

Ch. 2 Earthquakes  
Study Guide for Test

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List the three types of stress and define them. (page 45)

List the three types of faults? Describe each one. (page 46)

How are mountains formed? (page 48)

What are plateaus and how are they formed? (page 50)

What are seismic waves? (page 52)

What are the three types of waves? Describe them. (page 53)

List the 3 different scales used to measure earthquakes and describe all 3. (page 54)

How are seismic waves detected? Describe it. (page 61)

Can earthquakes be predicted? (page 65)

Where in the United States do earthquakes occur most often? (page 69)

What are four ways that earthquakes cause damage? Describe each one. (page 70)

How do you make a building safer for earthquakes? (page 72)