

Discover Weathering

Read the sentences below. Visit our Easy Geography for Kids page [All about Weathering](#) to find the missing words.

Write them in the empty spaces and find these hidden words in the puzzle!

[Words might be hidden horizontally, vertically and perhaps even back to front...!]

1. Rain is mildly _____ and it slowly eats away rocks. Rain slowly dissolves _____. It turns the feldspar in _____ into soft clay.
2. In the _____, rocks expand during the heat of the day and contract at night when temperatures cool.
3. _____ weathering occurs when a chemical, such as acid rain, breaks down rocks.
4. Sheets of rock slowly _____ away.
5. _____ weathering is the process of weathering through external forces, such as freeze and thaw cycles.
6. The _____ of the Earth is constantly being changed due to weathering processes.
7. When plants or microbes break down rocks, the process is known as _____ weathering.
8. All living things need elements, such as _____, potassium and iron, as nutrients. These minerals are found within rocks.
9. Plants and _____ also attack rocks.
10. _____ grow on rocks and release acids to dissolve the minerals in them.

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