



## **Answer Key for Bonus Handouts**

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#### **Comprehension Check: A True Insect**

"Meet the Beetles" ● pp. 13–17

1. False: There are 350,000 beetle species.
2. True
3. False: They have six.
4. True
5. True

#### **Comprehension Plus: Beetle Basics**

"Meet the Beetles" ● pp. 13–17

1. skeleton on the outside of an animal's body
2. Possible answers: plants, leaves, bark, wood, nuts, dung, animal remains
3. A ladybug's red-and-black wings warn birds that the bug is bitter.
4. Some beetles eat plant pests.

#### **Comprehension Check: Awesome Asteroids**

"Asteroids Rock" ● pp. 18–23

1. Earth was hit by asteroids not too long ago.
2. They are in the asteroid belt, between Mars and Jupiter.
3. It would be smaller than the moon.
4. We would use a spacecraft as a tractor. It would pull the rock away.