Plate Tectonics Test Study Guide - Chapter 9

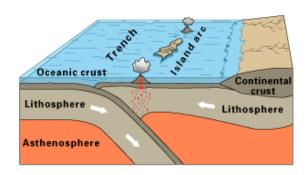
Know the following vocabulary: Alfred Wegener **Continental Drift** Pangaea **Plate Tectonics** Lithosphere Asthenosphere **Divergent Boundary Convergent Boundary Transform Boundary** Continental Volcanic Arc Rift Valley **Subduction Zone** Island Volcanic Arc **Convection Current** Lava Magma **Hot Spot** San Andreas Fault 1. The supercontinent was called _____ 2. Pangaea means 3. Who came up with the Theory of Continental Drift? 4. What were his 4 forms of evidence for Continental Drift? 5. Under each picture below, write down which form of evidence the picture represents 6. For **EACH** of the following types of evidence, explain **HOW** it was used to support the Theory of Continental Drift: a. Continental Puzzle Pieces b. Matching Fossils c. Matching Rock Types -

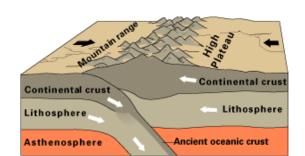
d. Ancient Climates - _____

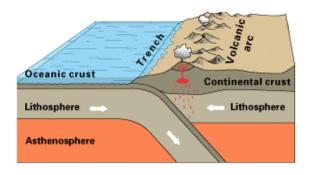
7. Why was Wegener's Theory NOT accepted?	
8. Make sure you know the relationship between heating up magma, its density, and whether it rises or sinks.	
9. What is the Lithosphere? Describe it.	
10. What is the Asthenosphere? Describe it.	
11. Label the picture to the right with the following words: asthenosphere continent lithosphere ocean	
12. Label the 3 pictures below with the TYPE of plate boundary they represent:	- 31
Plate Plate Plate Plate Plate Asthenosphere Asthenosphere	
13. What type of movement is occurring at each of the following types of plate boundaries?	
a. Convergent b. Divergent c. Transform	
14. Plate Tectonics cause what 3 occurrences?	
15. Divergent boundaries cause	
16. Convergent boundaries cause AND	
17. Transform boundaries cause	

18	What are the 3	types of	CONVERGENT	houndaries?
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19. Under **EACH** picture below, identify which type of convergent boundary the picture represents AND describe what is happening there







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20. What is the driving force behind plate tectonics?

Sea floor spreading questions

- 1. What is seafloor spreading? Where does it occur?
- 2. What technology is used to study the ocean floor?
- 3. Where do you find the oldest and the youngest seafloor rocks?
- 4. What are the 2 main evidences for the seafloor spreading?
- 5. What is paleomagnetism? What effect it has on the sea floor?