

## Catch the Rays Vocabulary



**Absorbed Light** Light that is soaked up by an object

**Crepuscular** An animal that is most active around sunrise and sunset

**Diurnal** An animal that is most active during the day

**Nocturnal** An animal that is most active during the night

**Reflected Light** Light that is bounced from an object in another direction

**Refracted Light** Light that is bent and separated as it enters the surface of an object

**Shadow** An area where light is partially or totally blocked by an object.

**Sun** The energy source for photosynthesis and the source of light and heat for

everything on Earth

**Translucent** Something that light can pass through partially

**Transparent** Something that light can pass through completely

Note: The focus of this program is experimenting with these science concepts, not memorizing these terms. This is done at an appropriate level for first grade.