Surfing The Net: Science Atmosphere

6. What kinds of severe weather occur in North America? Use the chart to list examples.

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter

	Go to http://video.pbs.org/video/2365036901/ to watch the PBS Nova video to learn about the Coriolis effect and air circulation on Earth.
7.	What is the Coriolis Effect?
	For questions 8-12, go to http://science.howstuffworks.com/nature/climate-weather/atmospheric/barometer.htm to learn about the importance of barometers
8.	What does a barometer measure?
9.	Which would most likely have lower air pressure: tropical or polar regions? Why?
10.	What kind of weather can you expect in a low-pressure area?