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Match the Compound Nouns

A. Instructions: Read the definitions of these compound words. Use the words in the bank to create the correct compound words that match the definitions. You may use words more than once.

cake	chair	chop	coffee	fruit	full
hand	lip	man	moon	mug	pan
shake	snow	spoon	stick	tea	wheel

- _____ A breakfast food made on the stovetop.
- _____ A wintery creation that looks like a person.
- _____ A common utensil in Asian cuisine.
- _____ A cup used to enjoy a hot beverage.
- _____ A tasty holiday treat.
- _____ A small measurement in a recipe.
- _____ A polite way to greet someone.
- _____ A type of makeup worn on the mouth.
- _____ The monthly time when the entire moon is visible.
- _____ A way for people to get around when they can't walk.



B. Instructions: See if you know which words match the following descriptions. They're not in the word bank!

- _____ A small tool to dislodge food from your teeth.
- _____ A predatory animal that shakes its tail to warn enemies.
- _____ It falls down your face when you are crying.
- _____ Where you go after middle school.
- _____ America's national sport.

Answer Key: Match the Compound Nouns

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1. pancake A breakfast food made on the stovetop.
2. snowman A wintery creation that looks like a person.
3. chopstick A common utensil in Asian cuisine.
4. coffee mug A cup used to enjoy a hot beverage.
5. fruitcake A tasty holiday treat.
6. teaspoon A small measurement in a recipe.
7. handshake A polite way to greet someone.
8. lipstick A type of makeup worn on the mouth.
9. full moon The monthly time when the entire moon is visible.
10. wheelchair A way for people to get around when they can't walk.

B. Instructions: See if you know which words match the following descriptions. They're not in the word bank!

1. toothpick A small tool to dislodge food from your teeth.
2. rattlesnake A predatory animal that shakes its tail to warn enemies.
3. teardrop It falls down your face when you are crying.
4. high school Where you go after middle school.
5. baseball America's national sport.