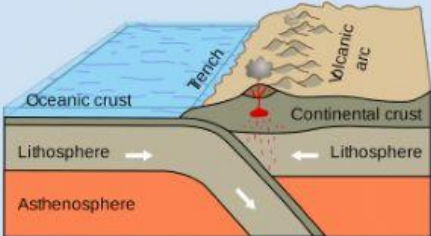


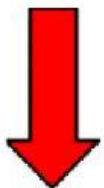
## Classify Minerals Assessment

What are the 3 ways that minerals are formed?  
Check all that apply.

Metamorphism  
Falling to Earth from outer space  
Lava melting and cooling  
Solutions

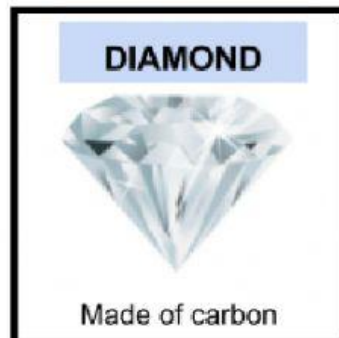
**DIRECTIONS:** Read the description and choose the answer that best shows how the mineral described was most likely formed.

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| 1. |    | Found at the bottom of a dry lake bed                                              |  |
| 2. | Found near a volcano                                                                |  |  |
| 3. |  | Found below the Earth's surface where the temperatures and pressure are high       |  |



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Drag and drop to classify the minerals based on their chemical composition:



| Silicate | Nonsilicate |
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