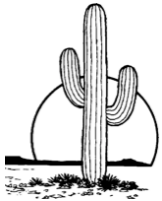


# ARIZONA'S 5 C'S

The 5 C's are a *mnemonic*\*—a phrase or idea that helps you remember something—for the most important parts of Arizona's economy during the state's development. From the time Arizona was a U.S. territory, through statehood in 1912, and into the 20<sup>th</sup> century, these industries attracted people to the area, provided jobs, and served as the foundation for towns and communities. Although Arizona's economy is changing, the 5 C's are still an important part of our state heritage.

Do you know what the 5 C's are? Circle the correct pictures. Use the hints and fill-in-the-blanks at the bottom to check your answers!



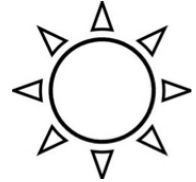
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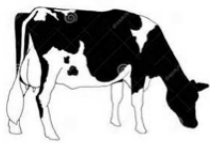
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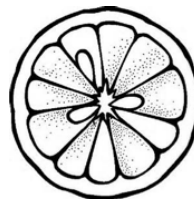
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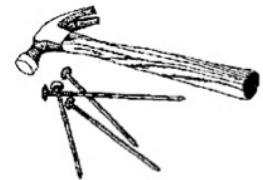
Cattle



Coyotes



Citrus



Construction



College



Copper



Cowboys



Canyons

**Agriculture** (or **farming**) has long been an important industry in Arizona, particularly because of these two crops:

C \_\_\_\_\_

C \_\_\_\_\_

**Mining** has long played a big role in Arizona's economy, especially because of this mineral:

C \_\_\_\_\_

**Ranching** is the running of a large farm for raising horses, sheep, or these animals:

C \_\_\_\_\_

This is mild and sunny here, which is important for the **tourism** industry, as well as agriculture:

C \_\_\_\_\_

\*Mnemonic is pronounced ne-MON-ic...the 'm' is silent!