

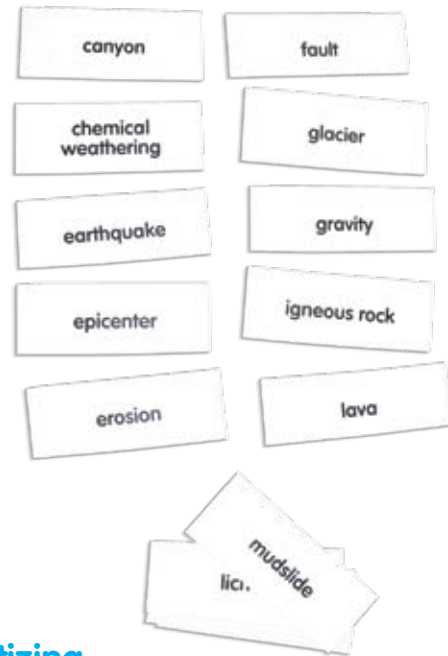


### Labeling Characteristics of Objects

Staple two Designer Cut-Outs together to create a pocket. Place words from the set in the pocket. Encourage students to match the related words to the picture.

**CTP 2834** Exploring Matter Photo Cards

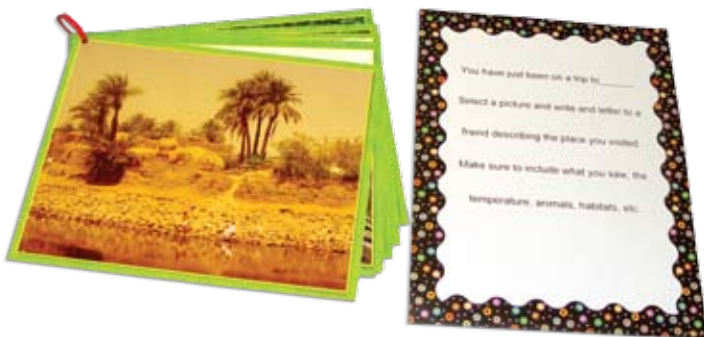
**CTP 3870** Poppin' Patterns Cards Designer Cut-Outs



### Alphabetizing

Provide a copy of the vocabulary cards from the set to each student or pair of students. Have them place the terms in alphabetical order and check their work against a dictionary to practice their dictionary skills. Use this activity to reinforce and familiarize students with the specific terms highlighted within *Our Changing Earth*.

**CTP 2845** Our Changing Earth Photo Cards



### Letter Writing

Instruct students to select a photo and imagine this is a place they have recently visited. Have students write a letter to a friend describing what they saw, what the weather was like, and any other important details. Ask students to use proper letter format.

**CTP 2836** Land Habitats Photo Cards

**CTP 1437** Dots on Black Computer Paper



### Category Picture Sort

Staple two Designer Cut-Outs together to create a pocket. Place photo cards at a learning center. Direct students to sort pictures by category (Tide Pool, Still Water, Deep Sea, and Moving Water).

**CTP 2837** Water Habitats Photo Cards

**CTP 3870** Poppin' Patterns Cards Designer Cut-Outs



### Flashcards

Photocopy the terms included in the set and cut them apart. Have students glue the terms to the fronts of the Designer Cut-Outs, and glue the definitions to the reverse side. Use Ring-Its to bind the cards. Ask students to test themselves and/or their partners.

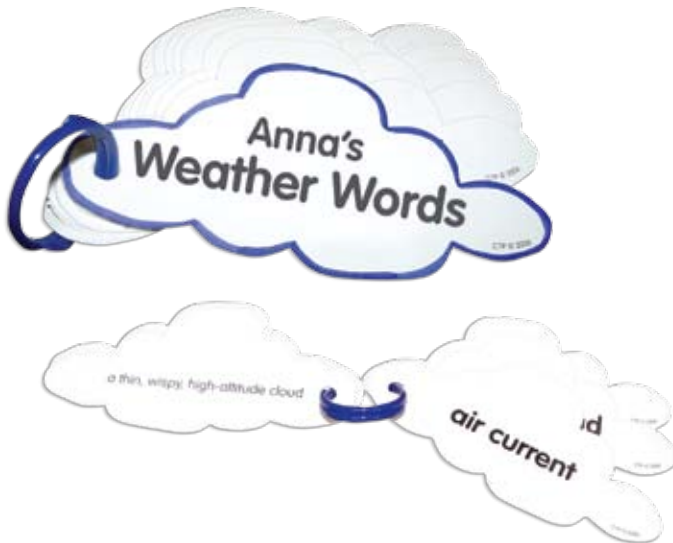
- CTP 2837** Water Habitats Photo Cards
- CTP 3870** Poppin' Patterns Cards Designer Cut-Outs
- CTP 1744** Ring-Its! Red Small



### Label the Photo

Label repositionable arrows to place on a Designer Cut-Out. Invite students to match the arrows to the objects they see in the photo. Great for working with ELLs on vocabulary.

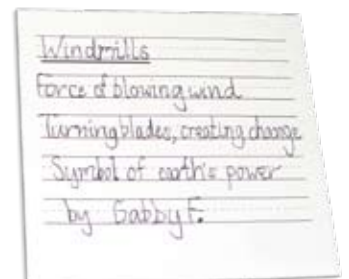
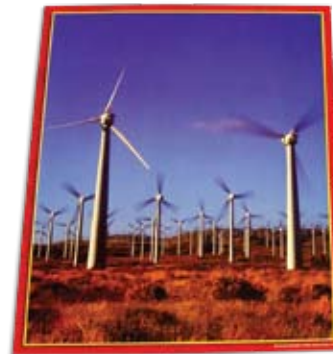
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- CTP 2839** Understanding Weather Photo Cards
- CTP 1781** Clouds Designer Cut-Outs
- CTP 1715** Ring-Its! Large Blue



### Write a Haiku Poem

Reinforce syllabication and creative writing by having students write Haiku poems. Have students choose pictures and then write three lines in a 5-7-5 syllable pattern. Hang poems to the corresponding photos.

- CTP 2840** Understanding Energy Photo Cards

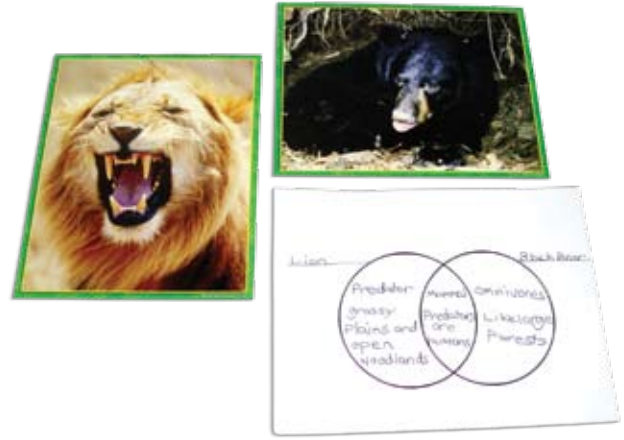


### Memory Game

Photocopy the vocabulary terms and definitions from the set. Give each pair of students a set to place facedown. When a student finds a definition and vocabulary term match, they keep the cards. The person with the most matches, wins. To store, staple two Designer Cut-Outs together to create a pocket.

**CTP 2841** Changes in Matter Photo Cards

**CTP 3870** Poppin' Patterns Cards Designer Cut-Outs



### Venn Diagram

Select two photos and instruct students to create a Venn diagram comparing the two objects.

**CTP 2842** Animal Adaptations Photo Cards



### Assessment

Write the basic or challenge questions from the back of the photo cards on Designer Cut-Outs. Place the question next to the photo card and have students answer the question in their notebooks. Have students match the question to the photo that answers the question.

**CTP 2843** Plant Adaptations Photo Cards

**CTP 3870** Poppin' Patterns Cards Designer Cut-Outs



### Descriptive Writing

Photocopy vocabulary terms and pass out to students. Have students match the terms to their photo. From the terms, encourage children to describe the pictures in a journal.

**CTP 2844** Our Solar System and Beyond Photo Cards