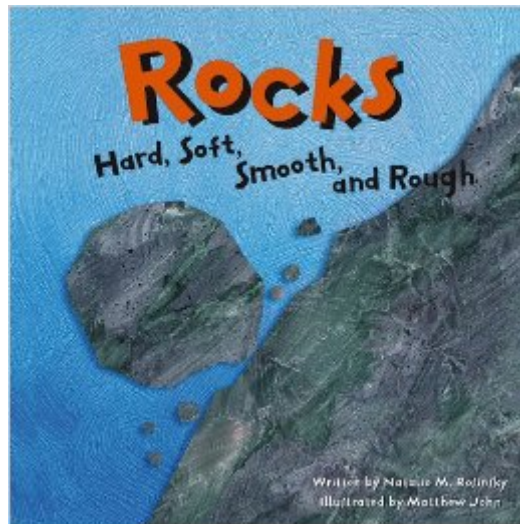


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## Synopsis

The rocks you see everyday can be grouped into different types, like igneous, sedimentary, or metamorphic. Some rocks are actually minerals, and you can even find fossils in some types of rocks.

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Introduces igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks. The writing is simple and remarkably concise for a book aimed at this age group. For example, "Rocks form in three ways. In the first way, melted rock bubbles up from inside the earth. Then it cools down and becomes hard igneous rock." Colorful and friendly looking book layout. Includes a rock chart, activities and an introduction to Mohs Hardness Scale. There is also a glossary, bibliography, & index. Karen Woodworth-Roman, Children's Science Book Review

I've searched through many K through 3 grade books that introduce rock formation to children. This by far is the best book. Younger children will need to have this book read to them, but the explanations are simple and easy to understand. Experienced readers will be able to read this

independently and understand the concepts that are introduced. Give this book and some rocks to any kid. They are sure to be excited!

Good introduction to geology for kids - read this before you start your rock collection! We used this book in our unit study about rocks and minerals.

The content of the book itself is fun and allows young children to learn about rocks. There's a problem though with the physical print of the book. While the content is intended for little kids, the book is easy to rip and not very sturdy, making it hard for children to enjoy it fully.

My Grandmother and cousin share a bond that spans the globe. Oregon to Western Australia. They send each other rocks from places they have been. I helped my Grandmother find this book to send to her darling great granddaughter. It had just the mix of science, appropriate illustrations and inspiring adventurism that we were looking for. Send it to a young rock hound you know!

I'm a former teacher who wanted a simple, clear book for my grandson and granddaughter. They are really into rocks right now and this book had great illustrations and easy to understand explanations. The kids are 7 and 9.

This book is very informative, and we home school. I recommend it for teaching about rocks. It's simple to understand.

This was a great book to help teach my young students more about rocks and minerals. I also purchased a Spanish version to teach them all bilingually. They loved them!

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