

Introduction to Earth Science ▪ *Key Terms*

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Answer the questions by writing the correct Key Terms in the blanks. Use the numbered letters in the terms to find the hidden Key Term. Then write the definition for the hidden Key Term.

Clues

Key Terms

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| 1. Using one or more of your senses to gather information | _____
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| 2. A way of learning about the world | _____
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| 3. The one variable that is purposely changed to test a hypothesis | _____

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| 4. Scientist who studies the solar system, stars, and galaxies | _____

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| 5. Scientist who studies the characteristics of rocks and the forces that have shaped Earth | _____
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| 6. A well-tested explanation for a wide range of observations or experimental results | _____

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| 7. Factors that can change in an experiment | _____
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| 8. A possible explanation | _____
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| 9. How people change the world around them to meet their needs and solve practical problems | _____
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| 10. The science concerned with Earth and its place in the universe | _____
12 13
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Key Term: _____
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13

Definition:

