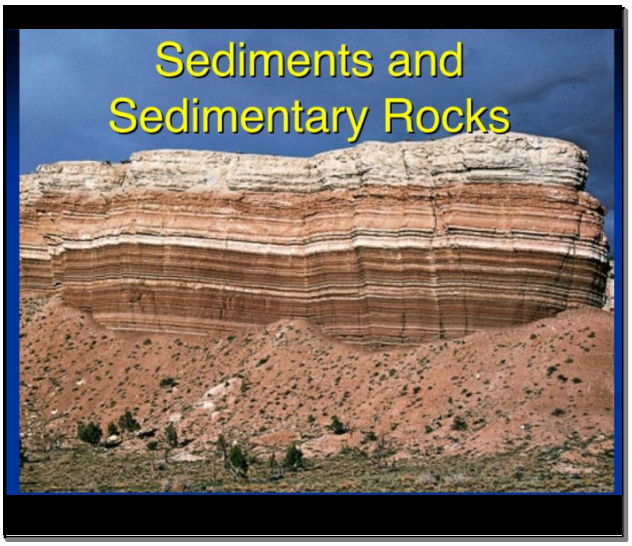

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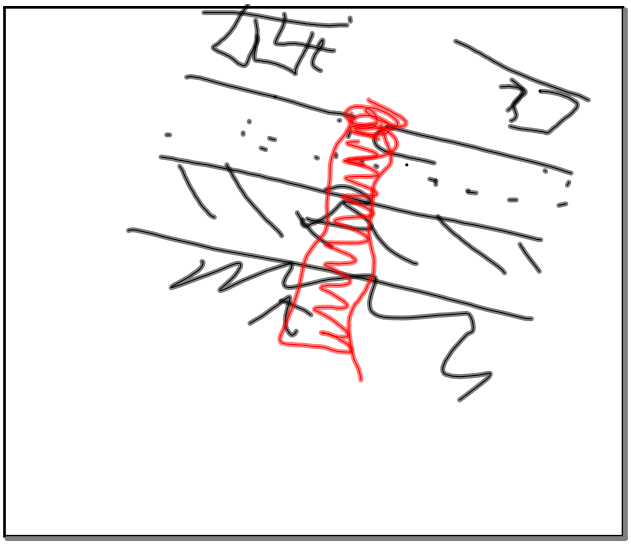

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Form by two main processes

Compaction Pressure

Squeeze

Cementation

Processes give common characteristics to sedimentary rocks

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Three subtypes of sedimentary rock

Subtype is determined by what type of sediment is deposited and how it is deposited

Chemical- Minerals were dissolved in water.
ex. Gypsum and Halite

Organic- Form from remains of living things
ex. Limestone, Coal

Clastic- Form from bits of other rocks

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Clastic rocks are described and identified mainly by the size of the sediment

Particles 2mm and larger
Rounded Particles = Conglomerate
Angular fragments = Breccia

Sand sized particles Sandstone

Clay sized particles Shale

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Other characteristics of clastic sediments:

Sorting

Angularity

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