**Vocabulary Study Guide – List 5**

Vocabulary: A vocabulary quiz will be given at the end of the chapter. You will have to match the definition with the correct vocabulary word.

*(Don’t forget to look on the back.)*

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| 1. Solar system | 1. a star and the objects that move around it |
| 1. Planet | 1. a large body of rock or gas with a nearly-round shape that revolves, or moves, around a star |
| 1. Moon | 1. an object that revolves around a planet |
| 1. Sun | 1. the star at the center of our solar system |
| 1. Orbit | 1. the nearly circular path of an object as it revolves |
| 1. Revolve | 1. to move around something |
| 1. Rotate | 1. to turn or spin |
| 1. Inner Planets | 1. solid planets made up of rocky material that are closest to the sun - Mercury, Venus, Earth, and Mars |
| 1. Outer Planets | 1. giant planets made up of mostly gases that are farther from the sun – Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune |
| 1. Crater | 1. a hollow area, or pit, in the ground |
| 1. Landform | 1. a feature on Earth’s surface |
| 1. Clingman’s Dome | 1. the tallest landform in TN |
| 1. Plateau | 1. land with steep sides and a flat top that is taller than the land around it |
| 1. Peninsula | 1. land surrounded by water on 3 sides |
| 1. Coast | 1. land that borders the ocean |
| 1. Lake | 1. water that is surrounded by land on all sides |
| 1. River | 1. a large body of moving water |
| 1. Continental Shelf | 1. a huge underwater plateau at the edge of a continent |
| 1. Abyssal Plain | 1. a wide, flat area on the ocean floor that can stretch thousands of kilometers |
| 1. Trench | 1. a canyon found on the ocean floor |