

## Activity 6: Canada's landscapes – vocabulary practice

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Part A. Read the words in the box and find their definitions in a dictionary. Complete the sentences below with the words. Use plural forms where necessary. Make your own sentences with the remaining words.

bay	plain	Canadian Shield
coast	mountainous	valley
island	waterfall	tundra
peninsula	freshwater	glacier

1. The North is a unique region with \_\_\_\_\_, which is land where trees do not grow.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ is made of ancient rock, rich in many minerals.
3. The three Prairie provinces are on a huge open and fertile \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Niagara Falls, one of the most famous \_\_\_\_\_ in the world, is located on the border of Canada and the USA.
5. Scientists are warning that global warming has caused many \_\_\_\_\_ in Alberta to melt.
6. The Cordillera is a high mountain range along the west \_\_\_\_\_ of Canada.
7. It is very difficult to grow crops in \_\_\_\_\_ regions.
8. Lighthouses are usually built on \_\_\_\_\_ that go far into the sea so sailors can easily see them.

Part B. Find the following places on a map of Canada (or check their location online). Write an abbreviation of the province/territory in which each place is located.

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| 1. Lake Superior            | _____ | 5. Mackenzie River    | _____ |
| 2. The St. Lawrence Lowland | _____ | 6. Baffin Island      | _____ |
| 3. The Okanagan Valley      | _____ | 7. Cape Breton Island | _____ |
| 4. Athabasca Glacier        | _____ | 8. Ungava Peninsula   | _____ |

