Lesson – Geologic Time Scale

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Geologic Time Scale

 Broken into 4 main sections by similarities.
 - Eon

- Era

- Period

- Epoch





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Precambrian Eon:

- Longest eon
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Makes up 88% of all geologic time
- Started with formation of the earth & ended 540 million years ago



Paleozoic Era:

- Development of life in the oceans
- Early insects & first reptiles









Pangaea broke up 1st mammals arrived

1st flowering plant

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Cenozoic Era

- Dino's became extinct but mammals flourished
 ''Age of Mammals''
 Continents moved to present location
 Alps & Himalayas formed
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