

A Geographer's World

Vocabulary Builder

Section 3

cartography

human geography

hydrology

meteorology

physical geography

DIRECTIONS Read each sentence and fill in the blank with the word in the word pair that best completes the sentence.

1. _____ is the study of weather and what causes it.
(**cartography/meteorology**)
2. Geographers might study _____ if they wanted to know how Victoria Falls formed. (**physical geography/human geography**)
3. Without _____, geographers would not be able to use maps to study where things are in the world. (**cartography/meteorology**)
4. The study of Earth's people, including their ways of life, homes, cities, beliefs, and customs is called _____.
(**physical geography/human geography**)
5. Studying the world's river systems and how to protect the world's water supply are important parts of _____. (**hydrology/meteorology**)

DIRECTIONS Look up the vocabulary terms in the word bank in a dictionary. Write the dictionary definition of the word that is closest to the definition used in your textbook.
