

**Vocabulary:  
Landforms & Bodies of Water**

Vocabulary Word	Definition & Examples
<p><b>hills</b></p>	<p><b>Def'n</b> - high places that rise at least 500-2,000 ft. above the surrounding land.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• South America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• Asia Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> </ul>
<p><b>mountains</b></p>	<p><b>Def'n</b> - high places that rise more than 2,000 ft. above the surrounding land.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• South America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• Asia Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> </ul>
<p><b>plateau</b></p>	<p><b>Def'n</b> - level highlands that are bordered on at least one side by a sharp rise or drop in elevation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• South America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• Asia Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> </ul>
<p><b>plains</b></p>	<p><b>Def'n</b> - lowlands less than 500 ft., may be flat or gently rolling.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• South America Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <li>• Asia Ex:</li> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> </ul>