Investigating Properties of Rocks

Look carefully at your rock sample.
Draw a detailed drawing of your rock.
Write a list of words you would use to describe your rock.

Share your describing words and make a class list.

Complete the following data table with words and drawings.

What color is your rock?	
Look at the bits or pieces that make up your rock. What size or sizes are they? Big, medium, or small?	
Does your rock have layers?	
Does your rock have fossils?	
Does your rock have air holes?	
Gently rub your rock back and forth against the paper. Do any bits break off or leave color on the paper?	