



6. What does the term *holistic* mean in Physical Geography?
7. How does the term *change* relate to Physical Geography?
8. When Physical Geography is said to be *systems oriented*, what does that mean?
9. Describe each of the four systems in Physical Geography.
10. What is the current estimate of the age of the Earth? Why has the estimate changed so dramatically over the last 300 years?
11. Describe the Law of Uniformitarianism.
12. How have *catastrophic events* influenced the shaping of the Earth?
13. Describe the *Gaia Hypothesis*.