

The uses of rocks and minerals.

1. Put these words into the correct place

Calcium

Potassium

Talc

Fluoride

Magnesium

Lithium

Sodium

Copper

Jewelry

Gypsum

Graphite

Sandstone

✚ Yogurt is rich in _____ and avocados are rich in _____. These minerals are important for healthy bodies.

✚ Many toothpastes contain _____. This mineral protects our teeth from bacteria and helps prevent tooth decay.

✚ Broccoli contains _____ and chicken contains _____. These minerals help maintain the right amount of water in our bones.

✚ Batteries contain _____.

✚ Electric wires are made of _____.

✚ Cement is made of _____.

✚ Pencils are made of _____.

✚ _____ is made of gold and silver.

✚ Paint is made using _____.

2. Choose the right answer.



✚ Salamanca is called the golden city because it has many buildings made of _____.



✚ _____ is used to build roofs because it can be easily cut into thin, flat pieces and it is waterproof.



✚ The Escorial Monastery looks grey because it was built using _____.



✚ _____ is used for floors because it is hardwearing, attractive, and cool in hot weather.