

The Golf Course

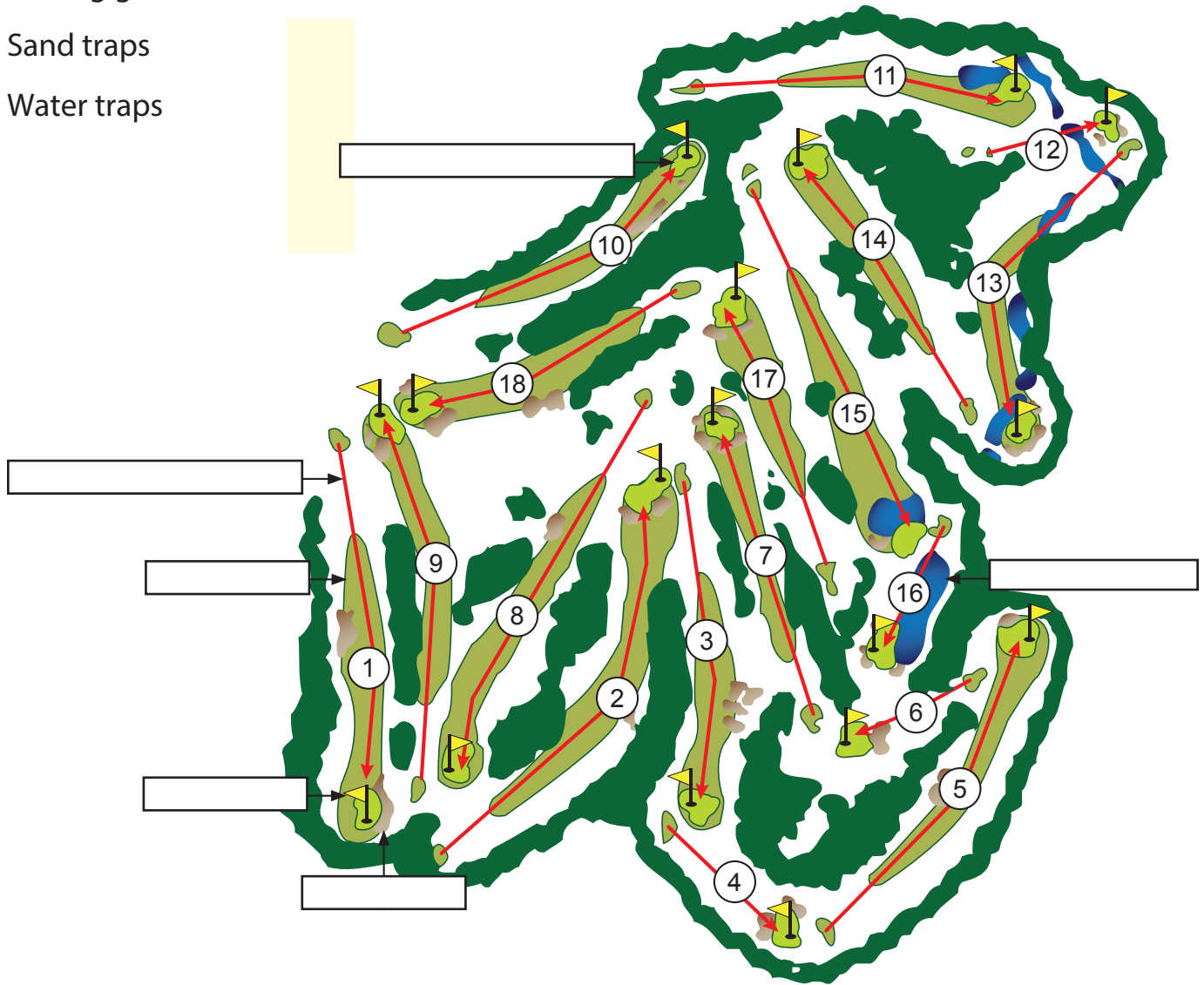
Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Fill in the blanks in this diagram of a golf course.

- a. Direction of play
- b. Fairway
- c. Hole
- d. Hole number
- e. Putting green
- f. Sand traps
- g. Water traps



True or False

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Using the information in *Golf*, verify whether the following information is true or false. Check your answers in the book. List the page number where you found your information beside your answer.

Statement 1 There are two types of clubs.
They are woods and irons. True False Page Number

Statement 2 Golf is a game played on a large,
outdoor field called a course.
A course can have 10 or 20 holes. True False Page Number

Statement 3 Two to four people usually play
a round of golf. True False Page Number

Statement 4 Golfers use special words to
describe their scores. True False Page Number

Statement 5 The first shot is called the
approach shot. This is a long
shot from the tee. True False Page Number



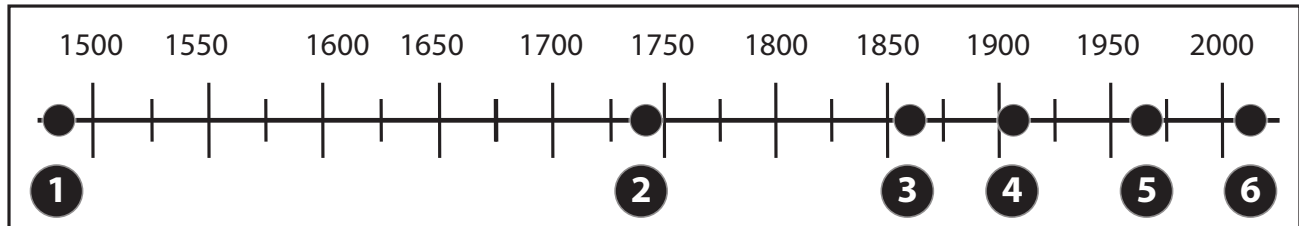
Timeline

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Number the events below in the order they should appear on the timeline. Write the number in the box beside each event. Check your answers with page 17 of the book.



The first major national championship of golf is played in Great Britain. The winner is a man named Willie Park.

The first golf club is formed in Scotland. It is called "The Gentlemen Golfers of Leith."

The PGA ends segregation and allows golfers of all races to compete.

Patrick Reed of the United States wins the Masters for the first time in his career.

The first dimpled golf ball was invented.

The modern game of golf begins in Scotland. Players use a pebble instead of a golf ball and a stick instead of a golf club.



Complete the statements by writing the correct number in the box.

1. The first women's golf club formed at St Andrews in this year.

14

2. This many holes of golf takes an average player between 3 and 4.5 hours to complete.

15,372

3. During a round, or game, of golf, a player is allowed to carry up to this many different clubs.

1910

4. There are this many golf courses in the United States.

18

5. Steel golf clubs were first invented in this year.

1867



Fill in the Blank

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Use the information found in *Golf* to help you complete the following activity.

1. A is placed behind the ball before the ball is picked up.
2. Some golfers stretch during games to keep their flexible.
3. Golfers must be polite and when they play golf.
4. St Andrews golf club in Scotland is considered the of modern golf.
5. Most Americans should eat servings of fruits and vegetables every day.
6. Each hole has a starting point known as a or tee.



Key Words Match-Up

Write the words from the list below in the box above the correct definition for each word.

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KEY WORDS

golf club	green	chips	tee box
etiquette	courteous	ball-marker	core
bunkers	amateur	competition	
distract	dunes	promoted	
flexible	warm-up	technique	



1.

the area at the start of a golf hole where the ball is first hit

2.

mounds or ridges of sand

3.

a person who is not paid to play a game and who may not have much experience

4.

able to bend

5.

obstacles filled with sand

6.

rules of correct behavior

7.

the center

8.

a group of people who play golf on the same course; also refers to the stick used to hit a golf ball

9.

respectful of other players and the rules of the game

10.

shots that raise the ball and are played around the green

11.

to draw a person's attention away from the task at hand

12.

a practical way to perform a particular task or art

13.

encouraged growth, development, or popularity

14.

the area of very short grass around the cup

15.

gentle exercise to get a person's body ready for stretching and game play

16.

a contest or game

17.

a small plastic disk



Quiz

Test your knowledge by answering these quiz questions.

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1

What is the outdoor field called where golf is played?

2

Where did golf begin?

3

Which golf club is considered the birthplace of modern golf?

4

Which golf club is considered the birthplace of modern golf?

5

What were the first golf balls made of?

6

Where does each golf hole start?

7

When did Pebble Beach Golf Links join the PGA Tour?

8

What is completing a hole in one stroke under par called?

9

Where should you place a ball marker?

10

When was the first dimpled golf ball invented?

