



Lesson 4

1. There are three basic types of rock.
2. The basic types of rock are: magma, sedimentary and metamorphic rock
3. The extrusive igneous rock is formed below the surface of the Earth.
4. When lava spews out of a volcano it solidifies and forms extrusive igneous rock.
5. The Earth's surface is mainly made up of igneous rock.
6. The wind and the rain erode the mountains.
7. Eroded sediments end up in the bottom of lakes and seas.
8. The eroded sediments create layers. The upper layers press the lower layers.
9. Salt crystals glue the sedimentary layers and produce metamorphic rocks.
10. Both igneous and sedimentary rocks may turn into metamorphic rocks if pressure and heat is exercised on them.