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FOCUS ON **INDY CARS**

1. Write a sentence explaining the main ideas of Chapter 2.
2. Do you think Indy car drivers should be allowed to use a different chassis? Why or why not?
3 What creates downforce on an Indy car?

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 - A. radiator
 - **B.** air foils
 - C. turbocharged engines
- 4. What might happen if Indy cars did not have fuel cells?
 - **A.** Crashes would be more dangerous.
 - **B.** The cars would not be able to go as fast.
 - **C.** Drivers would have to make more pit stops.

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- **5.** What does **publicity** mean in this book?
 - **A.** money
 - **B.** new cars
 - C. attention

In 1911, the carmakers held a long race to attract more **publicity**. They wanted people to see their newest car models.

- **6.** What does **spectators** mean in this book?
 - A. loud noises that people make
 - **B.** people who watch something
 - C. the places where people sit

In the stands, nearly 400,000 **spectators** cheer wildly. For a moment, the crowd is louder than the engines.

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Answer Key:

- 1. Answers will vary
- 2. Answers will vary
- **3**. B
- **4.** A
- **5**. C
- **6.** B