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Water Science Glossary of Terms	U.S. Geologic Survey	http://ga.water.usgs.gov/edu/dictionary.html	Glossary of water and watershed terms from the US Geological Survey	
Watershed and Hydrologic Definitions	US Geologic Survey	http://water.usgs.gov/wsc/glossary.html	This web resource provides a comprehensive list of terms used in watershed hydrology.	
Urban Watershed Management Research Terminology	U.S. EPA	http://www.epa.gov/ednrmrl/terminology.htm	Items included in this resource are terms, abbreviations and acronyms frequently used in Urban Watershed Management.	
Students' Ideas About Watersheds—Water Towers, Pump Houses, and Mountain Streams	National Association of Geoscience Teachers	www.nagt.org/files/nagt/jge/abstracts/Shepardson_v53p381.pdf	This study investigates students' ideas about watersheds and how these ideas change across grade level. A group of 95 students were each asked to draw a picture of a watershed and explain their drawings. The results revealed that, in general, students understand the concept of watersheds from a very limited scientific perspective. Sixth and some seventh grade students envisioned watersheds as a water storage facility or a facility that supplies water. Eighth and ninth grade students' ideas about a watershed focused on a mountainous stream. Older students also incorporated the hydrologic cycle, but rarely represented linkages between	

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			land and watercourses. For all students, humans do not appear to be a part of a watershed, but separate from it.	
International Glossary of Hydrology	UNESCO	http://webworld.unesco.org/water/ihp/db/glossary/glu/HINDENT.HTM		
National Water-Quality Assessment Glossary	National Water-Quality Assessment (NAWQA) Program—USGS	http://water.usgs.gov/nawqa/glos.html	Good source of definitions for water quality terms.	