

Claim-Evidence-Reasoning

Name:	Date:

Scenario

You are telling your friend how excited you are to visit a national park in Hawaii. Your friend says that he was just there a few weeks ago and had a great time! He shows you the picture below that he took while he was at the park.

You get to Hawaii and visit the park, but it looks different from your friend's picture. You don't see any grass, but just smooth, black rock.





Prompt

Explain which event most likely caused the changes to the national park.

Claim:			
Evidence:			



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Quick Changes to Land CER

Rubric for Writing a Scientific Explanation

Points Awarded	2	1	0
Claim	Student makes an accurate and complete claim.	Student makes a claim that is inaccurate or incomplete.	Student does not make a claim.
Evidence	Student provides more than two accurate pieces of evidence.	Student provides one or two accurate pieces of evidence.	Student gives no response or provides a response that is off topic.