Glossary

**aesthetic** (es th|ik): Of or relating to beauty or what is beautiful.

**altitude sickness** (al tō t(y)ūd sik nəs): The effects (as headache, nausea, or swelling of the brain) of oxygen deficiency in the blood and tissues developed at high altitudes having reduced atmospheric pressure.

**analyze** (a nə liz): Separating something into its parts in order to examine them.

**ecosystem services** (ē kō sēs təm sər vəs is): Environmental health benefits provided by a community of plant and animal species.

**encompass** (in kəm pəs): To include.

**exemplify** (ig zem plə fī): To serve as an example of.

**habitation** (ha bə tā shən): The act of living in a place.

**intrigue** (in trēg): To arouse the interest or curiosity of.

**manipulation** (mə ni pyə lā shən): An action that moves or controls something by hand or by using a machine.

**mass media** (mas mēd ē ə): A means of communication, such as newspapers, magazines, and online communication, that reaches a wide variety of people.

**primeval** (prī mē vəl): Very old or ancient.

**primitive** (pri mə tiv): Original. Natural areas with no development.

**remote** (ri mōt): Far away or secluded.

**rugged** (rəd): Having a rough, uneven surface.

**solitude** (sā lō tūd): The quality or state of being alone or remote from society.

**untrammeled** (un tra məld): Unrestrained; free.

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If you are a Project Learning Tree-trained educator, you may also use the following activities as an added resource: “400-Acre Wood,” “Loving It Too Much.”