

Eras of Time Questions:

Complete the answers on the backside of your Eras of Earth handout.

1. Between the periods of time that the Earth formed and the Archeon Eon began what was happening to and on Earth?
2. Could today's animals have survived prior to the appearance of Precambrian stromatolites? Why or why not?
3. What type of rock formation(s) would you find today from Precambrian time? List them.
4. Explain how dinosaurs have changed from the beginning of the Triassic to the end of the Cretaceous periods.
5. What is a hominid?
6. Create a timeline to show the rise of humans.
7. When have the majority of events occurred on Earth? Why do you believe this to be so?