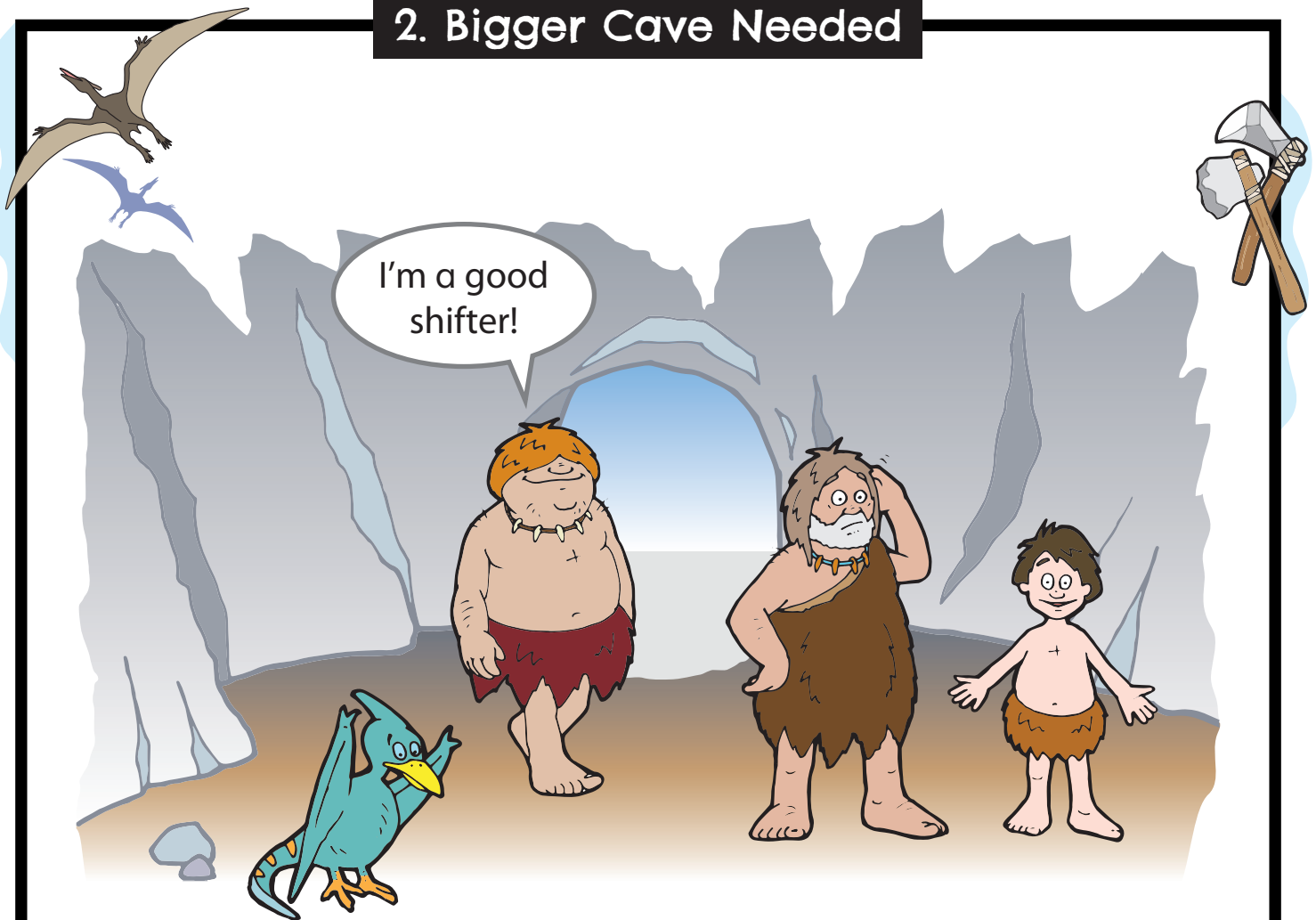


## 2. Bigger Cave Needed



"We'll have to look for a bigger cave," said Dad.

"Why don't we extend?" said Axel. "We could make our own cave bigger."

"That might just work," agreed Dad. "That's good thinking.

You are a good thinker, Axel. Now let's see if you are a good grafter."

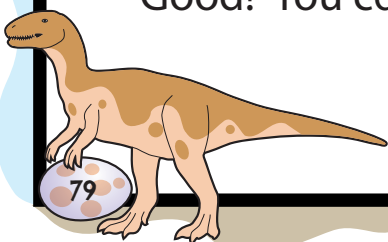
"I'm a very hard worker," said Axel.

"I will dig the rock and you can remove it," said Dad.

"I will be the cave digger and you can be the rock remover."

"I'll help you shift the rock," said Sol coming into the cave.

"Good! You can be the rock shifter," said Dad.





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Using the underlined verb make a noun by adding 'er'.  
(The first one has been done for you.)

(Numbers 2 and 6 will need the last consonant to be doubled.)

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- 3 Sol shifted the rocks out of the cave. He was the best .....
- 4 Luna said she would sweep the cave. She was the .....
- 5 Dusk cleaned the cave when it was finished. She was the .....
- 6 Mum had to babysit baby Tuft. She was the .....
- 7 When it was finished Axel ainted the new room. He was the best .....

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Can you make other nouns from verbs by adding 'er'?





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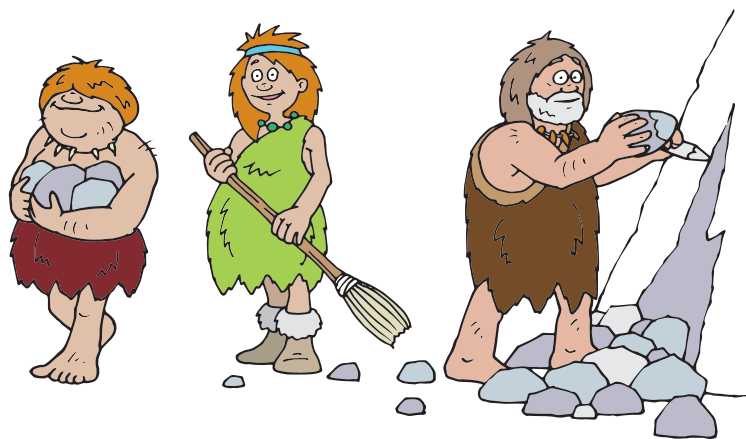
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