

**INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
PRIMARY SECTION**

SUBJECT: SCIENCE	TERM II	NAME:
WORKSHEET :2		STD III: _____
TOPIC: ROCKS AND SOIL		ROLL NO:
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I. Answer the following.

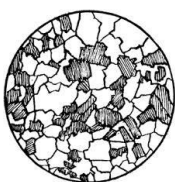
a) Why can chalk be used to write on a black board but not a granite?

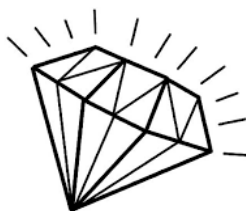
b) Name the different components of soil.

II. Think and answer

Anna found a mixture of different rocks. Can you help her to identify them?

1. It is the hardest rock used in jewellery also. _____
2. This rock is mainly used for as fuel and generation of electricity. _____
3. A soft rock used as slabs in buildings, bridges or monuments. _____







III. Justify the statement.

a) Gardeners like loamy soil.

b) Snakes come out of their burrows after a heavy rainfall.

IV. A caterpillar fell down from a tree on the ground. It was scared as the place was new. So it started looking for help. An earthworm came out from the soil and asked if it can help the caterpillar. The caterpillar was surprised to know that how the earthworm lived in the soil without food or air to breathe!!!! Earthworm said “ **Soil is precious**”

Do you agree with the earthworm? If so, mention some uses of soil.



The removal or washing away of the top soil by the action of wind and rain is called soil erosion. It takes thousands of years to form soil.