

# **lithosphere** (*lith-o-sphere*)

## **Definition**

n. the outer crust of the earth which includes all land surfaces and the ocean floor

## **Example Sentence**

Did you know that the outer crust of the earth is called the **lithosphere**?

## **Synonyms**

top layer; crust and upper mantle; earth's surface

## **Antonyms**

earth's core

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