# Part 5 Ice Ages, Glaciers, Landforms

Name:

Part 5 Lesson 1 Glaciers



Glacier- A moving mass of snow and ice that moves \_\_\_\_\_.

Glaciers form when more snow and ice a\_\_\_\_\_\_ than melt. It takes many years and the snowfall compacts into ice.

Crevasse: A \_\_\_\_\_ in an ice sheet or glacier.

How do glaciers form?



## Two types of glaciers

-\_\_\_\_\_ Glaciers: A Giant ice sheet that spreads out from a center of accumulation.

-\_\_\_\_\_ Glaciers: A glacier that starts in a mountain and moves into a valley.

### Which is an alpine and which is a continental glacier. Why?



\_ – A giant piece of freshwater ice that broke off of a glacier or ice shelf.

Use the map below to describe the Laurentide Ice Sheet in North America between 95,000 and 20,000 years ago. Please draw the extent of the massive ice sheet. Can you include lines showing the decrease in sea-level



Ice Age: A \_\_\_\_\_\_ period marked by episodes of extensive glaciation alternating with episodes of relative \_\_\_\_\_.



### Part 5 Lesson 3 Milankovitch Cycles

Why do ice ages occur? Think Milankovitch! Use the visuals below to help you for a response.



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- Fewer sun spots = less solar radiation.
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### Part 5 Lesson 4 Glacial Landforms I

Glacial \_\_\_\_\_: A piece of rock carried by glacial ice some distance from the rock outcrop from which it came.

Piles of weathered glacial \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_: Manmade pile of stones, usually conical, and often marks the path of an alpine trail.

Glacial \_\_\_\_\_: Multiple, straight \_\_\_\_\_ lines which represent the movement of the sediment loaded base of a glacier.

\_\_\_\_-Shaped Valley: Glaciers carve valleys into a U shape.

\_: U-Shaped valley near the \_\_\_\_\_

Lake: A body of water with origins from glacier activity.

They are formed when the glacier erodes the land and then melts, filling the depression.

: A depression filled with water left by a glacier.

## Part 5 Lesson 5 Glacial Landforms II



\_\_\_\_\_: A glacial \_\_\_\_\_ produced by scouring. These are often found in cirques.

\_\_\_\_\_: A sharp peak on a mountain cut by glaciers.

: A steep-sided carve into a mountain by a glacier.

\_\_\_\_\_: A knife \_\_\_\_\_ caused by glaciers and erosion.

Roche Mountonnée: Exposed rock with a gently sloping upstream side that has been \_\_\_\_\_\_ and polished by a glacier and an abrupt, \_\_\_\_\_\_ downstream side.

\_\_\_\_\_: A narrow, steep-sided \_\_\_\_\_\_ of sediment, the remains of sediment piling up in a winding river under the glacier.

\_\_\_\_\_: Material \_\_\_\_\_ by a glacier and then deposited. Many types of Moraines.

Which is a lateral moraine, medial moraine and which is a terminal moraine / end moraine?



### Part 5 Lesson 6 Glacial Landforms Quiz and Wrap-Up

\_\_\_\_\_: Ridge of rock jutting from the side of a glacial trough, or valley.

\_\_\_\_\_: Formed glacial till (sediment). They are \_\_\_\_\_\_ features that can reach a kilometer or more in length.

\_\_\_\_\_: Material deposited by the \_\_\_\_\_\_ -laden glacial valley.

## Name the Glacial Landform 1-10



Please identify and <u>then describe</u> the specific type of the glacial landforms below. In some questions there may be more than one can be identified.





Quiz 1-20 Name the Glacial Feature most represented in the photo. Glacial landforms can be used more than once.

<ul> <li>Keep an eye out for the owl (+1pt) secretly write owl after your answer.</li> </ul>				
1)	2)	3)	4)	
5)	6)	7)	8)	
9)	10)	11)	12)	
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17)	18)	19)	20)	
Bonus	Bonus			

### Notes from Videos

 <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HEStq4VYJ2Y&list=RDCMUCBOBwExgkuaH</u> <u>OIIY\_ffb3MQ&index=6</u>



Circle words associated with soil, weathering, ice ages, and glaciers. 30+ can be found! They can go forward and backwards.

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#17 Across – Unit of time during the last ice age. Many large mammals existed during this epoch.

## Across

2. U-Shaped valley near the sea

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8. A glacial lake produced by scouring. These are often found in cirques.

9. Glaciers form when more snow and ice \_\_\_\_\_\_ than melt. It takes many years

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4. A steep-sided carve into a mountain by a glacier.

5. \_\_\_\_\_ Lake : A depression filled with water left by a glacier.

7. Glacial Striations: Multiple, straight \_\_\_\_\_\_ lines which represent the movement of the sediment loaded base of a

glacier.

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------Teacher can remove this word bank to make puzzle more challenging---------

## **Possible Answers**

ALPINE, ARET'E, CIRQUE, COMPACTS, CONTINENTAL, DRUMLIN, ESKER, FJORD, GLACIER, HORN, ICEAGE, ICEBERG, KETTLE, MAUNDER, MILANKOVITCH, MORAINE, OUTWASH, PARALLEL, PLEISTOCENE, TARN, VALLEY, ACCUMULATE, ERRATIC, MEGAFAUNA

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## Ice Ages, Glaciers, Landforms Part 4 Ice Ages, Glaciers, Glacial Landforms

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Glaciers form when more snow and ice accumulate than melt. It takes many years and the snowfall compacts into ice.

• Two types of glaciers

- -Continental Glaciers: A Giant ice sheet that spreads out from a center of accumulation.
- -Alpine Glaciers: A glacier that starts in a mountain and moves into a valley.

Iceberg – A giant piece of freshwater ice that broke off of a glacier or ice shelf.

Ice Age: A cold period marked by episodes of extensive glaciation alternating with episodes of relative warmth.

Which is an alpine and which is a continental glacier.



Please discuss how this rock arrived at this position. Why is it shaped the way it is?



#### Answer=

Glacial erratic: A piece of rock carried by glacial ice some distance from the rock outcrop from which it came. The glacier carried the boulder and then it gently came to rest as the ice around it melted. It is shaped the way it is because it the glaciers moves the rock through the sediment load wearing away one side. The rock flips and then theothers side becomes chiseled.

Please name some of the ice age mammals below.			
A=Wooly Mammoth	B=N. American Cheetah	C=Dire Wolf	
D=Mastadon	E=N. American Horses	F=N. American Camel	
G=Giant Sloth	H=Smilodon / Saber toothed	Other? Stag Moose, Condor	
	Cat		



Why do ice ages occur? Think Milankovitch! Use the visuals below to help you for a response.

#### Response=

The onset of an ice age is related to the Milankovitch cycles – This included eccentricity, obliquity, and precession. These cause regular changes in the Earth's tilt and orbit and combine to affect which areas on Earth get more or less solar radiation. When all these factors align so the northern hemisphere gets less solar radiation in summer, an ice age can be started. Eccentricity occurs every 100,00 years, precession is 26,000 years, and tilt/obliquity is 41,000 years



Maunder Minimum: A period roughly spanning 1645 to 1715 when sunspots became exceedingly rare, as noted by solar observers of the time.

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Glacial Landforms

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Talus – Piles of weathered glacial rock.

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Aret'e- A knife edge caused by glaciers and erosion.

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Moraine- Material <mark>transported</mark> by a glacier and then deposited. Many types of Moraines.

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<b>Spure</b>			<mark>Peak</mark>	
<mark>6 Tarn</mark>	7 End	8 U-Shaped	9 Esker?	<b>10 Hanging</b>
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ICE AGE	TAR PITS	CAIRN	1=Cirque 2=Horned Peak 3=Tarn	CHRONICLES of NARNIA Lion
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Cycle Eccentricity Precession Obliquity/Tilt	CLIMATE CHANGE /GLOBAL WARMING	U-SHAPED VALLEY	DRUMLINE	BEN & JERRY's

Final Question Wager \_\_\_\_\_ /5\_ Answer: E.)Glacial Lake Missoula