

Rocks and Minerals

Show what you know by completing three of the activities below. Just like in tic-tac-toe, you can complete three in a row, column, or diagonal. Just be sure to do your best work! When you are finished, staple your three completed activities behind the choice board.

Anchor Chart Use a large piece of chart paper to create an anchor chart that will teach your classmates about rocks and minerals. Be sure to include all key points.	Diagram of Rock Cycle Create a diagram of the rock cycle on a large piece of construction paper. Be sure to explain and show each portion of the rock cycle.	Flash Cards Use ten index cards to create flash cards that will help you remember key terms. Write the word on one side and the definition and picture on the back of the flash card.
Write a Fiction Story Let's see how creative you can be. Write a one, or more, page fictional narrative from the perspective of a rock moving through the rock cycle.	Write a Picture Book Create an informational picture book about rocks and minerals. Your book should be at least five pages long with illustrations and text on every page.	Write an Opinion Essay Tells us what you think. In a one, or more, page opinion essay, explain which mineral you think is the most important and explain why.
Double Bubble Map Complete a Double Bubble Map that compares two different rocks or two different minerals.	Minerals Tree Map Complete the Minerals Tree Map. Be sure to think about the uses and characteristics of minerals.	Rocks Circle Map Complete the Rock Circle Map. Inside the circle, give examples of things made from rocks. Outside of the circle, give examples of things not made from rocks.

