

Reading Comprehension

The World's Most Extraordinary Buildings

A Number the steps in the correct order.

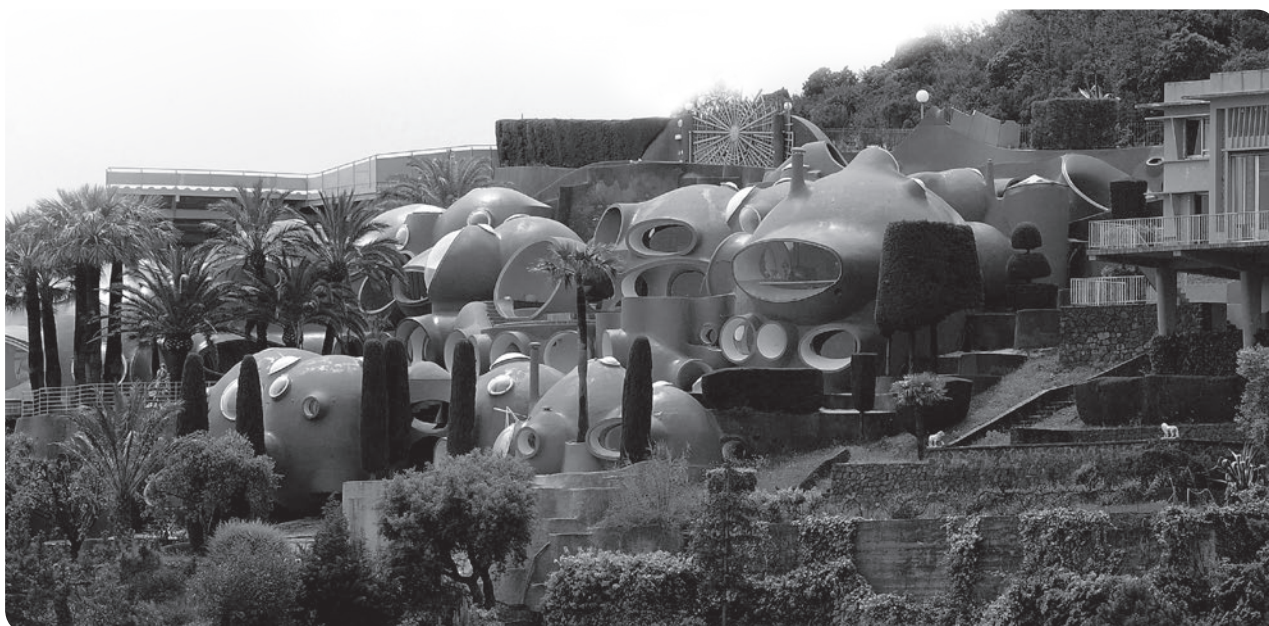
- a Construction begins. ☐
- b The function is determined. ☐
- c Planning is finished and approved. ☐
- d A model is made. ☐
- e Calculate how much steel is needed. ☐
- f Detailed plans are made. ☐

**B** Circle the main idea. Then write three details.**Main idea**

- a Architects build buildings for many people.
- b Buildings have many different purposes.
- c Buildings around the world are made from different materials.

Details

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____



C Complete the sentences. Then answer the question.

The World's Most Extraordinary Buildings is a _____.

It gives us _____ about a subject.

What does this text type usually include to make it more interesting?

D Complete the sentences.

- 1 People need shelters to sleep, eat, and be _____ from the weather.
- 2 The Palais Bulles is unusual as it has no _____ lines.
- 3 Zaha Hadid is a famous _____.
- 4 The arches of this _____ designed by Zaha, look like a desert's wavy sand dunes.



E Write the buildings in the correct categories in the chart.

museums apartments warehouses hotels shopping malls
movie theaters houses showrooms factories

Shelter	Work	Leisure
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Extra Read the words. Write the definitions.

1 function

2 architect

3 construction
