

WHY DOES THAT ROCK...ROCK?

Look at the list of rocks that were featured in the virtual field trip and think about what you learned about their stories. What made that rock more than just a rock? Was it a natural process that shaped it in a unique way? Or did humans do something to the rock that made it special? Sort the rocks into the correct chart, next to the correct process.

Abenaki stone bowls The Basin Endicott Rock Frog Rock The Old Man of the Mountain Wentworth's Store sign Willey Slide stone walls

Natural Process

Process Rock Name glacial erratic water/erosion landslide/erosion multi-rock formation

Human Process

Process	Rock Name
tourist attraction	
communication	
tool	
boundary marker	

Do any of the rocks fit in more than one category? How did the different processes involved change the rock's story?

What do New Hampshire's famous rocks tell us about how Earth changes over time?