Answer Key

Igneous_rx_pre_test

1. 2.	<u>1</u> 4	23.	— Large crystals form from slow	30.	-melting -cooling -solidification/cr-
2. 3.	3		cooling deep underground. — The	31.	vesicular basalt <i>or</i> scoria
4.	_4		crystals in syenite formed in an	32.	1
5.	<u>1</u>		intrusion or an	33.	1mm to 10 mm
6.	2		intrusive environment. — The texture is coarse. —	34.	Responses include,
7.	_4				but are not limited to:
8.	3		Syenite formed by		obsidian; basaltic glass; pumice;
9.	2		solidification of magma. — Large		vesicular basalt glass.
10.	3		interlocking crystals	35.	Responses include,
11.	<u>1</u>		— Syenite formed inside of Earth.		but are not limited to: A is slower cooling
12.	2	24.	Examples: melting and solidification;		than B; B is faster
13.	<u>1</u>	211			cooling than <i>A</i> ; Intrusive rock forms
14.	2		melting and crystallization;		from molten rock that
15.	<u>1</u>		cooling and crystallization		cools slowly;
16.	_4				Extrusive rock forms from molten rock
17.	<u>1</u>	25.	Acceptable responses		than cools rapidly.
18.	2		include, but are not limited to, these	36.	fine grained (crystals
19.	3		examples: coarse;		less than 1 mm) glassy texture
20.	3		nonvesicular; large grains; big crystals		vesicular texture dark
21.	_4	26.	Mineral A —		colored mafic (high Fe and Mg content)
22.	<i>Examples: –</i> plagioclase feldspar – potassium feldspar (orthoclase)	20.	potassium feldspar <i>or</i> orthoclase; Mineral <i>B</i> — plagioclase All	high density (3.0 g/cm ³) mineral composition: plagioclase feldspar pyroxene olivine	

27.

Characteristic of Granite	Description
Texture	coarse nonvesicular 1 mm to 10 mm
Color	light colored white pink gray
Density	low 2.7 g/cm ³

28. diorite

29. -silicon or Si -oxygen or O -aluminum or Al

IMPORTANT NOTE (!):

The answer key shown on this page does not include full sentences, nor does it describe the importance of including nouns in ALL of your responses to constructed response questions. Therefore, you should "grade yourself" on the understanding that ALL constructed response questions should include: full sentences, a restating of the question, and subject nouns (NOT pronouns) throughout your answer.