**Who Am I? Vocabulary for the physical features of Africa**

I am a part of the world that has one or more common features that distinguish it from surrounding areas

**Answer: region**

I am a strip of land that divides the Sahara from wetter areas. I can be also referred to as a desert

**Answer: Sahel**

I am an area of tall grasses and scattered trees and shrubs

**Answer: savanna**

I am a person/group of people that move often from place to place.

**Answer: Nomad/nomads**

I am a type of river that begins in a wet climate and flows through a dry climate with little precipitation

**Answer: exotic river**

I am the way of supplying water to an area of land, often for farming

**Answer: irrigation**

I am the science or practice of farming, including cultivation of the soil for the growing of crops and the rearing of animals to provide food, wool, and other products.

**Answer: agriculture**

I am the large-scale production of crops for sale, intended for widespread distribution to retail outlets.

**Answer: commercial farming**

I am farming that provides for the basic needs of the farmer without surpluses for marketing.

**Answer: subsistence farming**

I am the type of farming system that occurs on hillsides.

**Answer: terrace farming**

I am the type of land or a climate having little or no rain; too dry or barren to support vegetation.

**Answer: arid**

I am the type of land or climate that has relatively low rain and scrubby vegetation.

**Answer: semi-arid**

I am the type of land that is suitable for growing crops

**Answer: arable land**

I am the type of soil or land producing or capable of producing abundant vegetation or crops.

**Answer: fertile**

I am the process by which fertile land becomes desert, typically as a result of drought, deforestation, or inappropriate agriculture.

**Answer: desertification**

I am the state of being clear of trees, usually by fire or cutting.

**Answer: deforestation**

I am the restoration (replanting) of a forest that had been reduced by fire or cutting.

**Answer: reforestation**

I am a prolonged period of abnormally low rainfall; a shortage of water resulting from this.

**Answer: drought**

I am the state of not having enough of something; being in short supply

**Answer: scarcity**

I am a very large quantity of something.

**Answer: abundance**

I am the belief in the soul plants, inanimate objects, and natural phenomena.

**Answer: animism**

I am a business or activity yielding profit or financial gain

**Answer: profit**

I am a geographic depression or trench that runs from South West Asia through eastern Africa to the country of Mozambique.

**Answer: Great Rift Valley**

We are two or more fault sets that interconnect.

**Answer: fault system**