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ROCK TYPES

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Activity Instructions:

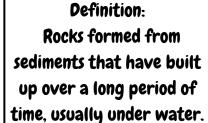
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Definition:

Rocks which have been altered from an earlier state through the presence of pressure or heat.

Description:
Crystalline, strong, shiny
and hard.



Examples:

Chalk, sandstone, shale and limestone.



Examples:
Granite, basalt, gabbro
and obsidian.

Description:

Hard, layered, foliating and interlocking.

Definition: Rocks formed when

molten rock (magma) cools and solidifies underneath the earth's crust

Description:
Dusty, layered, porous
and grainy.



Examples:

Marble, slate, quartzite

and anthracite.

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Sedimentary	Metamorphic	Igneous

Answer Page

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Sedimentary

Metamorphic

Igneous







Definition:
Rocks formed from
sediments that have built
up over a long period of
time, usually under water.

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Examples:
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and obsidian.

Description: Dusty, layered, porous and grainy. Description: Hard, layered, foliating and interlocking. Description: Crystalline, strong, shiny and hard.