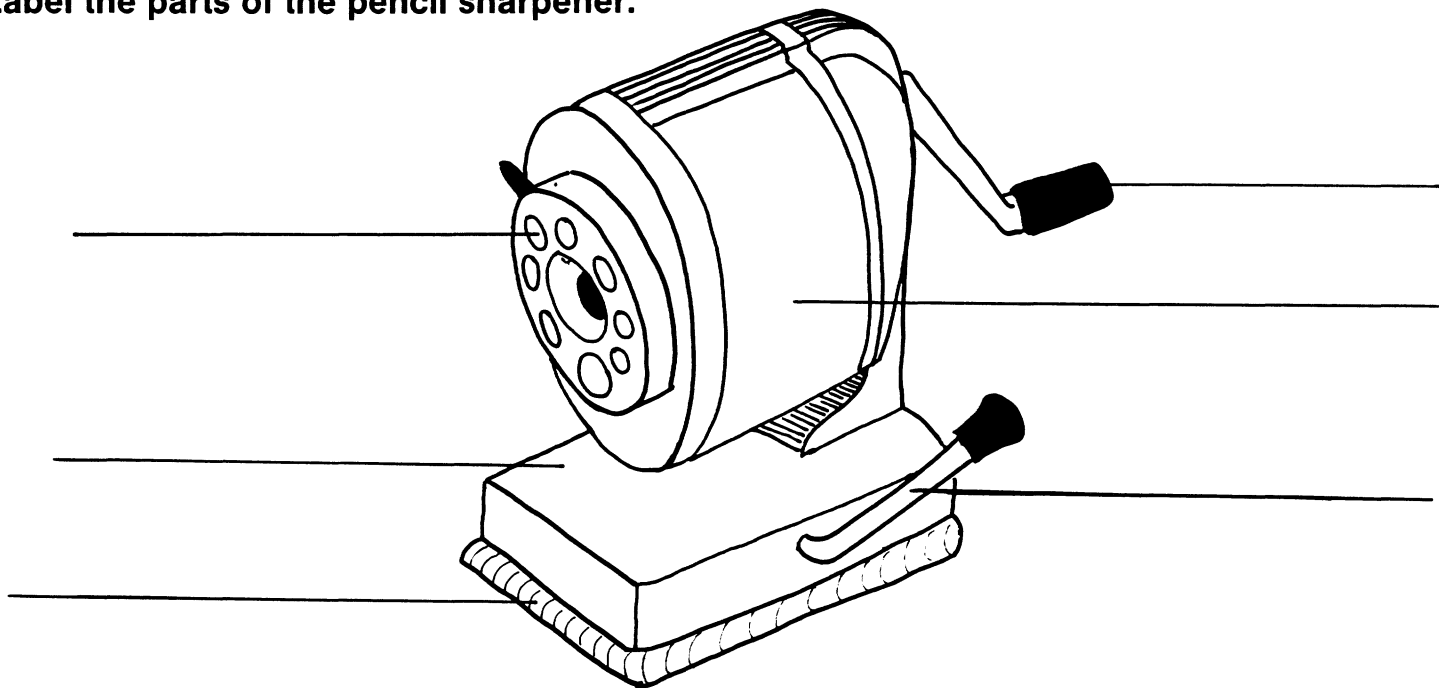
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## Make Your Point

Many pencil sharpeners now run on batteries. But a lot of us still use the kind that run on people-power.

- Different-sized holes, called **apertures**, to fit different pencils, are in a metal wheel on the side of the sharpener.
- To sharpen a pencil, you put it in the right aperture and turn the **crank** or handle.
- As the pencil is sharpened, the wood shavings fall into the oval-shaped container called the **receptacle**.
- The receptacle is attached to a metal rectangle called the **stand**.
- The stand is attached to a rubber base called a **vacuum mount**.
- The vacuum mount will hold the sharpener down on the table when you press the small handle called the **actuating lever**.

Label the parts of the pencil sharpener.



Use a dictionary to find out what graphite is.

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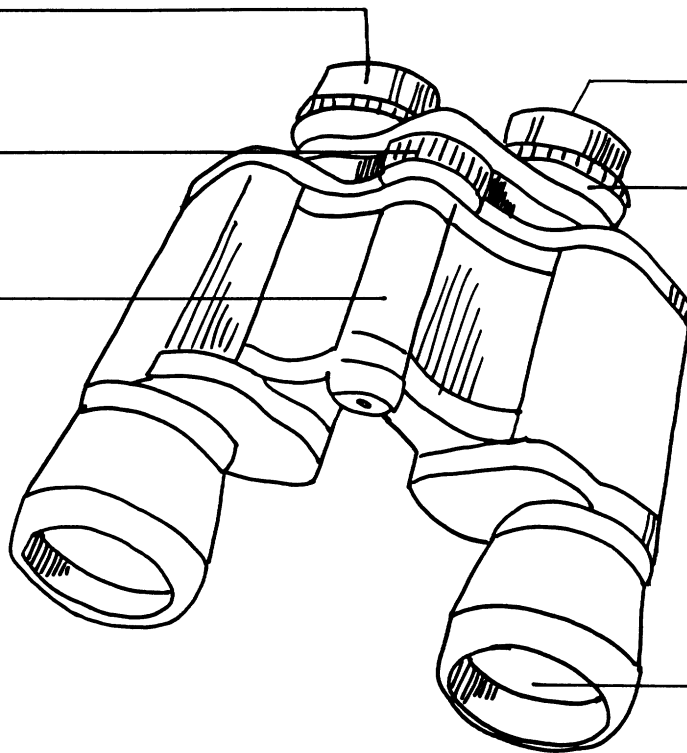
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## Take A Closer Look

When you look through binoculars, faraway objects seem to be much closer. Binoculars are really two small telescopes hooked together.

- The small end of the binoculars is the **eyepiece**.
- A rim around the end of the eyepiece, called the **eyecup**, fits against your eye.
- Inside each eyepiece is a curved piece of glass called an **ocular lens**.
- The curved piece of glass on the large end of the binoculars is the **objective lens**.
- The two sides of the binoculars are joined together by a **hinge**.
- A round knob on the top of the hinge, called the **central focusing drive**, can be turned to make the object you are looking at more clear.

**Label the parts of the binoculars.**



Where might you want to use binoculars?

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