**Vocabulary Study Guide**

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.

1. Solar system: a star and the objects that move around it
2. Planet: a large body of rock or gas with a nearly-round shape that revolves, or moves, around a star
3. Moon: an object that revolves around a planet
4. Sun: the star at the center of our solar system
5. Orbit: the nearly circular path of an object as it revolves
6. Ocean: a large body of salt water
7. Continent: a great area of land on Earth
8. Landform: a feature on Earth’s surface
9. Mineral: a solid nonliving substance found in nature
10. Rock: a nonliving material made of one or more minerals
11. Igneous rock: rock formed when melted rock cools and hardens
12. Sedimentary rock: a kind of rock that forms from layers of sediment
13. Metamorphic rock: a rock that has been changed by heating and squeezing
14. Recycle: to turn old things into new things
15. Natural resources: useful materials we get from nature
16. Renewable: can be replaced or used again and again
17. Nonrenewable: cannot be replaced or reused easily
18. Conservation: using natural resources wisely