

Words you could use to describe places



Physical geography words

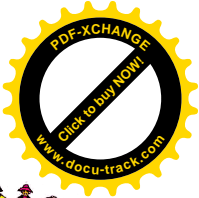
hill	lake	stream	sea	sky	thunder
plain	river	waterfall	wave	cloud	lightning
mountain	river bank	beach	coastline	rain	cloudy
valley	garage	cliff	bay	storm	exposed
vegetation	grass	trees	headland	icy	windy

Human geography words

castle	city	farm	factory	building	street
office	industry	motorway	airport	railway	bridge
port	traffic	houses	smoke	chimney	hotel
town	shops	flat	restaurant	crops	reservoir
village	pipeline	people	job	rubbish	recycling

Adjectives to describe your place in more detail

steep/gentle	jagged/smooth	colours
low/high	tall/short	shades/hues
large/small	hot/cold	distance/foreground
calm/stormy	spring/summer	wooden/stone
straight/twisting	autumn/winter	bricks/glass
polluted/unpolluted	meandering	steel/mud
rich/poor	noisy/peaceful	planned/unplanned
shining/matt	busy/quiet	misty
light/dark	deep/shallow	clean/dirty



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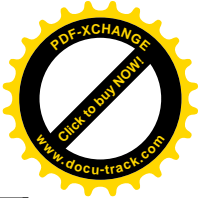
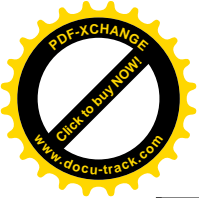
Colina	Ola	Tormenta	Garaje	Precipicio	Valle
Llanura	Costa	Playa	Césped	Cabo/golfo	Árboles
Montaña	Bahía	Lago	Trueno	Acantilado	nuboso
Vegetación	Nube	Río	Cielo	Relámpago	helado
Catarata	Lluvia	Estuario	Glacial	Arroyo/riachuelo	abierto/expuesto

Human geography words

Castillo	Ciudad	Granja	Fábrica	Edificio	Calle
Oficina	Industria	Autopista	Aeropuerto	Ferrocarril	Puente
Puerto	Tráfico	Casas	Humo	Chimenea	Hotel
Pueblo	Tiendas	Piso	Restaurante	Cosechas	Embalse
Aldea	Oleoducto	Gente	Trabajo	Basura	Reciclaje

Adjectives to describe your place in more detail

empinado/ llano	puntiagudo/ suave	colores
bajo/ alto	bajo / alto	sombras / tonalidades
grande / pequeño	calor / frío	distancia / primer plano
calmado / tormentoso	primavera / verano	de madera / de piedra
recto / torcido	otoño / invierno	ladrillos/ cristal
contaminado/ No contaminado	serpenteado	acero / barro
rico / pobre	ruidoso / tranquilo	planeado / improvisado
brillante / mate	ocupado / tranquilo	brumoso
claro / oscuro	profundo / poco profundo	limpio / sucio



Adjetivos para describir un lugar (adjectives to describe a place)			
empinado	steep	llano	flat
alto	tall/high	bajo	small/low
claro	light	oscuro	dark
profundo	deep	poco profundo	shallow
ruidoso	noisy	tranquilo	peaceful
contaminado	polluted	no contaminado	unpolluted
sucio	dirty	limpio	clean
divertido	fun	aburrido	boring
bonito	pretty	feo	ugly
precioso	beautiful	asqueroso	disgusting
calmado	calm	tormentoso	stormy
planeado	planned	improvisado	unplanned
ocupado	busy	vacío	empty
caluroso	hot	frío	cold
recto	straight	torcido	twisted
rico	rich	pobre	poor
brillante	shining	mate	matte
grande	big	pequeño	small
enorme/ gigantesco	enormous	minúsculo	tiny
puntiagudo	jagged	suave	smooth
brumoso	misty	soleado	sunny
serpenteado	meandering	derecho	straight

NB: Most of these adjectives end in 'o'. When describing a feminine word ('la') you change the 'o' to 'a'. Adjectives ending in 'e' stay the same.