Bridges

- 1. Define the following terms:
 - a. Bridge
 - **b.** Aqueduct
 - **c.** Falsework
 - **d.** Compression force
 - e. Tension force
 - f. Bascule bridge
 - **g.** Covered bridge
- 2. Describe these six main types of bridge design and give two examples of each:
 - a. Arch bridge
 - **b.** Beam bridge
 - **c.** Cable-stayed bridge
 - **d.** Cantilever bridge
 - e. Suspension bridge
 - **f.** Truss bridge
- 3. Name the bridge design that can span the longest distance.
- **4.** Do two of the following activities:
 - a. Make a list of at least eight notable bridges that you have crossed.
 - **b.** Name two bridges that you have crossed and tell what design they are.
 - **c.** Watch a video about bridges.
 - **d.** Make a video or Powerpoint presentation about the bridge(s) you have visited.
 - **e.** Build a bridge on a piece of cardboard using materials such as popsicle sticks, toothpicks, yarn, thread, and glue.
- 5. Name each of the following bridge designs:
- **6.** Recite John 3:16, then tell how this verse describes Jesus' role as a bridge between heaven and earth.

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