

**Teach a parent: Today's concept :**  
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# Matter in Motion

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Chapter 5

Draw or have tiny downloads showing the following examples

Force	Unbalanced force
Balanced force	Net force
Weight vs mass	Projectile motion
Different types of friction:	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sci Number: \_\_\_ period: \_\_\_  
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Vocabulary: Section 1 & 2

Word/pg	Definition: Book or your words
motion	_____
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Speed	_____
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▼ *Penny's Puns*

After you finish Chapter 5, give this puzzle a try!

Oh no! Penny Punster's computer mixed up her physical science dictionary with her dictionary of puns. The computer paired the terms related to forces with her goofy definitions, and it paired her pun-related terms with the real definitions. Help Penny unscramble the mismatched pairs and get her dictionaries back in order. The first one has been done for you!

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|---|---|
| _____ c. 1. farce: a push or pull                                       | a. balanced: a ringer on a stick                            |
| _____ 2. grubby tea: force of attraction between objects with mass      | b. newton: used to be nine                                  |
| _____ 3. freak sheen: force opposing motion between touching surfaces   | c. force: slapstick   |
| _____ 4. fellow's city: speed in a particular direction                 | d. fluid: influenza commercial                              |
| _____ 5. sty tic: friction that disappears when an object starts moving | e. motion: lawn-cutting avoidance                           |
| _____ 6. exhilaration: rate at which velocity changes                   | f. gravity: dirty English drink                             |
| _____ 7. mow shun: changing position over time                          | g. velocity: guy's town                                     |
| _____ 8. spyed: rate at which an object moves                           | h. net force: mesh that's ours                              |
| _____ 9. bell lanced: forces producing a net force of zero              | i. static: pigpen twitch                                    |
| _____ 10. net for us: result of combined forces on an object            | j. mass: spiked medieval war club                           |
| _____ 11. wade: measure of the force of gravity on an object            | k. friction: weird shininess                                |
| _____ 12. mace: amount of matter in an object                           | l. acceleration: thrill                                     |
| _____ 13. roe link: friction between wheels and the floor               | m. weight: slowly walk into the water                       |
| _____ 14. Libra can't: reduces friction                                 | n. speed: played secret agent                               |
| _____ 15. flu ad: friction that slows down a swimmer                    | o. sliding: sneaky dent                                     |
| _____ 16. now ten: unit used to express force                           | p. lubricant: the sign between Virgo and Scorpio won't work |
| _____ 17. sly ding: friction that makes brakes work                     | q. rolling: fish egg connection                             |

## ▼ A Weighty Problem

Complete this worksheet after you finish reading Chapter 5, Section 4.  
Pictured below are two measurement devices, A and B.

Weight or Mass?

Weight or Mass?



- Determine whether each device measures *mass* or *weight*, and circle the correct term in each box.
- The following list contains information that relates to either *mass* or *weight*. Write each of the bulleted items in the correct boxes above. Some information may go in more than one box.

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|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• balance</li> <li>• spring scale</li> <li>• measure of gravitational force exerted on an object</li> <li>• amount of matter in an object</li> <li>• constant on Earth</li> <li>• measured in grams</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• changes when gravitational force changes</li> <li>• never changes</li> <li>• expressed in newtons</li> <li>• remains the same when gravitational force changes</li> <li>• six times less on the moon than on Earth</li> </ul> |
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1. On pg 106. Why is lacrosse a good example of physics in action?

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### Section 1: Measuring Motion (pages 108-114)

2. You might think that the motion of an object is easy to detect - you just have to \_\_\_\_\_ the object. But there's more to it than that! You actually must observe the object in relation to another object that appears to \_\_\_\_\_. The object that appears to stay in place is a \_\_\_\_\_. When an object changes position over time, when compared with a reference point, the object is in \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Look at the pictures on the bottom of pg 108. What do they tell you?

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4. Name something in motion that you can't see moving.

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5. Why do we generally calculate average speed?

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6. If you take a walk for 1.5 hours and travel 7.5 km, what is your average speed? \_\_\_\_\_

7. How is velocity different from speed?

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8. What is the equation for acceleration?

9. Match the word with the correct definition by drawing a line to connect the two.

Acceleration  
Deceleration  
Speed  
Velocity

Speed in a given direction  
Rate at which velocity changes  
Rate at which an object moves  
Rate at which velocity decreases

10. A coconut falls from the top of a tree and reaches a velocity of 19.6 m/s when it hits the ground. It takes 2 seconds to reach the ground. What is the coconut's acceleration? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Copy the graph on page 114 into the box below. Then, draw a graph showing deceleration next to it.

<b>Graph Showing Acceleration</b>	<b>Graph Showing Deceleration</b>

Additional section 1 notes:

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### Chapter Tour: Gravity Chapter 5, Section 4 – pages 125-129

1. How does gravity affect motion on the moon?

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2. True or False: All matter experiences gravity, so all objects experience an attraction towards all other objects. Explain:

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3. If all objects are being pulled toward you and each other because of gravity on Earth, why don't you notice objects moving towards one another?

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4. Newton generalized his observations on gravity in a law known as the law of \_\_\_\_\_. The law describes the relationships between gravitational \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_. It is called universal because it applies to all objects in the universe, from the tiniest speck of \_\_\_\_\_ to the largest \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Copy figure 20 into your notebook & include the labels a-c.

6. How does the mass of an object relate to the gravitational force the object exerts on other objects?

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7. How does the distance between objects affect the gravity between them?

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8. What is the difference between mass and weight?

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5. Give an example of the 4 types of friction listed below:

Sliding: \_\_\_\_\_

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Rolling: \_\_\_\_\_

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Fluid: \_\_\_\_\_

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Static: \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Name two ways that friction is harmful and two ways that friction is helpful to you when riding a bicycle.

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Additional section 3 notes:

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### Average Speed in a Pinewood Derby

Determine the average speeds of a Pinewood Derby car.

Cindy and Santiago have just finished building model cars for their school's annual Pinewood Derby. In order to test their cars, Santiago sets Cindy's car at the top of a 240 cm long ramp and releases it. Cindy uses a stopwatch to measure how long it takes the car to reach the bottom of the ramp. The two decide to conduct three trials for each car and then calculate the overall average speeds. Cindy recorded her initial results in the table below.

Cindy's Car

Trial	Time (s)	Average speed (cm/s)
1	8	
2	10	
3	8	

#### The Race Is On!

1. Complete the third column of the chart, and show your work below.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What was the overall average speed of Cindy's car?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Santiago's car has an overall average speed of 25 cm/s. If he could increase his car's overall average speed by 10%, what would his car's new overall average speed be?

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4. By adding lubricant to the wheels of his car, Santiago determines that he can increase his car's average speed to 29.5 cm/s. What percentage increase does this represent?

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**Section 2: What is a force? (pages 115-118)**

12. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a push or pull and is measured with a unit called the \_\_\_\_\_.

13. What are 3 examples of different forces?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

14. Copy figure 8 & figure 9 in the two boxes below – as best you can. Be sure to label the forces.

Fig 8: Forces in the Same Direction	Fig 9: Forces in Different Directions
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15. a) What is the net force when you combine a force of 7 N south with a force of 5 N north? \_\_\_\_\_

b) What is the net force when you combine a force of 15 N east with a force of 22 N east? \_\_\_\_\_

	Definition	Produces a change in motion?	Example
Balanced Forces			
Unbalanced Forces			

Vocabulary: Section 3&4

Word/pg	Definition: Book or your words
friction	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
gravity	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
weight	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
mass	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____

**Friction: Chapter 5, Section 3 – pages 119-124**

1. Read the top two paragraphs on page 119. “The painful difference between sliding on grass & sliding on pavement has to do with \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Friction is a \_\_\_\_\_ that opposes \_\_\_\_\_ between two \_\_\_\_\_ that are touching.”
3. What causes friction (figure 11)?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Name two ways in which friction can be increased.

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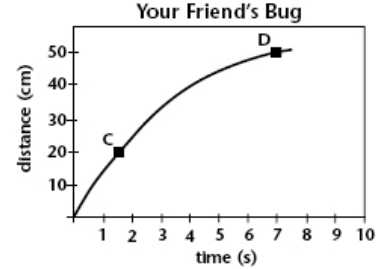
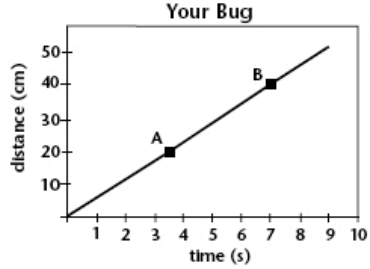
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▼ **Bug Race**

Complete this worksheet after you finish reading Chapter 5, Section 1. You and a friend are having a bug race. You measure the distance your pet bugs travel along a straight race track and record their time as they race. The results are plotted in the graphs below. Take a look at the two graphs. Then answer the questions that follow.



1. Look at Point A. What distance has your bug traveled so far? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How long did it take your bug to travel that distance? \_\_\_\_\_
3. To determine your bug's average speed while traveling from the starting line to Point A, divide the distance traveled by the time it took to travel that distance:  
 average speed =  $\frac{\text{distance traveled}}{\text{elapsed time}}$  = \_\_\_\_\_
4. Now look at Point B. What is the distance from Point A to Point B? \_\_\_\_\_
5. How long did it take your bug to travel from Point A to Point B? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Calculate your bug's average speed from Point A to Point B.  
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7. Compare the graphs of your bug and your friend's bug. Which bug was traveling at a constant speed? Explain.  
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Additional section 2 notes:

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## Motion Math

Be sure to put the units &  
SHOW WORK for full credit

Solve the following problems. Show all your work and attach additional paper if necessary. Write the formulas in the provided boxes to help. Remember to include the correct units.

Speed Formula:

### Speed & Average Speed

1. Nascar driver, Jeff Gordon, has a car that is one of the fastest on the circuit. If it travels 600 miles in 4 hours, what is his cruising speed?
2. The fastest car on Earth, a German-made Thrust SSC, would win every Nascar race in America. If it takes 0.5 hours (30 minutes) to travel 380 miles, what is its speed?
3. The fastest train on Earth, the TGV from France, can travel at faster speeds than trains in the United States. During a speed test, the train traveled 800 miles in 2.5 hours. What is its speed?
4. How fast was a plane flying if it traveled 400 km in 30 min?
5. A Hummer travels at a speed of 50 mi/hr for 4 hrs. How far did the car travel?
6. The fastest plane ever made, the Lockheed SR71, was able to travel 2200 miles per hour. Based on this speed, how far could it travel in:
  - a. 2 hours?
  - b. 3 hours?
  - c. 5 hours?

Velocity Formula:

### Velocity

7. A car traveled 1025 km from El Paso to Dallas in 13.5 hr. What was its average velocity?
8. A student walks 10 blocks to a computer store (Assume all the blocks are equal length.)
  - a. How long will it take him to reach the computer store if he walks 3 blocks in 2 min?
  - b. What is his average velocity?
9. A cheetah runs at a velocity of 88 ft/sec for 40 seconds. How far does this cheetah run?

Acceleration Formula:

### Acceleration

10. Twenty seconds after a soccer ball is kicked (initial velocity = 0), its velocity is 32 m/s. What is its acceleration?
11. A driver starts his parked car and within 1 minute reaches a velocity of 30 mph as he travels east. What is his acceleration?

### Random – Find the missing variable

12.  $V = 40 \text{ mi/hr}$   $t = 3 \text{ hrs}$   $D = ?$
13.  $A = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$   $t = 3 \text{ hr}$   $V = ?$
14.  $t = 5 \text{ hr}$   $d = 100 \text{ m}$   $V = ?$
15.  $V = 100 \text{ mi/hr}$   $d = 400 \text{ mi}$   $t = ?$