

Worksheet: Label and Record a Fossil



Name: _____

Introduction:

Fossils lose their scientific value if you do not document where the fossils were collected. Geological context of the fossil site location is just as important as the fossil itself. This is why we take notes before collecting and create labels like the one that you will be filling out below after going through the slides on recreational collecting with your teacher.

Specimen Number:

Site/Location:

GPS Coordinates:

Geology:

Common Name:

Scientific Name:

Collector Name:

Collection Date:

Comments:
