

**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
PRIMARY SECTION
STD III
Term -II
Ln.2. - ROCKS AND SOIL**

NOTE BOOK WORK

I. Answer the following questions.

Q.1. Define mineral.

Ans. The tiny grains that make up rocks are called minerals.

Q.2. How is soil formed?

Ans. Due to the force of water, wind and changes in weather the rocks broke into very small pieces and formed soil.

Q.3. Soil contains nutrients. Why does a farmer add manure to the soil ?

Ans. Manure and fertilizers are added to the soil to make it rich and fertile.

II. Give reason.

Q.1. Plants do not grow well in clayey soil.

Ans. Clayey soil is sticky. It holds lot of water and it doesn't hold air. So plants cannot grow well.

H.W- Stick four pictures of different types of rocks.

(Children should stick these pictures in the Science note book.)