Part 1

access

A library offers access to many books.

atmosphere

The sky divers made a circle in the atmosphere.

condensation

Condensation will form on windows when it is cold outside.

consequence

A flood is a **consequence** of heavy rain.

conservation

Conservation is good for the planet.

deplete

They **depleted** the forest of trees.

evaporation

Evaporation happens when Mom makes tea.

Part 1 (continued)

fresh water

The Great Lakes, which border the U.S. and Canada, are full of **fresh water**.

precipitation

When there is **precipitation**, it's good to take an umbrella.

runoff

When ice melts, the runoff flows into the sea.

shortage

In a water **shortage**, the grass turns dry and brown.

water cycle

You can study one part of the **water cycle** by watching a puddle dry up on a sunny day.

watershed

This beautiful waterfall is part of a **watershed** that will drain into a larger river.

Part 2

acquire

She acquired a shirt from her mom.

aquifer

This aquifer holds a lot of water.

availability

The availability of books inspired him to read.

canal

Boats use canals to travel to the ocean.

capacity

This bucket has a capacity of three gallons of water.

channel

Farmers use pipes to channel water to the field.

climate

Penguins live in a cold climate.

course

The river's course takes it all the way to the ocean.

Part 2 (continued)

distribution

This shows an equal distribution of pizza.

gourd

He drinks water from a gourd.

region

Oregon is in the Northwest region of the United States.

scarcity

There's a **scarcity** of water here.

Part 1

construction

The house is under **construction**.

establish

The win **established** him as captain.

expansion

Blowing into a balloon causes its expansion.

explore

They found a new park to **explore**.

frontier

Space is a frontier for us to explore.

gold rush

In 1849, California had a **gold rush**. People came from all over the world to find gold.

individual

Each individual at school is important.

Part 1 (continued)

ranching Ranching is hard work.

reservation

These Minionjou Sioux Native Americans are camping in tipis on a **reservation** in South Dakota.

settler

These pioneers were **settlers** in the western United States.

Part 2

boomtown

When people find gold in an area, a small village can turn into a **boomtown**.

claim

Many prospectors found gold on their claims.

development

This is a new **development** in technology.

Part 2 (continued)

discovery

This leopard is a new discovery.

economy

In a good economy, people spend more.

ghost town

Many places in the West became **ghost towns** after all the gold and silver was gone.

investor

The **investor** offered a lot of money to buy their company.

limited resources

Clean drinking water is a limited resource.

mining

Coal **mining** is hard and dangerous work.

population

This city's **population** is large.

Part 2 (continued)

speculate

They **speculate** that people will buy lemonade.

Part 1

argument

There are arguments for keeping our streets clean.

balance

It is good to have a balance of work and play.

debate

The boys **debated** which sport is best.

evidence

The ball was evidence of how the window was broken.

plastic

The toy duck is made of **plastic**.

pollution

Car exhaust causes air pollution.

recycle

These cans were made from recycled aluminum.

reduce

Our family tries to reduce the amount of trash we make.

Part 1 (continued)

renewable

Wind is a **renewable** resource.

reuse

We **reused** this egg carton to sprout seeds.

solution

Reading is a good **solution** to boredom.

Part 2

affect

The snow can affect your plans.

behavior

His bad **behavior** got him in trouble.

benefit

Fresh air and exercise are **benefits** of playing soccer.

biodegradable

Banana peels are biodegradable.

Part 2 (continued)

dispose

His chore is to **dispose** of the trash.

effect

A runny nose is an **effect** of a cold.

generate

This family **generates** a lot of trash.

landfill

Bulldozers are used to move the garbage around in landfills.

responsibility

It is my responsibility to walk my dog.

transform

The old cans were transformed into new cans.

Part 1

analyze

She analyzed the cell under a microscope.

apply

He will **apply** for a job.

business

She sells lotion in her makeup business.

cost

The **cost** of gas changes all the time.

earnings

She put all her earnings into her piggy bank.

expenses

Her medical **expenses** cost less than she expected.

goods

This market sells many types of **goods**.

Part 1 (continued)

income

Her paycheck shows her weekly income.

profit

Our house sold for a large profit.

services

Delivering the mail is a **service**.

supply

Farms supply us with vegetables, such as lettuce.

value

This jewelry has a high value.

Part 2

advantage

Being fast is an advantage in baseball.

borrow

It is fun to **borrow** books from the library.

Part 2 (continued)

credit

He buys the flowers on credit.

debt

She borrowed a dollar and will pay back the **debt** next week.

determine

The doctor **determined** that her patient had the flu.

entrepreneur

These entrepreneurs started a car-washing service.

favorable

They had **favorable** weather for the party.

influence

Her kindness influenced me to be kind.

Ioan

Because of his good credit score, he got a loan.

Part 2 (continued)

organizationThis organization helps lost pets.