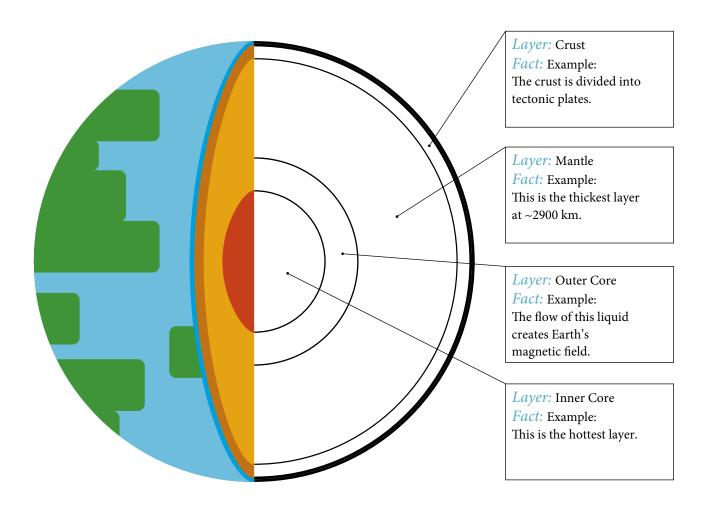


Planet Earth Answer Key

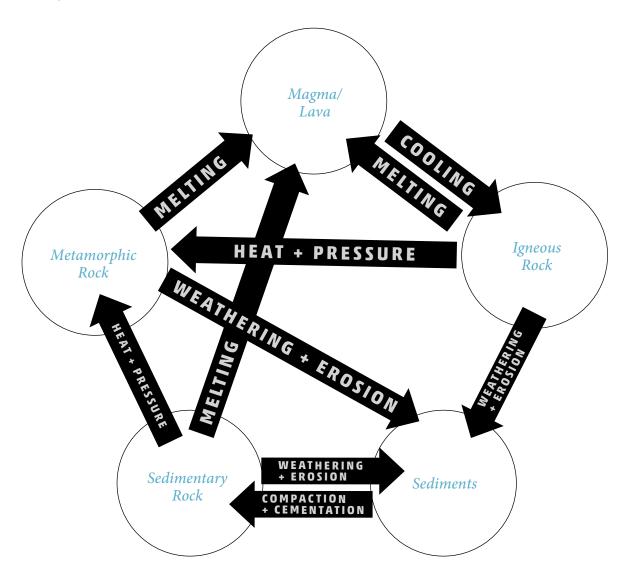
ACTIVITY 1

Earth's Interior

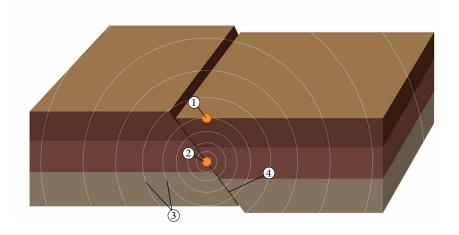




Rock Cycle Roundabout



All Shook Up



- <u>3</u> **Seismic Waves:** shock waves caused by an earthquake
- 4 Fault: large cracks in the rock caused by strong force
- **2 Focus:** the point where an earthquake starts
- **1 Epicentre:** the point on the surface directly above an earthquake disturbance

The Richter scale is used to measure the magnitude of earthquakes. The scale starts at zero and for each increase of 1 magnitude represents a force of 10x increase in ground motion. (e.g., Magnitude 2 earthquakes are 10x stronger than magnitude 1). $10 \times 10 \times 10 =$

How much stronger would a 7 magnitude earthquake be compared to a 4 magnitude? $\underline{1000}$ times stronger

ACTIVITY 4

Disaster Debaters

Answers will vary.

Alberta

Fossilization Scramble

5. 1. 3. 4. The dinosaur The soft parts The minerals fill The organic Groundwater is buried quickly of the body decay carries dissolved the spaces within tissues decay by sediments, away, leaving minerals down the tissue, away, leaving behind the hard a hard fossil protecting it into the rock layer depositing in place from scavengers skeleton. containing and hardening. behind. the skeleton. and slowing the decay process.

ACTIVITY 6

Riddle What Remains

- 1. Amber
- 2. Trace Fossil
- 3. Replacement
- 4. Carbonization
- 5. Mummification
- 6. Permineralization

Making Time

The finished time scale should look like the one below.

