

EARTH SCIENCE  
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LAB: SEDIMENTARY ROCKS

Sample and Name	Texture	Grain Size	Other Observations
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**Questions:**

What are the three basic types of sedimentary rocks?

What material do all sedimentary rocks require in order to form?

Why does shale feel so smooth and sandstone so rough?

Where did the limestone most likely form? How can you tell?

Which clastic sedimentary rock probably formed in a river on a continent? Explain.

Which clastic sedimentary rock probably formed near the coast (near a beach)? Explain.

Which clastic sedimentary rock probably formed furthest away from the coast? Explain.