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crystallization	igneous	sedimentary	weathered
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1. _____ rocks form when molten material cools and hardens.

2. The process in which sediments become compacted into hard rocks



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6. Compression and tension cause _____ of rocks.

7. _____ rocks form when heat and pressure are applied to rocks and cause changes to their properties.

8. Lava is liquid _____ that reaches Earth's surface.

9. _____ are often deposited into bodies of water.

10. Through the process of _____ small rock fragments are transported to a new location.

11. _____ occurs when magma cools and different crystals form at different temperatures.

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