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**Chapter 9 Lesson 1**

*Page 330 and 331 Mountains, Hills, and Plains*

* Read the focus skill, keep this in mind when reading this section.
* Before reading, match each term below with the definition you think it matches to.
* Read this section with your partner.
* While reading, fix any incorrect definition matches.
* After reading, answer the questions below

1. \_\_\_\_\_ landform
2. \_\_\_\_\_ topography
3. \_\_\_\_\_ mountain
4. \_\_\_\_\_ hill
5. \_\_\_\_\_ plain
6. \_\_\_\_\_ relief
7. All the kinds of landforms in a certain area
8. Large, flat landform
9. Landform that is much higher than the surrounding land
10. A natural land shape or feature
11. Difference in elevation between high and low places
12. Landforms that are a little higher than the surrounding land
13. Compare and contrast the Rocky Mountains and the Appalachian Mountains.

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1. What is a mountain range?

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1. Do you think the Rocky Mountains will one day look more like the Appalachian Mountains? Why or why not?

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1. How are volcanoes different from other mountains?

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1. How do hills compare to mountains?

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1. What are the Great Plains?

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*Page 332 Landforms from Ice*

* Read the focus skill. Keep this in mind when reading this section.
* Read the section independently.
* After reading, answer the questions below.

1. What is a glacier?

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1. How is a moraine different from an ordinary hill?

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1. How can you tell a moraine apart from an ordinary hill?

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1. What is a glacial groove?

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1. Where do you think you could find glaciers today?

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*Page 333 Landforms of Sand*

* Read the focus skill. Keep this in mind when reading this section.
* Read the section as a class.
* While reading, answer the questions below.

1. Why do you think landforms of sand are more easily changed than landforms of rock?

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1. What is a sand dune?

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1. How do sand spits and barrier islands form?

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1. Why are sand spits and barrier islands important?

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1. How does a sandbar form?

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1. Florida, Texas, New Jersey, and some other coastal states have barrier islands. What might happen to the coastline if there were no barrier islands?

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*Page 334 Landforms from Water*

* Read the focus skill. Keep this in mind when reading this section.
* Read the section with your partner.
* After reading, answer the questions below.

1. What is a mesa?

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1. How does a mesa form?

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1. What is a canyon?

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1. How do you think a canyon forms?

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1. Do you think the Grand Canyon will get deeper? Explain your answer.

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1. If water were still present in Monument Valley, what type of landform do you think the mesas would be?

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