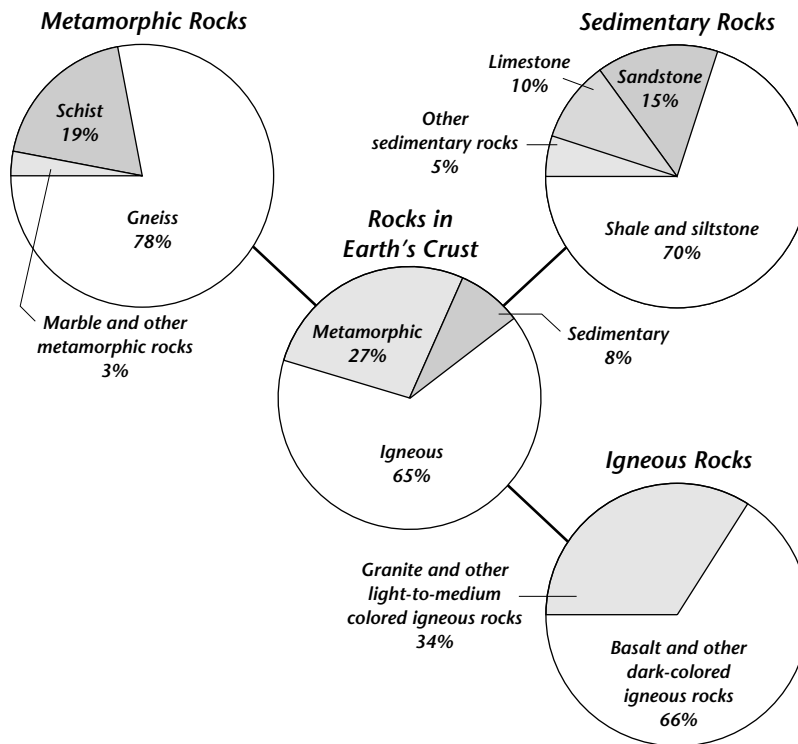


Rocks ▪ *Enrich*

A Crust Full of Rocks

The three major groups of rocks make up Earth’s crust. But these groups of rocks are not found in equal amounts. The circle graph in the center below shows each group’s percentage of the crust. The three circle graphs that surround the central one show the percentage of rocks that make up each group. You’ll learn about many of these rocks as you read the rest of the chapter. Study the circle graphs below, and then answer the questions that follow.



Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Which rock group makes up most of Earth’s crust, and what is its percentage?
2. How do rocks in that rock group form?
3. What kind of rocks make up most of the igneous rocks? From your knowledge of Earth’s crust, where would you most likely find such rocks?
4. Which rock group makes up the least part of Earth’s crust, and what is its percentage?
5. How do rocks in that rock group form?
6. What kind of rock makes up the greatest part of metamorphic rocks, and what is its percentage?
7. How do metamorphic rocks form?