

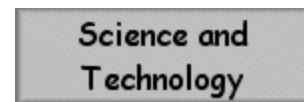
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1. Click on the icon titled **Grade 3** door.



2. Click on the icon titled **Science and Technology**.

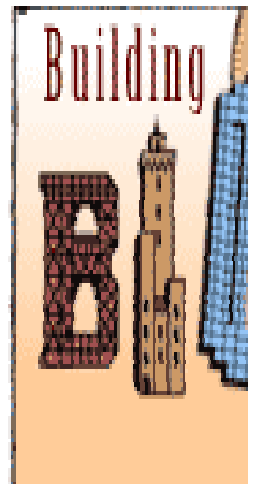


3. Click on the link titled **Skyscrapers** found in the **Strong and Stable Structures** column .



4. Click on the link titled **Skyscraper Basics**. Read the paragraph below and fill in the blanks with the **correct word** from the list below.

The term "skyscraper" was coined in the 1880s, shortly after the first tall buildings were \_\_\_\_\_ in the United States but the history of tall \_\_\_\_\_ dates back hundreds of years. Since the Middle Ages, \_\_\_\_\_ have engaged in a battle for the sky. Before there were skyscrapers, there were \_\_\_\_\_. Made of heavy stone towers had thick, \_\_\_\_\_ walls, but the rooms were dark and cramped and too many windows would have weakened the \_\_\_\_\_.



engineers buildings constructed sturdy towers structure



5. Click on the link titled **Skyscrapers** found in the main menu at the top left hand part of the web page. Click on a link that identifies each skyscraper. **Read** about each skyscraper. **Note** a few key points about each skyscraper's **features**.

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2. \_\_\_\_\_



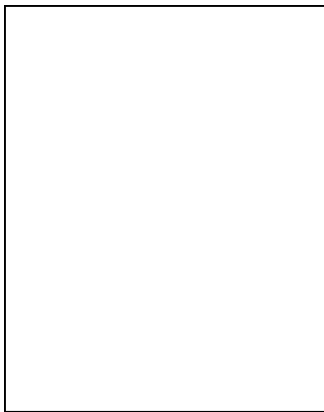
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4. \_\_\_\_\_



5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Draw a picture of a brand new skyscraper. Describe some of its key features.



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