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SKILL: CONNECT TO PRIOR KNOWLEDGE

**Instructions:** Before reading the book, answer *Yes* or *No* to each question. After reading the book, answer the questions again and compare your answers.



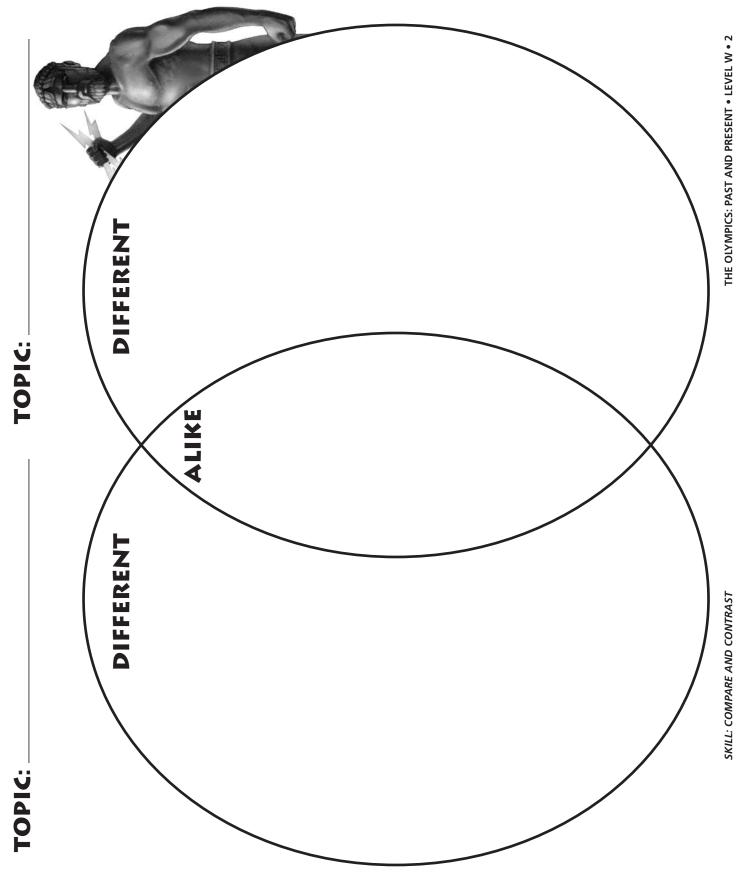
**YES** = I agree with the statement.

**NO** = I do not agree with the statement.

BEFORE READING		
	The summer Olympics are held every four years.	
	The Olympics began in ancient Greece.	
	Records show that the first Olympic Games were held in 776 BC.	
	Only men competed in the ancient Olympics.	
	The modern-day Olympics began in 1896.	
	Wars and political unrest have affected the Games.	
	Olympic medal winners can earn lots of money.	
	Winners of the Olympic Games in ancient Greece were given olive branches.	

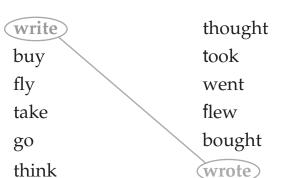


**Instructions:** Write the two topics you are comparing. Write details that tell how the topics are different in the outer circles. Write details that tell how the topics are alike where the circles overlap.



**Instructions:** Match each present-tense verb with the irregular past-tense equivalent. Then use each verb in a sentence. The first example is done for you.

## PRESENT-TENSE PAST-TENSE





**EXAMPLE:** I like to write letters to my grandma. I wrote a letter to her last week.

(wrote)

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Instructions: Locate each word in a dictionary. Read the definitions for each multiple-meaning word. Choose two of the meanings and use each one in a sentence. You may add suffixes such as -ed, -s, or -ing to the word. The first example is done for you.

## **EXAMPLE:**

(face) (Face) the camera and smile!

My eyes are located on my face.

1. (fall)			
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2. (kind) _		
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3. (park)	
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5. (trip)			
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