

Glossary

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

altitude sickness (**al** tə t(y)üd **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 **līz**): Separating something into its parts in order to examine them.

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

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

exemplify (ig **zəm** 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 (**rəg** əd): Having a rough, uneven surface.

solitude (**sä** lə tüd): The quality or state of being alone or remote from society.

untrammeled (un **tra** məl[d]): Unrestrained; free.

Accented syllables are in **bold**.
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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.”