

WORD BUILDERS

Sort these words. Classify them by topic.

Which words help to read and write about each of these topics?

Use them to write about one topic from the list.

1. What is a neighborhood?
2. What is a community?
3. What is a city?
4. What is a country?
5. What is an environment?
6. How do people find places?
7. How do people travel?
8. How do people use resources?
9. How do people depend on each other?

graph	desert	geyser	coal
planet	climate	lava	oil
Earth	nomads	ocean stream	solar power
hemisphere	oasis	volcano	wind turbine
rotation	trade	export	challenge
axis	drought	import	search
pole	weather	dike	seed bank
North	irrigation	plateau	cooperation
South	monsoon	mountain	population density
equator	rainy season	factory	food pyramid
change	rice	village	system
drift	enriched	town	balance
sea level	terrace	city	food web
rain shadow	minerals	suburb	pollution
elevation	rainforest	transportation	planning
volcano	resource	canal	development
island	rainfall	exchange	decision
river source	woodland	dock	career
riverbed	scale	tugboat	invention
water cycle	steppe	barge	vaccine
river basis	flood	land use	disease
tributary	conserve	balance	medicine
delta	grassland	trading center	agriculture
silt	plant pasture	technology	flood
dam	herd	communication	famine
flood	shepherd	continental shelf	hunger
reservoir	cultivation	seaweed	citizenship
levee	plow	explore	world
sunshine	pump	satellite	planet
space	harvest	outer space	barter
latitude	crossroad	engineer	atmosphere
temperature	boundary	tunnel	axis
temperature belt	country	bridge	progress
longitude	symbol	pipeline	continent
grid	government	energy	cooperative
culture	democracy	power	nuclear energy
environment	capital	waterwheel	research chapter
united	citizen	windmill	
border	community	fuel	

CHARACTERISTICS

world
graph
environment
volcano

LOCATION

Earth
world
continent
axis
pole
equator
hemisphere
north
south
east
west
drift

REGION

world
continent
atmosphere
agriculture
graph
hemisphere
rotation
environment

MOVEMENT

world
northwest
northeast
southwest
southeast
transportation

RELATIONSHIPS

progress
system
planet
decision
problem