

Name: _____

Date: _____

Glaciation spelling challenge

For each question below a number of similar words appear, but only one is spelled correctly and matches the clue that is provided. Write the letter of the correctly spelled word in the space by the question number.

- ___ 1. A. erosion B. irosion C. erosien D. erocian
The mechanical process of wearing or grinding something down.
- ___ 2. A. till B. tilll C. tigl D. til
Material carried directly by a glacier.
- ___ 3. A. arrete B. aryte C. art D. arete
A jagged, knifelike ridge separating two cirques on a mountain.
- ___ 4. A. latiral B. lateral C. latteral D. laterl
Deposits along the side of a glacier are called _____ moraines.
- ___ 5. A. terminnal B. terminl C. terminal D. tirminal
A term which describes a moraine that is formed where a glacier reaches its farthest extent before beginning to retreat.
- ___ 6. A. cirqui B. cirqu C. cerque D. cirque
A deep, amphitheatre-shaped basin found on a glaciated mountain.
- ___ 7. A. tarz B. tayn C. tarn D. tarne
A lake formed at the bottom of an alpine glacier.
- ___ 8. A. outwashplain B. outwashplaen C. outwashglain D. outwushplain
Material from a terminal moraine, washed down stream, may be deposited as this over a wide area.

Name:

Date:

Class:

Teacher:

Glaciation spelling challenge

For each question below a number of similar words appear, but only one is spelled correctly and matches the clue that is provided. Write the letter of the correctly spelled word in the space by the question number.

A 1. A. erosion B. irosion C. erosien D. erocian

The mechanical process of wearing or grinding something down.

A 2. A. till B. tilll C. tigl D. til

Material carried directly by a glacier.

D 3. A. arrete B. aryte C. art D. arete

A jagged, knifelike ridge separating two cirques on a mountain.

B 4. A. latiral B. lateral C. latteral D. laterl

Deposits along the side of a glacier are called _____ moraines.

C 5. A. terminnal B. terminl C. terminal D. tirminal

A term which describes a moraine that is formed where a glacier reaches its farthest extent before beginning to retreat.

D 6. A. cirqui B. cirqu C. cerque D. cirque

A deep, amphitheatre-shaped basin found on a glaciated mountain.

C 7. A. tarz B. tayn C. tarn D. tarne

A lake formed at the bottom of an alpine glacier.

A 8. A. outwashplain B. outwashplaen C. outwashglain D. outwushplain

Material from a terminal moraine, washed down stream, may be deposited as this over a wide area.