

7th Grade Personal Geologic Timeline

Create and draw a timeline that compares Earth's geologic history to your own life.

1. The timeline should go horizontally across a large piece of paper.
2. The top half of the timeline should diagram Earth's geological eons, eras, periods, and epochs. It should have at least 10 descriptions of the most important events and (extinct) species.
3. The bottom half of the timeline should diagram your own life. It should have at least 10 descriptions of the most important events that have happened to you.
4. The geologic timeline and your personal timeline should line up: your birth is the formation of the earth; your age right now, e.g. 12 or 13 years old, should line up with the Quarternary period of the geologic timeline.

Grading:

- 2 point for neatness and presentation (includes using a ruler for straight lines, spelling, punctuation, etc.)
- 4 points for 10 descriptions in the geologic side of the timeline.
- 4 points for 10 descriptions in the personal side of the timeline.