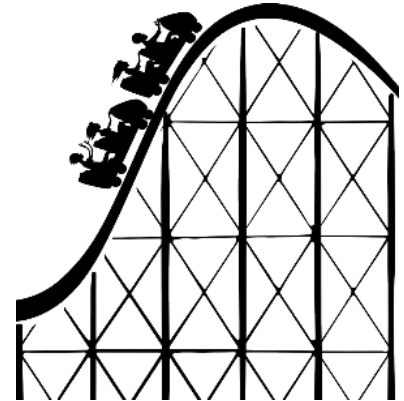


Level 4

Thrill Valley

Come to our brand-new theme park, Thrill Valley! Thrill Valley is only a short 30-minute drive from the centre of town. Our rides and attractions are like nothing you've ever seen before!

Our Lightning Bolt roller coaster is the scariest ride in the country! It has four loops and reaches speeds of up to 150 kilometres per hour. Your legs will be shaking just watching it! The views of the coastline from the top are amazing- if you can keep your eyes open that is! If that's not enough for you, there are 4 more roller coasters in Thrill Valley.



We also have a haunted house with incredibly real looking ghosts and monsters! Our dodgem cars are the fastest around. You'll need to hold on tightly as you thunder around the track.

Feeling hot? The River Rapids ride has got you covered- covered in water! Navigate the rocks and other obstacles as you try to make it to the end. What's waiting for you at the end? We'll keep that a surprise!

You will be sure to build up a monster of an appetite. We have 12 different cafes and restaurants to choose from. Sam's Seafood serves amazing fish and chips, and Rocket Burgers has the best hamburgers in the country. There is something for everyone at Thrill Valley. We also have nightly firework displays, because there's no better way to finish the day than with fireworks!

Do you think you're brave enough to visit us at Thrill Valley? For this week only, we've reduced the price of a single ticket to \$35 and the price of a family ticket (two adults and two children) to only \$90! Thrill Valley- the place where it's impossible to be bored!

Task A: Comprehension

1. What is the purpose of this text?

2. How many roller coasters are in Thrill Valley?

3. List of 5 words the author used to make Thrill Valley seem exciting.

4. Which word from the text means 'dropped'?

5. List 3 facts from the text.

6. List 3 opinions from the text.

7. What kind of people do you think would like to visit Thrill Valley? Explain your answer.

8. Think of some more names for the rides in Thrill Valley! Write them down, remembering to use capitals.

Task B: Language and Grammar

1. **Contractions** are shortened combinations of two or more words. For example:

are + not = aren't

There are **8 contractions** in the text. Find them. Show which words have been joined.

1. _____ + _____ = _____

2. _____ + _____ = _____

3. _____ + _____ = _____

4. _____ + _____ = _____

5. _____ + _____ = _____

6. _____ + _____ = _____

7. _____ + _____ = _____

8. _____ + _____ = _____

2. **Proper nouns** need capital letters. For example, 'theme park' doesn't need a capital, but 'Thrill Valley' does.

Find **4 proper nouns** from the text. Write them below.

Task C: Challenge

Design your own roller coaster. Draw or write.