

# Sort the Paragraphs

In non-fiction texts, paragraphs are often grouped below a sub-heading.

Can you sort the rock facts on page 2 under the correct sub-heading?

There should be 3 statements in each section.

What Are Rocks & What Are They Used For?

Different Types of Rock:

Space Rocks:

NOTE: If you do not want to print out this activity, you can always draw your own table and write the statements into the correct paragraphs.

A rock is a solid collection of mineral grains that grow or become cemented together.

Rocks and minerals are mined to help make things around us.

Sedimentary rocks are formed when small pieces of sediment are buried and squashed together.

When space rock and debris burn up as they enter the atmosphere, it causes streaks of light called shooting stars, or meteors.

Igneous rocks form when magma (molten rock) cools and becomes solid.

Every day, about 500 tonnes of dust and rock from space collides with planet Earth.

Large rocks are used to create the stone slabs used in buildings, while the tiny pieces of metal found within rocks are used in mobile phones and jewellery.

Metamorphic rocks are rocks that have been changed by heat or pressure, or by both.

Rocks from space that land on the Earth's surface are called meteorites.