

Going for the Gold

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Circle each adjective in the story.

Write each adjective and the noun it describes on the lines.
The first one has been done for you.

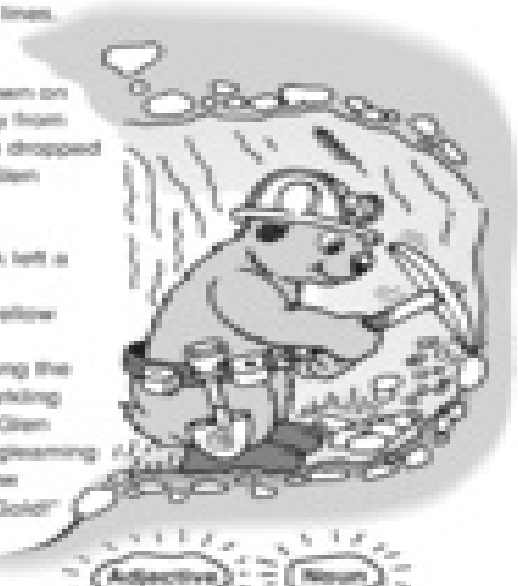
Green swung the heavy pick. The pick smashed down on the shiny rock. Green squealed as tiny bits broke away from the rock. Glen grabbed the shiny golden pieces. Green dropped the pick and aimed her flashlight beam at the rocks. Glen studied the glimmering fragments.

"Do you think it's real gold?" Green asked.

Glen scraped a rock along a gray boulder. The rock left a black streak.

"It's not actual gold," Glen sighed. "Gold leaves a yellow streak."

Next, Green chose a massive brown rock. She swung the awkward pick against the huge rock. It shattered. Sparking yellow nuggets covered the dusty ground. Green and Glen picked up the glimmering lumps. They each scraped a gleaming chunk along the rocky wall. As they stared at the yellow streaks on the wall, the astonished miners shouted, "Gold!"



Adjective

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1. heavy pick _____
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