

Vocabulary

The Waterfall

Key Vocabulary for Test

1. **boulders**: large, rounded rocks
2. **canyon**: a deep valley with steep walls on both sides, formed by running water
3. **cauldron**: a large pot used for boiling
4. **ledges**: flat spaces like shelves on the sides of cliffs
5. **rapids**: a group of small waterfalls in a river where the water flows very fast
6. **scouted**: observed or explored carefully for information
7. **sheer**: very steep

Extra Practice

8. **creek**: a small stream
9. **tumbling**: falling and rolling
10. **clung**: held tightly to
11. **rustle**: a soft, fluttering sound
12. **scrawny**: thin and bony; skinny
13. **anxious**: feeling nervous or afraid
14. **souvenir**: something kept as a reminder of a special place or event

15. **sculpture**: a figure or shape usually make from wood, stone, metal, or clay