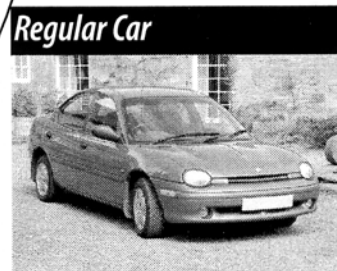
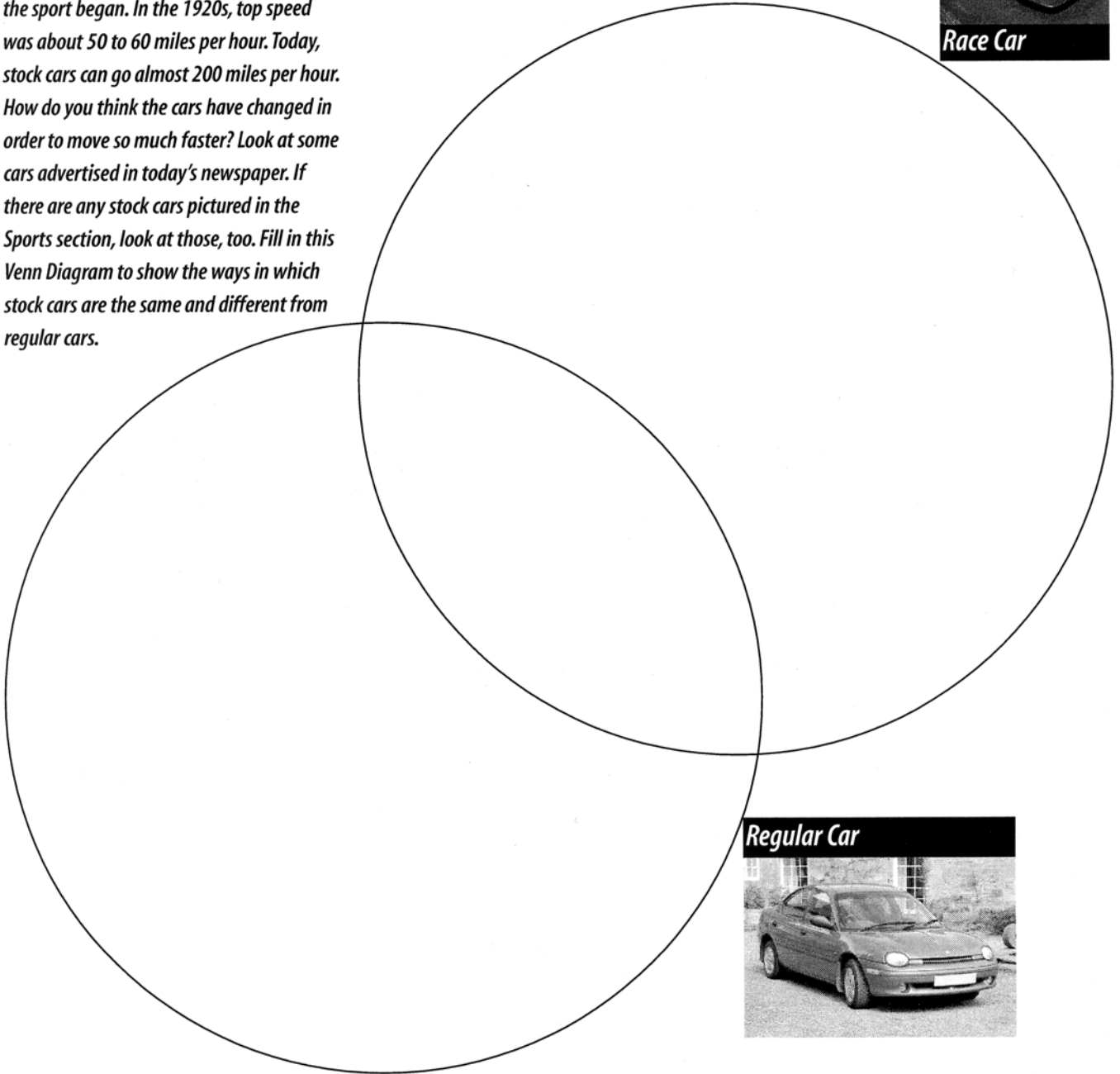


# START YOUR ENGINES

NASCAR stands for the National Association of Stock Car Auto Racing. This organization sets rules for racing and organizes the sport. Racecars have changed a great deal since the sport began. In the 1920s, top speed was about 50 to 60 miles per hour. Today, stock cars can go almost 200 miles per hour. How do you think the cars have changed in order to move so much faster? Look at some cars advertised in today's newspaper. If there are any stock cars pictured in the Sports section, look at those, too. Fill in this Venn Diagram to show the ways in which stock cars are the same and different from regular cars.



Race Car



Regular Car

STUDENT ACTIVITY SHEET

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