Science Y3 Cycle 2 Rocks and Soils

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sediment	Small rocks, sand and mud.
decompose	When something breaks down into the earth.
sand	Worn down rocks
permeable	Means water can pass through
soil	Worn down rocks and humus (dead animals and plants)

Types of natural rock		
l gne ous	Formed from lava that has cooled	granite
Se di mentary	 Large rocks break apart Small pieces of rock squashed together New, softer rock is formed 	chalk and sandstone
Metamorphic	 Started as igneous or sedimentary rock Changed by high heat and pressure 	slate and marble



