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Sinkhole

Artesian spring

Cavern

Stalactite

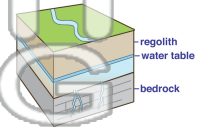
Regolith

Stalagmite

Cone of depression

Zone of aeration

1. _____ - the blanket of loose, uncemented rock particles and biological material covering the bedrock of any particular region; also called the soil profile



2. _____ - the depression formed on the Earth's surface when an underground limestone cave collapses



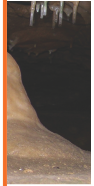
3. _____ underground

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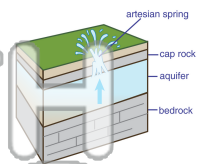
4. _____ underground



5. _____ percolate



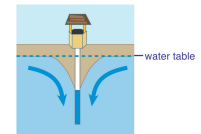
6. _____ - a source of water that comes from an aquifer through a crack in an overlying bed of rock; the water comes out under pressure



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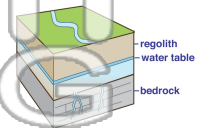
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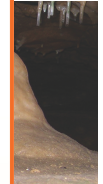
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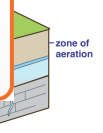
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limestone



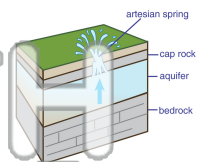
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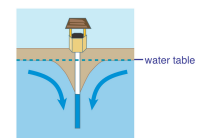
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