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- B false



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- A true
- B false



4 **A supporting detail** helps the reader know more about the main idea.

- A true
- B false



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- A have to be trimmed.
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- C Trimming trees can be done by anyone.
- D Dead tree limbs can break off during storms.

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People in cities should only live in apartments. **A supporting detail** for this idea is "there is not enough room in most cities for each family to have a house with a yard."

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