

Lesson 3

Welcome To 7th grade Life Science!

Mrs. Winters

Materials Needed

Today

Please take these materials out of your backpack.

- Pencil
- Fossils Notes and labs

Hot Sync

Monday 12/16/13

Answer the following questions in complete sentences on a BLANK sheet of paper.

**Describe decomposition.
(2 sentences)**

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Tuesday 12/17/13

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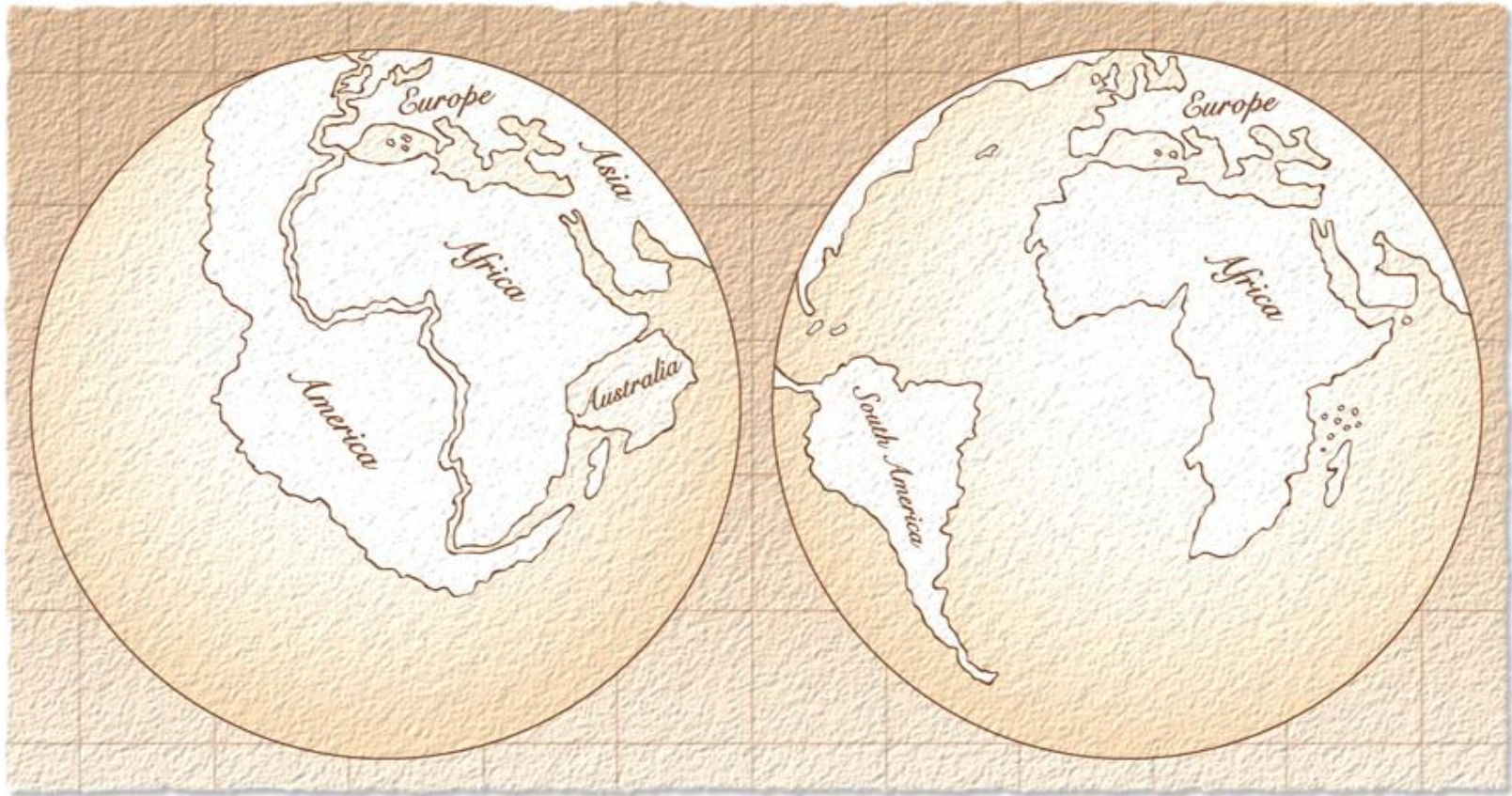
From what you know, explain how earth quakes happen. (this is your own answer no right or wrong I just want to know what you think.) (2 sentences)

Continental Drift

- Acceptance of the continental drift hypothesis led to the development of the theory of plate tectonics.
- As lithospheric plates move, they create environmental changes for the organisms that live in or near them.
- The changes lead to the development of and extinction of species.



Continental Drift (cont.)



Resources



Geographic Isolation

- **Geographic isolation** occurs when populations of species are separated by a physical barrier.
- Once separated, the populations might follow different evolutionary paths.



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Wednesday 12/18/13

Answer the following questions in complete sentences on a **BLANK sheet of paper.**

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Write the order of classifying organisms from biggest to smallest! (LIST all 7)

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Thursday 12/19/13

Answer the following questions in complete sentences on a **BLANK** sheet of paper.

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What one question do you have about fossils, plate tectonics, or classifying organisms? (1 sentence)