

Igneous Rock

Igneous rock is formed from the cooling and solidification of magma or lava from volcanoes.

Examples:

Granite

Diorite

Gabbro

Peridotite

Pegmatite



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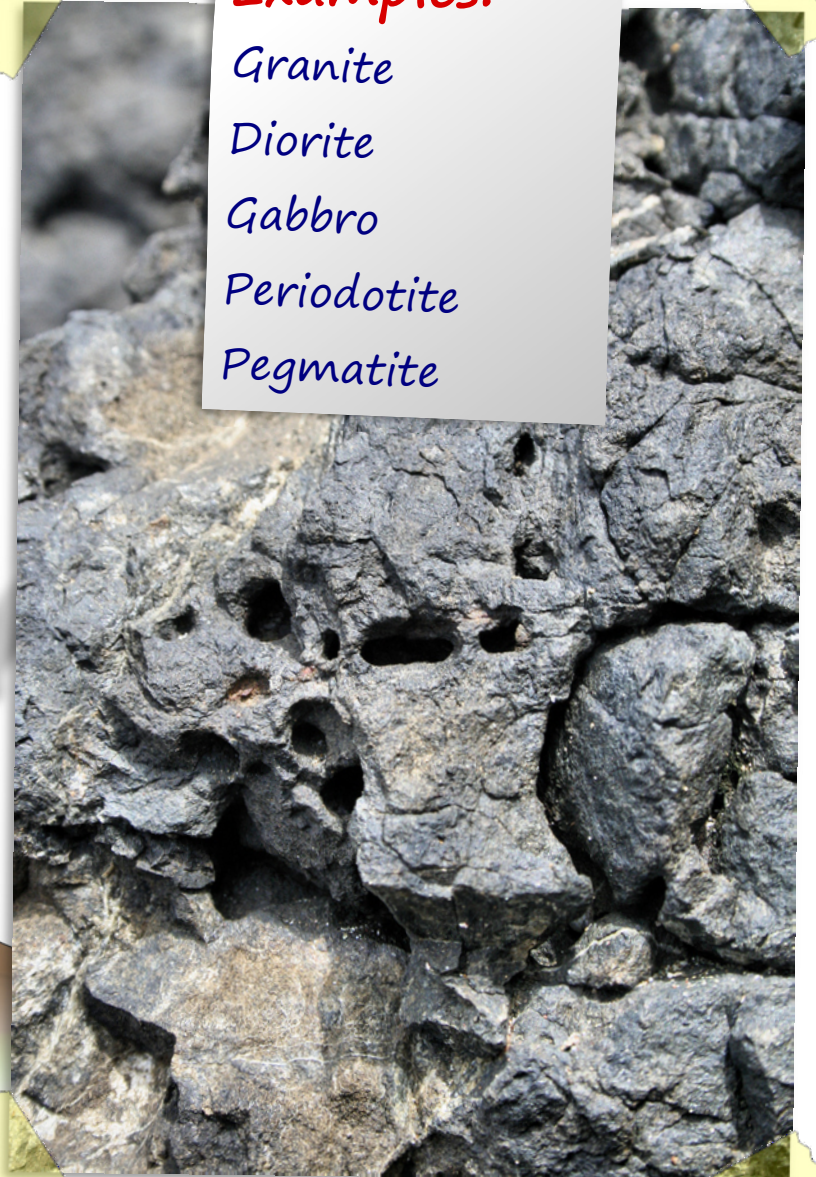
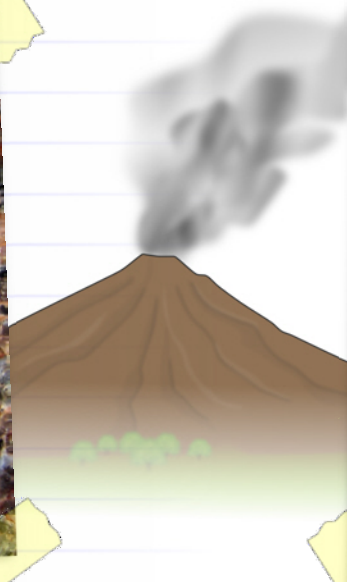


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Sedimentary Rock

Sedimentary rock is formed from broken pieces of rock called sediments. Over many years these sediments can find their way to the bottom of oceans and lakes and get pressed and cemented together into layers.



Examples:

Sandstone

Shale

Limestone

Epsom salt



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Metamorphic Rock

Metamorphic rocks are are rocks that have changed. They are formed from igneous or sedimentary rocks that have been pressed and heated when the earth's crust moves.

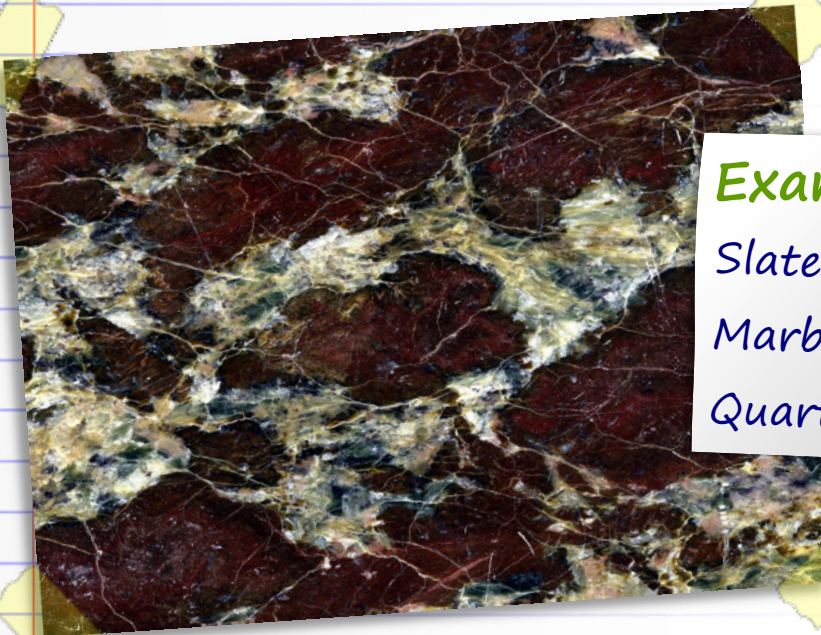


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Examples:

Slate

Marble

Quartzite

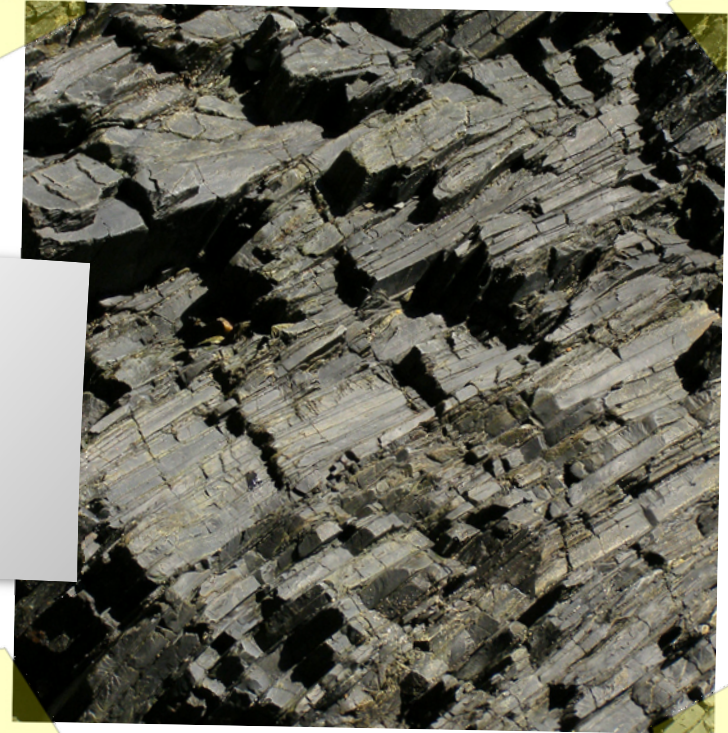


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