Grade Level: 10 Course Name: Earth and Space



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GRADE LEVEL: 10 COURSE NAME: Earth and Space MEASUREMENT TOPIC: Evaluate the Composition of the Earth	
4	In addition to Score 3, the student makes in-depth inferences and applications.
3	 Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information about the geologic conditions and processes that form different Earth materials. Construct an explanation using evidence from experiments, models, or data of the processes that transform igneous, sedimentary, and metamorphic rocks.
2	 Obtain and communicate information about significant geologic characteristics in Alabama and the southeastern United States. Analyze and interpret data to explain the effects of mechanical and chemical weathering and erosion on Earth's materials. Plan and conduct an investigation on water's effect on surface and subsurface processes. Construct an explanation of the processes that create rocks.

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With help, a partial understanding of some of the simpler details and processes and some of the more complex ideas and processes.

Key Vocabulary: