

# The Rock Box



Developed in conjunction with the East Midlands Geological Association, this resource is a collection of minerals and fossils. The resource contains information on the different forms of rocks, the rock cycle and the formation of fossils, as well as a geological timescale and map of Western Europe. Each sample in the resource comes with an information card.

The resource also contains a UV lightbox for observing the changes in the fluorescent rocks when exposed to different forms of light. These are all securely packed in conservation standard museum cases.

**The minerals and fossils represented in the resource include** Plesiosaur, ammonite, trilobite, sandstone, limestone, slate, fluorite, ruby, common opal, amethyst and citrine samples, among many others.

The resource has been developed to meet the requirements of the national curriculum for **science** at **KS1-3**

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***The resources made the topic come alive...real 'wow' moments when they were brought out!*** - Year 3 teacher, Middleton Primary

***A great way of explaining primary and secondary sources...we could tell the story of the topic through the objects*** - Year 5 teacher, Arnbrook Primary