

VOLCANOES – NATURE'S DRAGONS



volcano	eruption	volcanologist	smoke	magma
lava	basalt	fire	mountains	dormant

Complete the missing verbs in the Present Simple or Present Progressive.

_____ you _____ (know) what volcanoes _____ (be)?

Volcanoes _____ (look) like mountains, but they _____ (have) an opening on the top.

Volcanoes are created when magma _____ (erupt) from under the surface of the earth. Once the magma _____ (be) out, it is called lava. Lava _____ (be) liquid rock. It _____ (flow) down the volcano until it _____ (cool) down. When the lava hardens into a rock, we _____ (call) it basalt rock.

Look! Smoke _____ (come) from that mountain over there!

Look! Lava _____ (erupt)!

People _____ (run) away! They _____ (be) scared!

The lava _____ (flow) very fast. I _____ (hope) it _____ (run) straight into the ocean to cool down.



Answer the following questions.

How many types of volcanoes are explored in the video?

Which group of islands was created by erupting volcanoes?

How many active volcanoes are there?

How many active volcanoes are in the USA?

What is the Ring of Fire?

Which three volcanoes are among the most frightening and terribly destructive?

Where is there a volcano that hasn't come to its full power yet and might be the most massive super-volcano ever?

MATCH

Shield volcano	Straight, steep sides 
Cinder cone volcano	Gentle, lower slopes 
Strato volcano	Gradual sloping sides 