

Unit 1

Reading Comprehension

Bella's Home

Name: _____

A Read the changes that Bella saw from the spacecraft. Visualize and draw.

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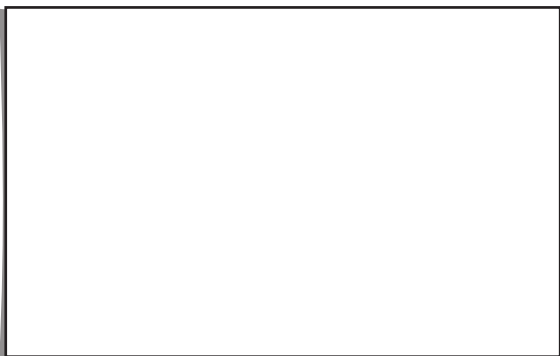
Bella's wooden house
was tiny indeed.

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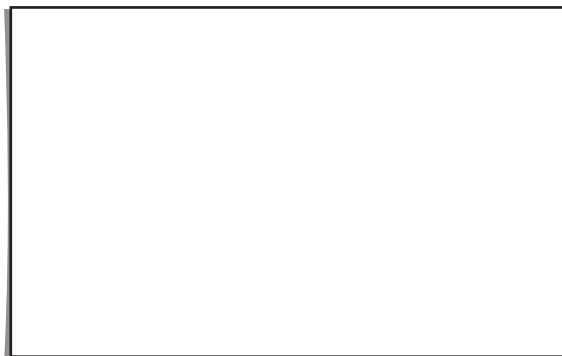
Alaska looked like
a bear from the sky.

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Bella now saw her beautiful planet,
a blue ball floating in space.

4



The Milky Way galaxy shaped
like a disk.

B Complete the story chart.

Theme _____



Characters _____



Setting _____



Problem / Solution _____

C Complete the sentences.

Bella's Home is a _____ story.

There's a _____ in the story, too.

D Correct the underlined words to make the sentences true.

- 1 Bella's father was a high school history teacher. _____
- 2 Alaska looked like a pie from the sky. _____
- 3 She saw planets, countries, and continents with blue oceans around the land. _____
- 4 Billions of universes were filled with billions of stars. _____

E Circle the correct answers.

- 1 In his free time, Bella's father studied the secrets of the _____.
a galaxies **b** universe
- 2 Our sun is just one of billions of _____.
a planets **b** stars
- 3 _____ have traveled to Earth from beyond Mars.
a Meteorites **b** Comets
- 4 The Milky Way galaxy is shaped like a _____.
a disk **b** asteroid

Extra Read the words. Write the definitions.

1 vast

2 dwell

3 speck
