

FOCUS ON ***BUILDING TUNNELS***

1. Write a letter to a friend describing what you learned about the Chunnel.
2. Do you think engineers should continue to design tunnels that take a long time and millions of dollars to build? Why or why not?
3. What technology was introduced to tunnel building during the 1600s?
 - A. gunpowder
 - B. dynamite
 - C. tunnel-boring machines
4. When does the cut-and-cover method work best?
 - A. for tunnels in mountainous areas
 - B. for tunnels deep in the ground
 - C. for tunnels close to the surface

Answer Key:

1. Answers will vary
2. Answers will vary
3. A
4. C