

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

## Virginia Rocks, Then and Now Research Guide

Read through the guide below. Use it to focus your research as you RE-READ the Virginia Department of Energy: Geology Resources web page. Record your answers in the spaces provided. *Not all resource pages have all of this information. Read carefully, but don't worry if you can't find an answer.*

Name of resource: \_\_\_\_\_

What is this resource used for? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**First** year it was  
produced or found in  
Virginia:

**Last** year it was  
produced or found in  
Virginia:

\*If still found or produced in Virginia, put the current year.

Describe the geologic process that formed the resource: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Describe the historic significance (if any) of this resource: \_\_\_\_\_

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What else is interesting or surprising about this resource: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mark on the map the location(s) at which your mineral or rock is/was found:

