

Answer these questions

1. How do rocks change to soil?

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2. In the beginning the earth was covered with hard rocks. The action of the sun, the rain and the wind broke up the rock to change into soil.

3. Is the size of the particles same in different types of soil? Explain.

4. No, the size of the particles

is not same in different types of soil. Different types of soil has particles of different sizes. Some soil contains more water, some contains more air.

3 How will you show that soil contains moisture?

Ans To show that soil contains moisture put some soil in a small tin, cover it with a lid with the help

of an adult, heat the tin on a low flame. You will see small droplets of water forming on the underside of the lid. This proves that soil has moisture in it.

What are the different kinds of soil?

sandy soil and clay soil and loamy soil.

5) Why do farmers add manure to soil?

Ans Farmers add manure to the soil because it is rich in humus and it makes the soil more fertile.