

Mountain Magic

How does the girls' project turn out?

1 "Oh, we missed a spot," said Hailey, pointing.

2 "Okay," said Megan, dabbing at the spot. "Are we done now?" She and her best friend, Hailey, had made a volcano out of wet, sticky goop. They were painting it to look like a mountain.

3 The next day, they were ready for fun. Megan thought out loud, "Mrs. Metzger said the baking soda goes first, then the vinegar. Right?"

4 "That's right," said Megan's mom. "Are you ready for the lava?"

5 "Ready!" they said together.

6 In went the baking soda. The girls held their breath. In went the vinegar. It hit the soda and bubbled up, up, up, and over the edge of the volcano.

7 Megan and Hailey clapped. "Yea, it worked! Let's do it again!"



1. Write **1**, **2**, **3**, and **4** by these sentences to show what happened first, second, third, and last.

_____ The girls painted the volcano.

_____ The friends made a volcano.

_____ Bubbles came up out of the volcano.

_____ Baking soda and vinegar went into the volcano.



Some of these sentences are about **real** things. Write **R** by them. The other sentences are about **make believe** things. Write **M** by them.

2. _____ The girls can build a real volcano.

3. _____ A real volcano can be on someone's back porch.

4. _____ The girls do projects together.

5. _____ Mothers help with projects.

6. A mixture of two things makes the volcano bubble up. What two things do the girls use?

7. Who is Mrs. Metzger?

8. Look at the picture. Why are the girls wearing goggles?

9. Was the project a success? How do you know?
