

# Geologic Time Vocabulary Starter

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Using the word bank below and your Earth Science Glossary, match the words with their correct definitions.

Anomalies	Correlation	Index Fossils
Isotopes	Outcrop	Outgassing
Principle of Superposition	Principle of Uniformitarianism	Unconformity

	<b>A different form of an element differing only in mass.</b>
	<b>The escaping of water vapor from the Earth's crust.</b>
	<b>Bedrock that can be seen on the Earth's surface.</b>
	<b>Best way to correlate rock layers.</b>
	<b>Something out of the ordinary. Unlikely to be repeated.</b>
	<b>Oldest layers on the bottom.</b>
	<b>Those things that occurred in the past are also occurring today.</b>
	<b>Matching up rock outcrops based on similar characteristics.</b>
	<b>A buried erosional surface.</b>