

# Using Details to Support the Main Idea

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Write an **X** next to each sentence that includes a detail about the main idea.

Main Idea: **The Earth has many different kinds of violent weather.**

**X**

1. The largest storms are called hurricanes.

2. My grandmother doesn't like ice and snow.

3. The winds on Mars are very powerful.

**X**

4. Tornadoes are the most destructive storms.

**X**

5. Hailstones can cause a great deal of damage.

6. It is fun to collect hailstones after a storm.

**X**

7. Lightning can strike buildings and even people.

**X**

8. A thunderstorm can cause widespread flooding.

**X**

9. Blizzards can shut down roads and force people to stay indoors.

10. We put a rain gauge in our yard to measure rainfall.

Write 3 details to support the main idea: **Computers can be good learning tools.**

**Detail #1:**

answers will vary

**Detail #2:**

answers will vary

**Detail #3:**

answers will vary