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GENIUSCHALLENGE

ROCK LAYERS

1. When sediment is moved around by wind or water it is called _____.
2. _____ are rocks that contain evidence of past life on Earth.
3. The breaking down of rocks into smaller pieces is called _____.
4. _____ are scientists that study the composition of Earth, including rock layers at the surface.
5. Rock that is made from sediment that has been pressed together is called _____ rock.
6. The geologic time scale tracks Earth's _____ year history.
7. Paleontologists study _____.
8. The rock layer closest to the surface is _____ in age than the layers beneath them.
9. Explain how sedimentary rock is formed. _____

10. Explain how sediment is deposited to form Earths layers.

