Topic:

The Dynamic Crust

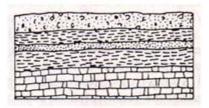
Aim:

How do we know that the Earth's crust has shifted over time?

1. What is strata?

horizontal layers of sedimentary rock

indicates that crustal has not been disturbed



2. What events show evidence of crustal movement?

a. <u>Tilting</u>

strata is shifted to an angle away from its original horizontal deposition.



b.

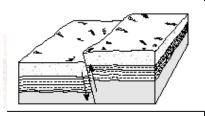
Folding

strata is bent as a result of extreme pressures



c. Thrust Faulting

A break in strata along which there is vertical (up and down) movement.



d. Transform Faulting

A break in strata along which there is horizontal (side by side) movement.

