



Subject: Grade 5 Natural Sciences
Topic: The structure and surface of the Earth
Total: 33 Marks

Name: _____

Date: _____

Question 1: Text Input

3 marks

Rock on the Earth's surface is broken up into smaller pieces by rain, ice, running water and

Question 2: Multiple Choice

4 marks

Which one of the Earth's layers is rock hard?

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| A | inner layer |
| B | middle layer |
| C | outer layer |
| D | atmospheric layer |
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Question 3: True/False

2 marks

Silt is soil that has very fine particles.

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| TRUE | FALSE |
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Question 4: Multiple Choice

4 marks

Rock formed by layers of sediment is called ... rock.

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| A | igneous |
| B | sedimentary |
| C | volcanic |
| D | metamorphic |
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Question 5: Text Input

3 marks

When molten rock (magma) reaches the Earth's surface, it is called

Question 6: Text Input

3 marks

The three main types of soil are sand, clay and

Question 7: Please Fill In The Blanks

4 marks

Clay feels (1) even when it is dry. It is (2) and sticky when it is wet.

Possible Answers: smooth | hard | coarse | heavy

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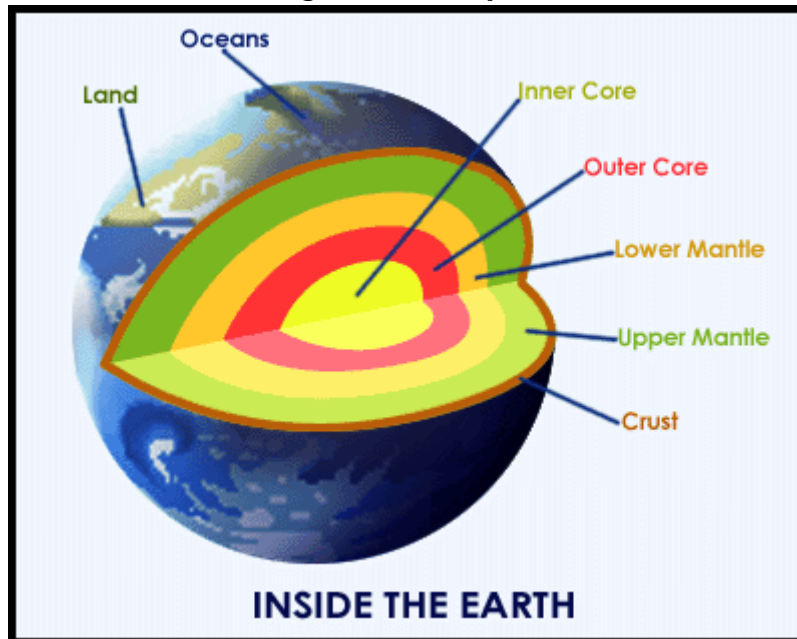
Question 8: Multiple Choice

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Soil forms different layers. The top layer is called

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| A | topsoil |
| B | humus |
| C | sediment |
| D | loam |

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Question 9: True/False

2 marks

The Earth's structure is made up of three layers.

TRUE

FALSE

Question 10: Multiple Choice

4 marks

This soil cannot hold water and does not have much food for plants.

A sandy soil

B clay

C silt

D loam

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