DO NOW:

# PAGE #1: Layers of the Earth

Name of Layer	Composition	Temperature/Density

Broken into 3 sections

Homework:

# PAGE #2: The Rock Cycle

We all know	the three types of rocks:
1	
2	
3	
But hov	v are they formed?
SEDIMENTARY ROCKS ARE FORMED BY	
METAMORPHIC ROCKS ARE FORMED BY	
IGNEOUS ROCKS ARE FORMED BY	
Let's c	hange those rocks!
	nge an igneous rock to a metamorphic rock?
	ge a metamorphic rock to a sedimentary rock?
What should I do if I want to cha	ange a sedimentary rock to an igneous rock?
	Examples:
Igneous Exa	imple:
Metamorphic	Example:
Sedimentary E	xample:

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### **PAGE #3: Fossils Show Change**

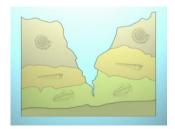
Fossils are really old. Because they are so old, we can use them to get clues about how things once were on Earth a long time ago. Here's how scientists have used them:

#### Changes in the sea level

Scientists know if an area used to have water if they find fossils of \_\_\_\_\_\_ in that area.

#### Superposition

The law of superposition tells us that when you look at sedimentary rocks, the older ones are always at the \_\_\_\_\_\_ and the younger ones are always at the \_\_\_\_\_\_. This is true for fossils too.



Circle the oldest fossils and underline the newest fossils

#### Changes in the land

There's a dinosaur called a Mesosaurus that can be found in Africa and South America. Since it was so small, we know it couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ that far. Thus, the fossils tell us that the land used to be \_\_\_\_\_ piece.



Listen, man. I'm good at a lot of things, but swimming across an ocean isn't one of them.

### Homework:

# **PAGE #4: Weathering, Erosion, Deposition**

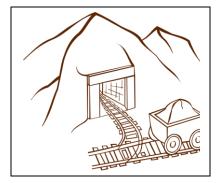
Weathering means that rocks are	
Breaking down rocks with chemicals is w	reathering.
Breaking down rocks with force (like a hammer) is	weathering.
Erosion means that rocks are	
What are the four things that move rocks (erosion)?	

Deposition means that rocks are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

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# PAGE #5: Humans Messing Up Stuff

As awesome as humans are, we mess up a lot of stuff on Earth. There are four things we do that can create erosion (bad) and natural disasters (like drought or dust storms).



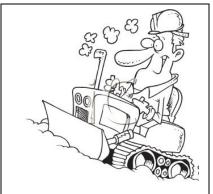
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## PAGE #6: Soil Stuff

What is soil made out of?
Basically, tiny rocks and dead stuff.
Layers of Soil:
Horizons or
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# PAGE #7: The Plates

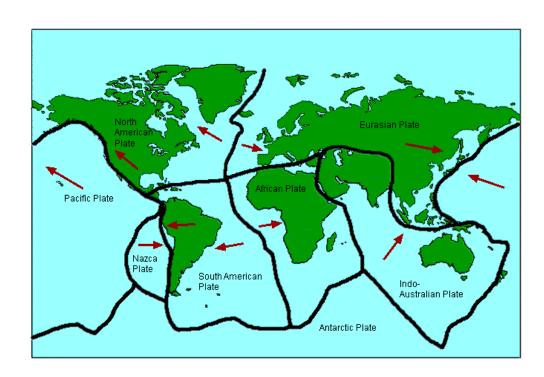
Right now, you are standing on the crust. The crust is broken up into pieces called lithospheric plates.

We call the places where plates touch plate boundaries. Let's look at the plate boundaries.

Boundary Type	Stress Type	Fault Type	Can Make	Picture

The plates move about \_\_\_\_\_ per year.

SOOOOOO, after a few hundred years, the plates could move \_\_\_\_\_\_.



### Homework:

### PAGE #8: Water on Earth

Water is really good. Did you know that humans are the only mammals that can't taste water? It's true. We can only taste when something is WRONG with water. Crazy. Anyway.......

 _% of the Earth is water
% of the Earth is land



#### Now, let's break down just the water that's on Earth.

97% of all of our water is	
23% of all of our water is stored in	
Less than 1% of all of our water is	
And where you would expect to have a lot, we have a little! and very little water!	hold