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VOLCANOES INTERACTIVE

<http://www.learner.org/interactives/dynamicearth/slip2.html>

CAN WE PREDICT VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS?

LAVA TYPES

Find out about the three types of lava and how they affect the type of volcanic eruption

BASALT

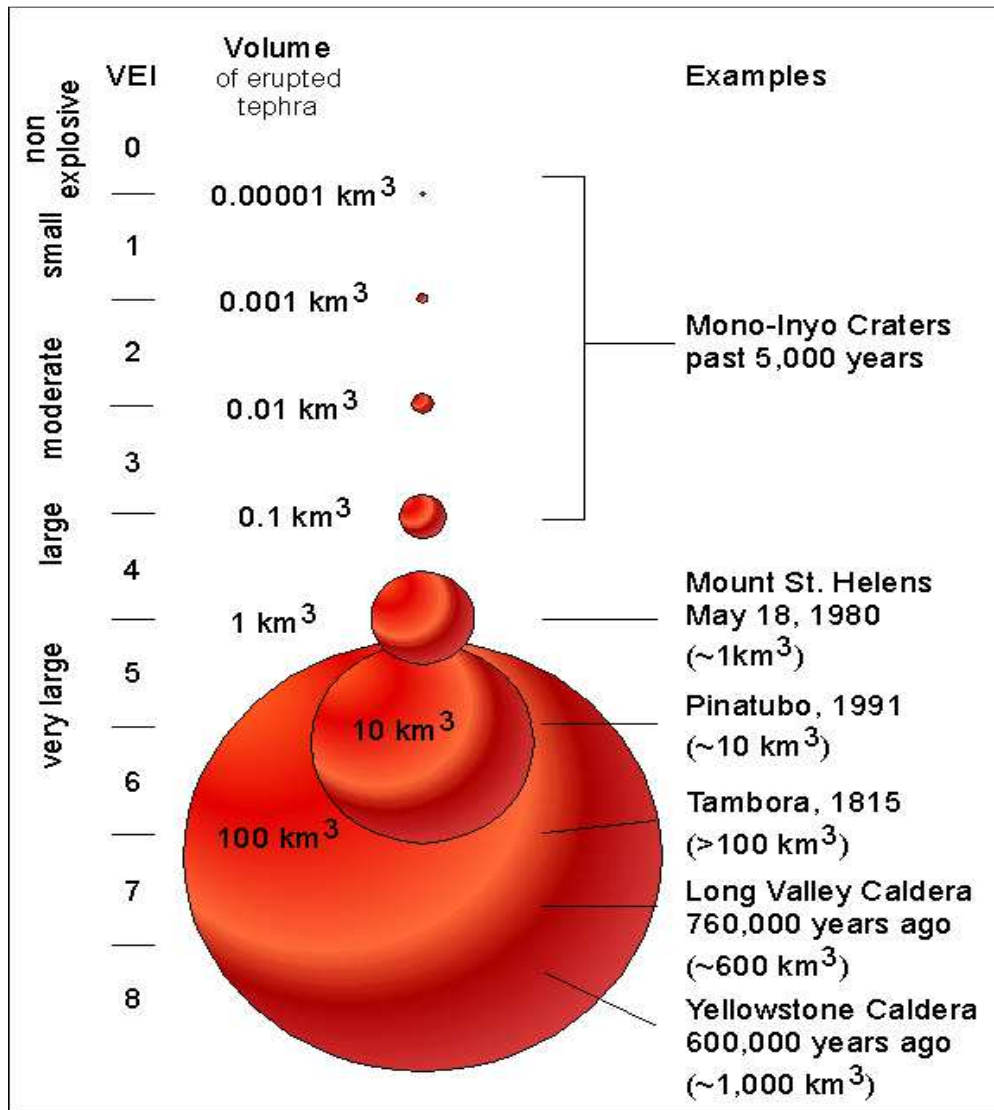
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Relate the 3 lava types to numbers of The VEI scale

BASALT

ANDESITE

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DYNAMIC EARTH

Briefly describe the 3 main types of plate settings that produce volcanic eruptions

COLLIDING/DESTRUCTIVE/CONVERGING

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SEPARATING/CONSTRUCTIVE/DIVERGING

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HOT SPOTS

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Add labels and commentary to each of the diagrams below to relate volcanic activity to plate setting

	<p style="text-align: center;">Oceanic-oceanic convergence</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">"Hotspot" Volcano (e.g., Hawaii)</p>

HAZARDS

Write a couple of sentences on each of the main volcanic hazards and label the diagram

AND GO TO THIS SITE FOR MORE ON VOLCANIC HAZARDS

<http://www.explorevolcanoes.com/volcanic-hazards.html>

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PYROCLASTIC FLOW

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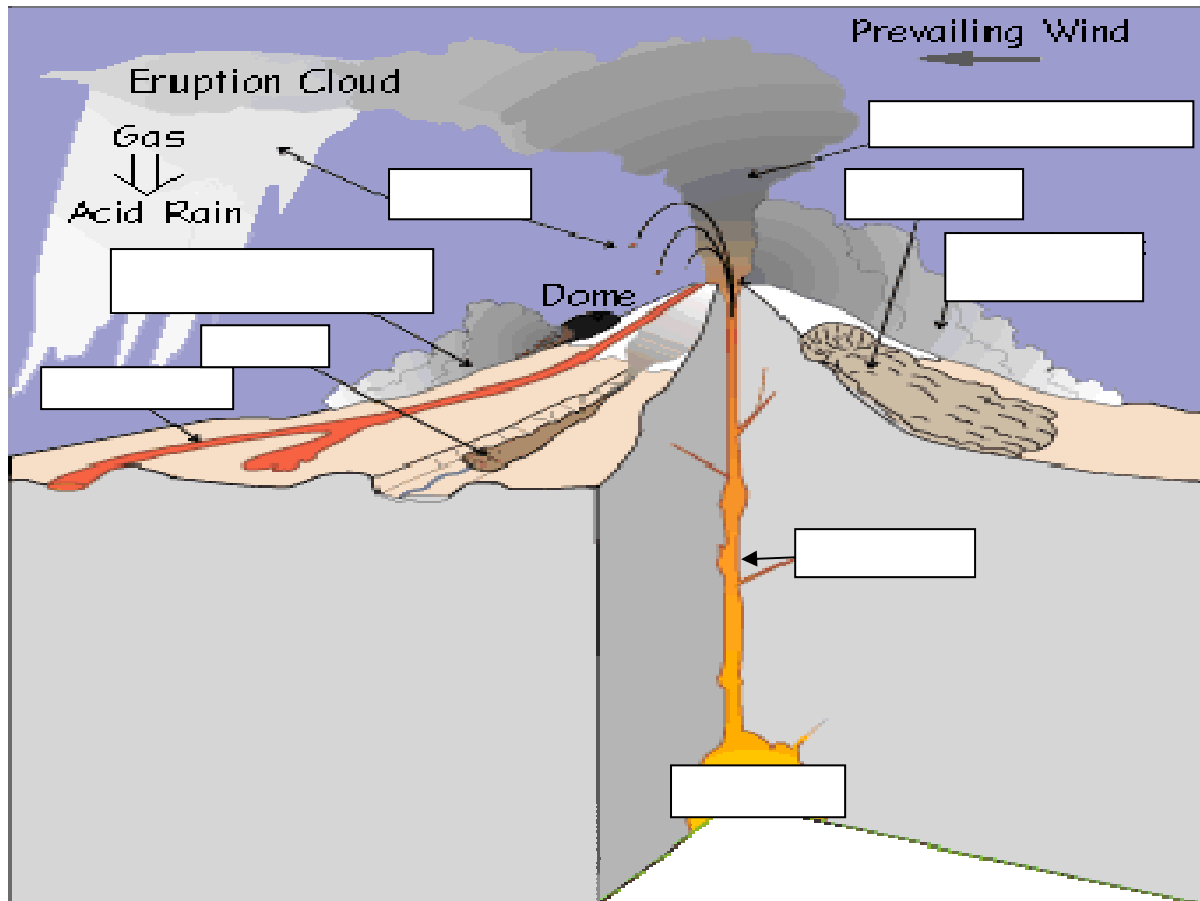
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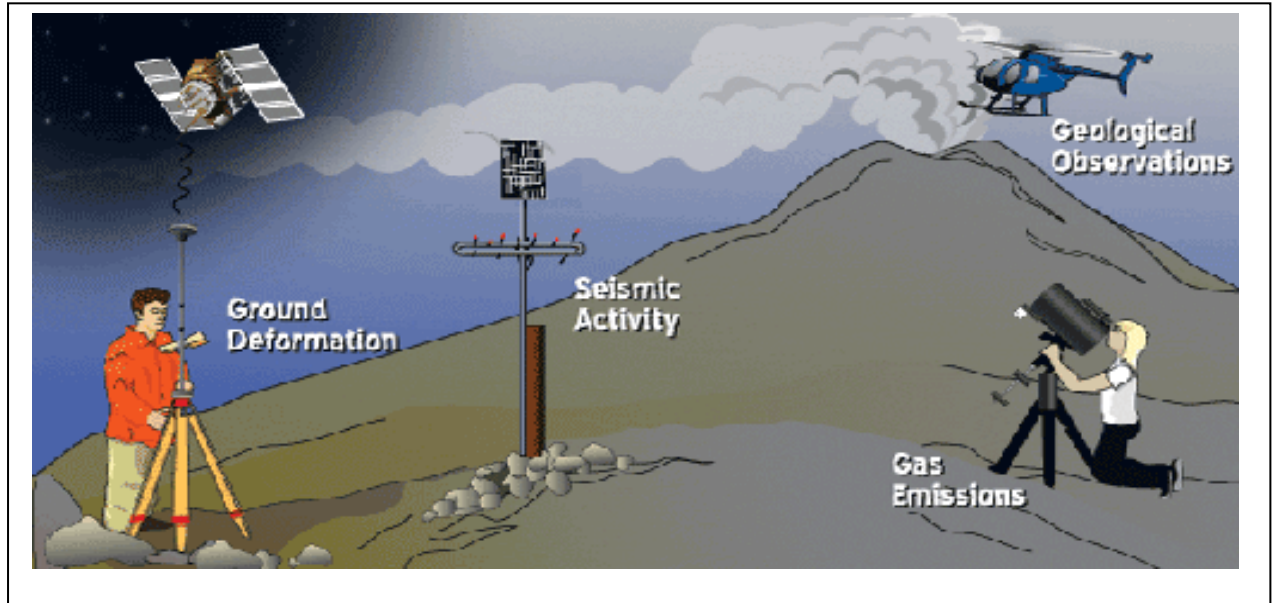
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Nature Of activity	Type of plate margin	Constructive plate margin	Destructive plate margin
Type of magma		Basaltic	Andesitic Acidic
Characteristics of Lava		Runny (low silica)	Increasing viscosity (high silica)
Type of eruption		Low level of violence gases escape easily	Potentially explosive
Eruption height		1km	Over 17km to tropopause
Materials Produced		Mostly lava	Tephra and pyroclastics
Frequency		Regular/continuous	Sporadic; periods of dormancy
Form of volcano		Lava plateau; shield volcano	Acid lava domes; composite cones
Classification		Icelandic	Vulcanian > Plinian

FORECASTING ERUPTIONS

Write a short section on each of the following ways of attempting to predict eruptions



And visit this site to get more information on predicting volcanic eruptions

<http://www.edu4hazards.org/volcano/predict.html>

SEISMICITY

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GAS EMISSIONS

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GROUND DEFORMATION

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What geological observations could be made?

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COPING WITH THE RISK (MITIGATION)

Write brief notes on the following methods of mitigation

REMOVING THE THREAT

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PLANNING

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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

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Now read the following 2 articles and add any new info to your notes

http://pubs.usgs.gov/gip/volc/
http://pubs.usgs.gov/gip/monitor/