Sand Dunes:
a hill of sand, a mound or ridge of sand formed by wind or water action, typically seen on coasts and in deserts

Prairie:
a treeless grass-covered plain in the United States and Canada, especially in the Midwest and the West

Forest:
a large dense growth of trees; a large area of land covered in trees and other plants growing close together, or the trees growing on it

Deciduous Forest:
forest or wood that is composed mostly of deciduous trees which shed their leaves in the fall

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**Coniferous Forest:**  
forest or wood that is composed mostly of any tree that has thin leaves (needles) and produces cones. Many types are evergreen, for example, pines, firs, junipers, larches, spruces, and yews are conifers.

**Mountains:**  
a high and often rocky area of a land mass with steep or sloping sides.

**Plateau:**  
a hill or mountain with a level top.

**Coast Line:**  
land beside an ocean or lake.
**Bog:**
marshy land: an area of wet marshy ground, largely consisting of accumulated decomposing plant material. It supports vegetation such as cranberries and moss and may ultimately turn into peat.

**Inlet:**
a narrow opening in a coast line like a narrow stretch of water reaching inland from a sea or lake or a narrow stretch of water between two islands

**River:**
a natural formation in which fresh water forms a wide stream that runs across the land until it reaches the sea or another area of water

**Delta:**
a triangular deposit of sand and soil at the mouth of a river or inlet
| **Stream:** | a narrow and shallow river |
| **Creek or Crick:** | a stream, especially one that flows into a river |
| **Pond:** | a small still body of water formed naturally or created artificially, for example, as a feature in a garden |
| **Swamp:** | wetland: an area of land, usually fairly large that is always wet and is overgrown with various shrubs and trees |
**Bayou:**
marshland in the southern United States, an area of slow-moving water, often overgrown with reeds, leading from a river or lake

**Lake:**
a large body of water surrounded by land

**Desert:**
an area of land, usually in very hot climates, that consists only of sand, gravel, or rock with little or no vegetation, no permanent bodies of water, and erratic rainfall

**Beach:**
a strip of sand or pebbles at the point where land meets an ocean or a lake