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E-Content in Geography for Higher Secondary Stage

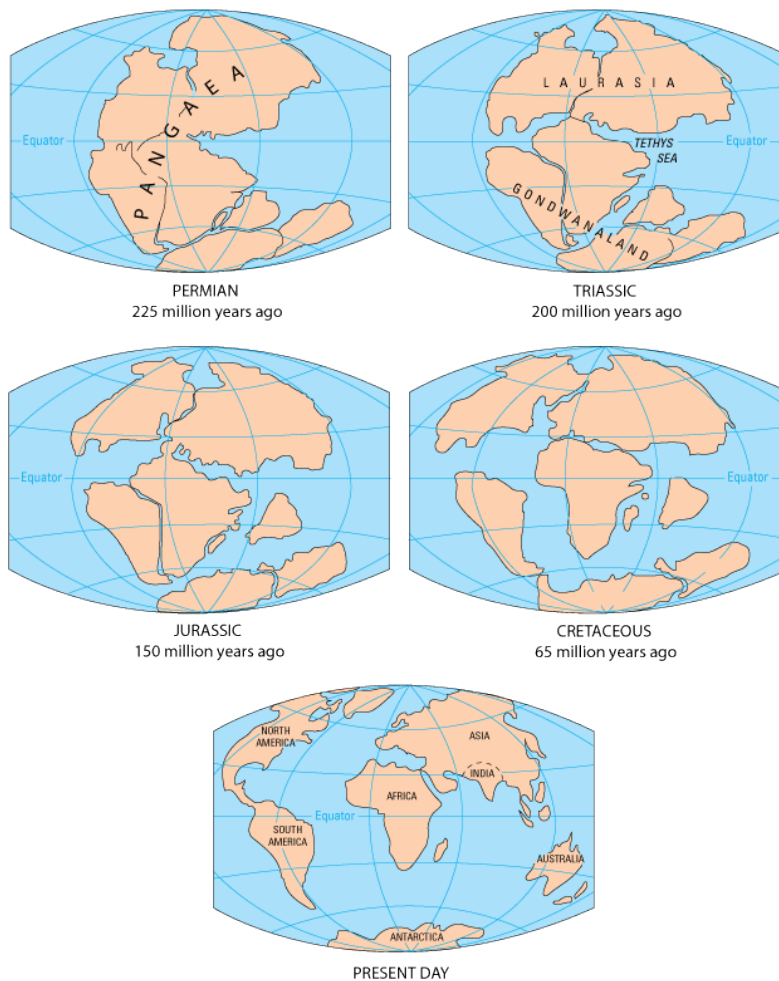
Fundamentals of Physical Geography Class XI)

for the month of August

Metadata

S.NO.	Area	Content
1	Topic	Pangaea
2	Subject	Geography
3	Topic connected which area of subject?	Distribution of Oceans and Continents
4	Class/ Level	XI
5	Objective	To make students aware about position of continents through geological past.
6	Summary	According to Continental drift theory all the continents formed a single continental mass and mega ocean surrounded the same . The super continent was named PANGAEA, which meant all earth. The mega ocean was called PANTHALASSA meaning all water. Around 200 million years ago , the super continent Pangaea, began to split. Pangaea first broke into two large continental masses as Laurasia and Gondwanaland forming the northern and southern components respectively. Subsequently, Laurasia and Gondwanaland continued to break into various smaller continents that exist today.
7	Key Words	Pangaea, Panthalassa, Laurasia,

		Gondwanaland
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Figures showing position of continents through Geological Past

Source: https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/5/5c/Pangaea_to_present.gif

Activity:

- Which animal was found on the earth before 150 million years ago?
- Who propounded Continental Drift Theory?