

Word Bank: Earth Science

Here are some of the terms students need to know about earth science.

Choose the words that your class will learn.

Add more words, too.

Your students can make the same bilingual chart for any topic.

The Earth	Building Blocks	Landforms	Technology	Careers
bedrock = <i>fundamento</i> continental drift = <i>terreno de acarreo continental</i> continental shelf = <i>plataforma continental</i> crust = <i>cubierta</i> core = <i>núcleo</i> earthquake = <i>terremoto</i> erosion = <i>erosión</i> lava = <i>lava</i> magma = <i>magma</i> mantle = <i>manto</i> molten = <i>derretido</i> top soil = <i>capa superior</i> plate tectonics = <i>placas tectónicas</i> soil = <i>tierra</i> sediment = <i>sedimento</i>	clay soil = <i>barro de tierra</i> cement = <i>cemento</i> clay = <i>barro</i> coal = <i>carbón</i> diamond = <i>diamante</i> feldspar = <i>feldespato</i> granite = <i>granito</i> graphite = <i>grafito</i> lead = <i>plomo</i> limestone = <i>piedra caliza</i> mineral = <i>mineral</i> marble = <i>mármol</i> metal = <i>metal</i> pumice = <i>piedra pómez</i> quartz = <i>cuarzo</i> sand = <i>arena</i> sandstone = <i>piedra de arena</i>	crater = <i>cráter</i> elevation = <i>elevación</i> fault = <i>falla</i> mountains = <i>montañas</i> glacier = <i>glaciar</i> landfills = <i>tierras rehabilitadas</i> plateau = <i>meseta</i> topographic map = <i>mapa topográfico</i> valley = <i>valle</i> volcano = <i>volcán</i>	fossil fuel = <i>combustible fósil</i> Geiger counter = <i>contador Geiger</i> geological map = <i>mapa geológico</i> geologic scale = <i>escala geológica</i> geothermal energy = <i>energía geotérmica</i> petroleum = <i>petróleo</i> seismograph = <i>sismógrafo</i> strip mining = <i>explotación de mina</i>	geologist = <i>geólogo</i> paleontologist = <i>paleontólogo</i> seismologist = <i>sismólogo</i> surveyor = <i>topógrafo</i> engineer = <i>ingeniero</i>