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Instructions: Fill in the main idea and important details from the section “One Big, Happy Family.”




Main Idea

Detail




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Skill: Main Idea and Details

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Instructions: Use the conjunctions *and* or *but* to combine the sentences below into one complete sentence.



- ① The three pairs of legs are designed for running quickly. Each leg has three joints and little hooks that allow ants to climb.

- ② Ants don't have ears. They have the ability to detect sound by feeling vibrations through their legs.

- ③ Ants are very strong. They can lift more than twenty times their own weight.

- ④ The long, thin antennae bend in the middle. They are constantly moving.

- ⑤ Some ants build their colonies in logs or trees. Most ants build their colonies underground.

- ⑥ Ants are social insects that work together as a group. Every ant has a function and special skill to perform it.

- ⑦ All these ants are female. Only one can lay eggs: the queen.

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Instructions: Choose a synonym and an antonym for each word from the box. Put a check mark in the *Thesaurus* column after you check your answers in a thesaurus.



Synonym

lazy

slow

dull

old

new

small

join

rapid

harm

defend

separate

long

unchanged

amazing

modify

moving

Thesaurus

Antonym

Word

	magnificent		
	short		
	adapt		
	quick		
	combine		
	protect		
	active		
	ancient		