**Luminous vs Nonluminous** Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

We see **luminous objects** because they **give off their own light**.

We see **nonluminous objects** because their surfaces **reflect light**. In total darkness we see nothing.

**Artificial** light sources are **man-made** light sources.

**Natural** light sources come from **nature**.

**Questions**

Fill in the following chart

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| **Object** | **Luminous or Nonluminous** | **Artificial Light Source or Natural Light Source**  |
| A lit candle | luminous | artificial |
| Lightning |  |  |
| Light bulb (turned on) |  |  |
| Stars in the sky |  |  |
| Fire fly |  |  |
| Flashlight (turned off) |  |  |
| Sun |  |  |
| Moon |  |  |
| Stapler |  |  |
| Fireworks |  |  |
| Lava |  |  |
| Earth |  |  |
| Glow stick |  |  |
| Pencil |  |  |
| Neon lights in a sign |  |  |
| Glow worm |  |  |