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## Geology for non-geologist cavers

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Do you really know what limestone is? How is basalt different from granite? What is the difference between a rock and a mineral? How do we describe the basic host of our caves. How has this changed over time? What is the context of fossils? How can I tell if information is seriously out of date?

These and other questions will be explored in a BASIC but hands on geology workshop for non geologists. If you have done some formal geology in the past this is NOT FOR YOU. However if you are confused as to why some rocks look like they do and what the difference between bedding and cleavage planes are, come along for some fun.

Video

http://nswsc.caves.org.au/trogalong/video/geology-for-non-geologists\_Sue-White.avi