

Instructions: Record the main idea for each section listed below. Then, record three details that support each main idea. Finally, write a summary of one of the sections.

Main Idea	Details
Who Will Win the Race?	1.
	2.
	3.
Who Will Conquer the Mountains?	1.
	2.
	3.
Where Will They Meet?	1.
	2.
	3.

Summary of	
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Instructions: Fill in the missing past-tense irregular verbs in the spaces below. Then, use all of the past-tense irregular verbs to write five original sentences about the Transcontinental Railroad.

Present-Tense Irregular Verbs	Past-Tense Irregular Verbs
have	
	did
build	
	sold
become	
	brought
leave	
	meant
swing	
	wore

my semences			
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Instructions: Record twelve compound words from *The Transcontinental Railroad* in the space below. Then, create original sentences using two compound words in each sentence. Underline the compound words in each sentence.

1.	7.
2.	8.
3.	9.
4.	10.
5.	11.
6.	12.

- **1.** Compound Words: ______
- **2.** Compound Words: ______
- 3. Compound Words: _____
- 4. Compound Words: _____
- **5.** Compound Words: ______
- 6. Compound Words: _____

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