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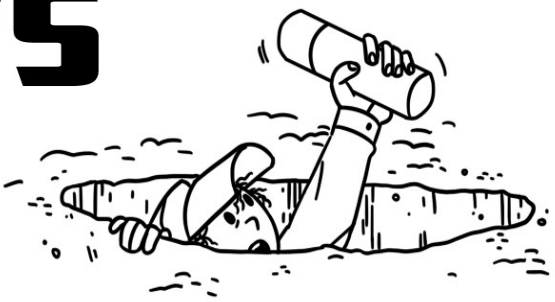
## Vocabulary

# HOLES

**Chapters 7 - 13**



**Match each vocabulary word from the story *Holes* to the correct definition on the right. Write the letter on the line.**

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| _____ | **1.** | compacted | **a.** | the remains of an animal or plant that lived long ago |
| _____ | **2.** | excavated | **b.** | the cloth that covers a couch, chair, or other furniture |
| _____ | **6.** | upholstery | **f.** | closely and firmly joined together |
| _____ | **7.** | scowled | **g.** | not having a goal or purpose |
| _____ | **8.** | aimlessly | **h.** | to dig out and remove dirt or soil |
| _____ | **9.** | sifted | **i.** | to succeed in doing something |
| _____ | **10.** | fossil | **j.** | frowned angrily |

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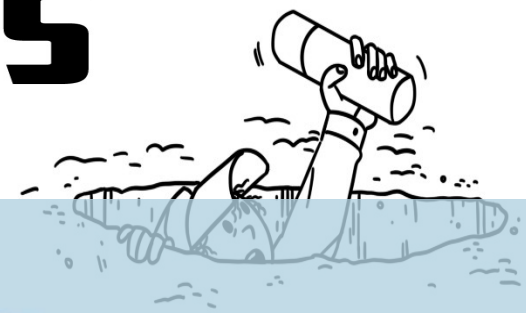

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| h | 2. | … | b. | the clo… …r c… …s a couch, chair, or other fu… |
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