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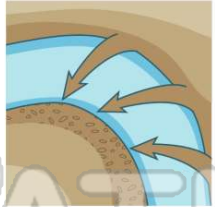
1 What causes **erosion**?

A only wind
B only rain
C large mountains
D water, wind, gravity, and glaciers




2 **Deposition** is the _____ of pieces of sediment on the earth's surface.

A rising
B swirling
C laying down
D blowing




3 _____ are the **rapid downhill movement** of large amounts of rock and soil.

A Landslides
B Tornadoes
C Volcanoes



4 Some things that occur in nature cause rapid changes to the earth's surface. Which is an example of **nature causing a rapid change**?

A fossilization
B erosion



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A Dormant volcanoes
B Active volcanoes
C Large volcanoes
D Molten volcanoes



B nicks
C magma
D craters




9 An **earthquake** is a **sudden shift** in the earth's crust which causes the ground to shake and vibrate **violently**. Earthquakes often occur near faults and cause a _____ change in the earth's surface.

A slow
B rapid
C constant
D continuous

10 A **seismic wave** is a wave of energy that travels **through the earth**, most often as the result of a(n) _____.

A volcano
B earthquake
C hurricane
D tornado





ANSWER KEY

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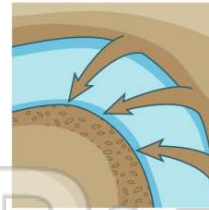
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(d)

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(c)

_____ are the **rapid downhill movement** of large amounts of rock and soil.

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- B Tornadoes
- C Volcanoes
- D Earthquakes



(a)

Some things that occur in nature cause rapid changes to the earth's surface. Which is an example of **nature causing a rapid change**?

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(c)



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(b)

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(b)