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Igneous rocks such as granite or lava are tough, frozen melts with little texture or layering. Rocks like these contain mostly black, white and/or gray minerals. Sedimentary rocks such as limestone or shale are hardened sediment with sandy or clay-like layers (strata). They are usually brown to gray in color and may have fossils and water or wind marks. The Rock Cycle via video for Igneous Rock, Sedimentary Rock and Metamorphic Rock. These are the concepts that my kids find confusing, so I've added some extra information from sites to help kids understand the differences. This site is for kids of all ages who love rocks. Here you will find out stuff about rocks & minerals and where to go to find out more. If you already collect rocks then this is the place for you! Gemstones of the World (fifth edition) by Walter Schumann is one of the most popular gemstone books ever written. Over one million copies have been sold. It has about 100 pages of basic gemstone information and about 200 pages dedicated to photos and descriptions of over 100 gems and gem materials.