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Rocks Spelling Challenge

What do you get when you cross a comedian and a rabbit? A funny bunny!

For each question below a number of similar words appear, but only one is spelled correctly and matches the clue that is provided. Write the letter of the correctly spelled word in the space by the question number.



- ___ 1. A. geology B. geologi C. geologe D. geologie
A science that deals with the history of the earth as recorded in rocks
- ___ 2. A. magsa B. megme C. magma D. magmae
Molten rock in the earth's crust
- ___ 3. A. igneous rock B. igneows rock C. igneos rock D. ineous rock
Rock formed by the solidification of molten magma
- ___ 4. A. hardnes B. handness C. hardnness D. hardness
The property of being rigid and resistant to pressure; not easily scratched; measured on Mohs scale
- ___ 5. A. metamorphic rock B. metamorphik rock C. metamorpptic rock D. metamerphic rock
Rock altered by pressure and heat
- ___ 6. A. fossil B. fossill C. fossile D. fossil
The remains (or an impression) of a plant or animal that existed in a past geological age and that has been excavated from the soil
- ___ 7. A. minnerals B. minirals C. minerals D. minerrals
Solid homogeneous inorganic substances occurring in nature having a definite chemical composition
- ___ 8. A. microscop B. microsope C. micrescope D. microscope
Geologists use this to study different minerals that make up a rock's composition
- ___ 9. A. sedimentary ruck B. cedimentary rock C. sedimentary rock D. sedimentary rocke
Rock formed from consolidated clay sediments
- ___ 10. A. deamond B. diamonde C. diamond D. diemond
Very hard native crystalline carbon valued as a gem; can cut glass