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Match each of the following terms to its definition:

Troposphere

Warm front

Thermosphere

Air mass

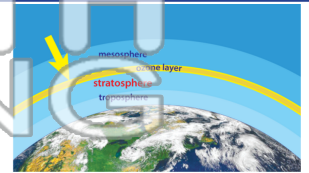
Tornado

Thunderstorm

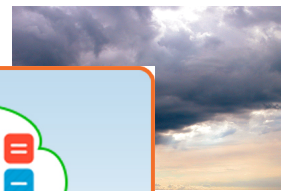
Stratus cloud

Stratosphere

1. _____ - a layer of the Earth's atmosphere known as the upper atmosphere; the thermosphere is just above the mesosphere and is about 600 kilometers high; temperatures in this region can reach above 1000oC



2. _____ - cloud that forms in layers and covers large areas of the sky and often brings continuous precipitation



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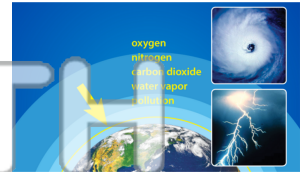
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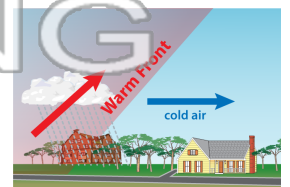
5. _____ touches t



6. _____ - the layer of the atmosphere in which you live; the densest atmospheric layer containing oxygen, nitrogen, carbon dioxide, water vapor, pollution and weather



7. _____ - the movement of the beginning edge of a mass of warm, moist air as it moves into a region; forms when a warm air mass bumps into a cold air mass that is not moving or is moving at a slow pace



8. _____ - a huge body of air that has basically the same temperature and amount of moisture throughout



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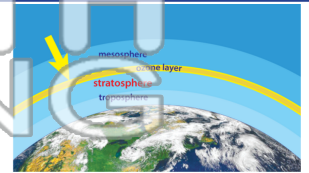
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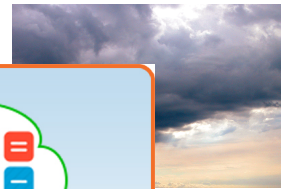
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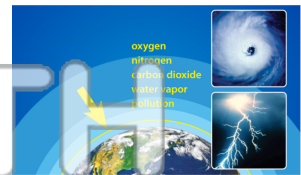


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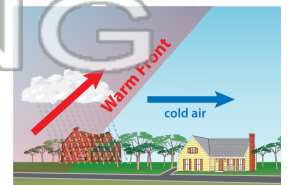
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