

Quick Check

Fantastic Flying Machines

Name	Date
Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.	

- 1. What kind of flying machine was thought of before the Wright brothers flew?
 - (A) helicopter
 - B jet
 - (C) blimp
- 2. Cargo planes are used to ____.
 - (A) carry things
 - B fight in battles
 - (C) land on water
- **3.** A hot-air balloon is pushed by _____.
 - (A) hot air
 - (B) an engine
 - (C) the wind
- 4. What is a propeller?
 - (A) blades that spin like a fan
 - ® a type of glider
 - (C) a plane with large wings

- **5.** What can a helicopter do that planes cannot?
 - (A) land on water
 - B fly in any direction
 - (C) land lots of places
- **6. Extended Response:** If you could learn to fly, which flying machine would you choose? Why?



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Main Comprehension Skill: Main Idea and Details

- **1.** (A) Main Idea and Details
- 2. (A) Main Idea and Details
- **3.** ① Main Idea and Details
- **4.** A Vocabulary
- **5.** © Compare and Contrast
- **6.** Answers will vary but should include a logical reason for choosing that flying machine.