

Vocabulary: A vocabulary quiz will be given the day before the chapter test. You will have to match the definition with the correct vocabulary word.

1. Desert: An environment that has a dry climate
2. Wetland: An environment where water covers the soil for most of the year
3. Forest: An environment that has many trees
4. Ocean: A large body of salt water
5. Camouflage: Blending into one's environment
6. Nocturnal: Animals that are active at night
7. Mimicry: When one living thing imitates another in color or shape
8. Hibernate: To go into a deep sleep
9. Migrate: To move from one place to another
10. Natural disaster: A natural event that causes destruction in an environment
11. Species: A kind of organism
12. Exotic species: Species that are new to an environment
13. Invasive species: An exotic species that cannot be easily controlled
14. Pollution: What happens when harmful materials get into the air, land, or water
15. Population: All the members of one species in an environment
16. Thriving: When an organism is not in danger of dying out
17. Threatened: When an organism may become rare in the near future
18. Endangered: When there are only a few living members of the species left
19. Fossil: Remains of organisms that lived long ago
20. Extinct: When there are no members of the species left alive