

Branches of Earth Science WS

Name _____ Class _____

Match the event to the branch of earth science:

Events

- _____ A Tornado roaring across Cole County
- _____ A Landslide falling down a hillside.
- _____ Waves crashing on a beach.
- _____ A Meteorite crashing into Earth.

Branch

- A. Geology**
- B. Meteorology**
- C. Astronomy**
- D. Oceanography**

Match the branch to the activity of the scientist:

Scientist Activity

- _____ Searching for new mineral deposits.
- _____ Trying to discover if there is life on other planets.
- _____ Investigating climate change.
- _____ Tracking ocean currents.

Branch

- A. Oceanography**
- B. Meteorology**
- C. Astronomy**
- D. Geology**

Separate the activities into branches:

Scientist Activity

- A. Map earthquakes
- B. Study solar energy
- C. Forecast weather
- D. Study the ocean floor
- F. Make topographic maps
- G. Study hurricane control
- H. Design new rocket engines
- I. Chart the movement of icebergs

Branch

Oceanography _____

Meteorology _____

Astronomy _____

Geology _____