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Ch. 14 Vocabulary  
Geologic Time

Define each AS THEY ARE DEFINED IN YOUR TEXT. Do not use only references as they may be the wrong definitions. Note: some must be defined based on diagrams. You may have to interpret meaning from the diagrams on your own. **This assignment is NOT accepted late.**

1. Geologic Time Scale: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Eon: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Era: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Period: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Epoch: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Organic Evolution: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Species: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Natural Selection: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Trilobite: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Pangaea: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Precambrian Time: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Cyanobacteria: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Paleozoic Era: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
14. Stromatolite: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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15. Spriggina: \_\_\_\_\_  
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16. Cyclomedusa: \_\_\_\_\_  
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17. Dickensonia: \_\_\_\_\_  
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18. Rangea: \_\_\_\_\_  
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19. Mesozoic Era: \_\_\_\_\_  
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20. Cenozoic Era: \_\_\_\_\_  
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21. Maiasaura: \_\_\_\_\_  
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22. Bambiraptor Feinberger: \_\_\_\_\_  
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23. Archaeopteryx: \_\_\_\_\_  
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24. Mammal: \_\_\_\_\_  
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25. Gymnosperm: \_\_\_\_\_  
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26. Angiosperm: \_\_\_\_\_  
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27. Marsupial: \_\_\_\_\_  
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28. Endothermic: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(USE DICTIONARY FOR THIS ONE—give definition in terms of animals, not the chemical definition for credit)