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Car Facts

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Before Reading

- Look at the title and contents. What kinds of extreme cars do you think will be in this book?
- Discuss:
 - What makes a car 'extreme'?
 - Have you ever seen a strange or unusual car?
- What would your dream car be like?

During Reading

- After each section, talk about:
 - What's extreme or unusual about this car or fact?
 - Would you want to ride in or drive it? Why or why not?
 - Is it based on real science, technology, or design?

After Reading

Group discussion

- Which car fact amazed you the most?
- What new things did you learn about how cars work?
- What would the future of cars look like if you were in charge?

Activities

1. Design an Extreme Car

- Create your own extreme car using ideas from the book or your imagination.
- Draw the car and label its features.
- Write a short paragraph explaining what makes it special.

2. Car Fact Detective

- Choose 3–5 chapters and write one fun fact from each.
- Find out which fact surprised you the most.
- Share your facts with a partner and quiz each other!

3. Extreme Car Timeline

- Use the chapters to make a timeline of car inventions and designs.
- Start with the first cars and end with flying cars.
- Include a picture and fact for each point on the timeline.