**Oceanography**

The study of the earth's oceans and their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ecosystems, geological, chemical and physical processes.

**Origins of Water on Earth**

* As volcanoes erupted, they spewed lava, ash, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, carbon dioxide, and other gases.
* Scientists hypothesize that about 4 billion years ago, water vapor accumulated in Earth’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* After millions of years, it cooled enough to condense into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Torrential rain began to fall and fill \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which eventually joined to form \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Amounts of Water on Earth**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_% of Earth’s Surface is water
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_% is salt water
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_% is fresh water
* Less than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_% of ALL water on Earth is usable to humans



**Water on Earth**

* Groundwater is stored in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Icecaps & Glaciers are found at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_