



Introduction to Plate Tectonics

Mountains quake because of Him and the hills dissolve; Indeed the earth is upheaved by His presence, the world and all the inhabitants in it. Nahum 1:5

1. **True or False?** Like an apple has a peel all the way around it, the earth has a crust all the way around it.
2. Earth's crust is built from smaller pieces, called _____.
3. **True or False?** Some tectonic plates are larger than the continents that sit on them.
4. The continent of _____ shares part of a plate with the continent of _____.

North America, Australia**Asia, Europe****Europe, South America**
5. **True or False?** All plates have a continent on them.
6. What does the term "plate tectonics" mean?

It tells us that the earth is built from plates of crust.

It means to study something very technically.

Extra Credit! What language does the word "tectonics" come from?
