11/8 Limestone #4

Weathering and Erosion video Finishing the notes.

What is weathering?

What causes weathering?

What is erosion?

What causes erosion?

Learning target:

I can build evidence for an ancient sea by investigating the way that Limestone is formed.



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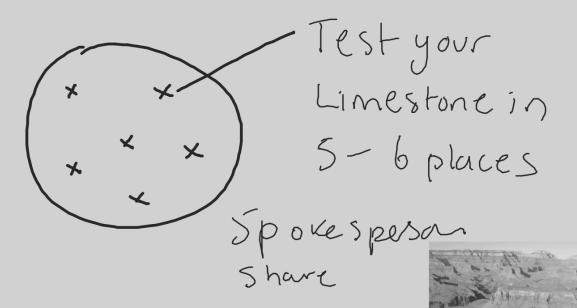
Materials manager pick up your Colorado Basin model from the closet:

- Clean off the inside with a small piece of paper towel as carefully as you can
- Pick up goggles to test the limestone:

Learning I can build evidence for an ancient sea by investigating the target: way that Limestone is formed.

11/08 Limestone #4

Did you make limestone?



Learning I can build evidence for an ancient sea by target: investigating the way that Limestone is formed.

11/08 Sandstone #5

Where does the sand come from that you can see in the limestone?

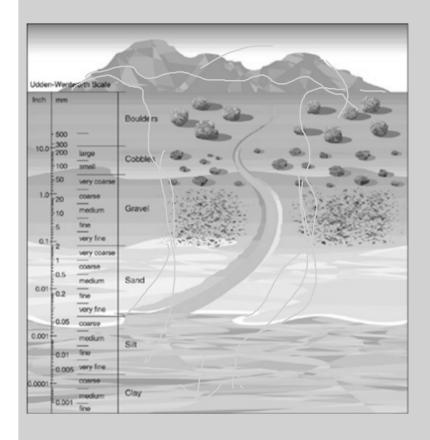
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11/08 Sandstone #5

How does this sand get from its source to be deposited in its final destination?

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Sandstone

We are going to add a layer of sandstone to the Colorado plateau model.

If you look closely at the photo on the right what can you see?

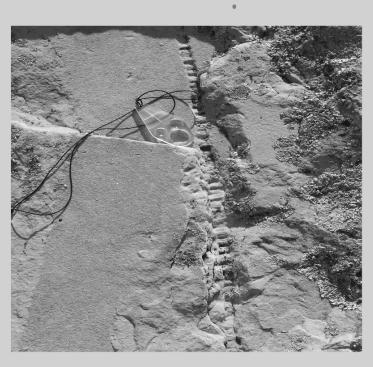






Ripples in beach sand, such as those in the upper photograph (A) may someday become a rock like the sandstone in the lower photograph (B).

This sandstone was part of a beach over 200 million years ago in the Triassic period.



Sandstone recipe

8 spoons of sand
1.5 rounded spoon of
plaster of Paris
2 clay
45 ml water.
(have 20 ml more
ready)

Add reptlie feet marks to your sandstone.

Make the sandstone in the mixing basin then pour on top of your limestone layer. Do not get it up the sides. Make animal fossil tracks!



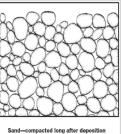


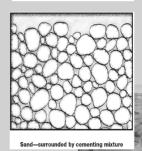
How did this fossil get here?

Formation of Sandstone

- Sand is carried by wind or water until it is deposited in a basin.
 If animals are present they may leave tracks in the sand.
- Over a long period of time the sand is compacted, pushed together due to the weight of sediments on top of it.
- 3 A chemical matrix glues individual grains together. A process called lithification. This forms the rock we call sandstone.







Learning target:





How did this fossil get here?

