



# Geologic Time Scale

<b>Tertiary</b> (65.5 - 2.588 mya)	<b>Neogene</b> (23.03 - 2.588 mya)
	<b>Paleogene</b> (65.5 - 23.03 mya)

**Phanerozoic**  
(542.0 mya to present)

**Mesozoic**  
(251.0 to 65.5 mya)

**Paleozoic**  
(542.0 to 251.0 mya)

**Precambrian**  
(4600 to 542.0 mya)

**Cenozoic**  
(65.5 mya to present)

<b>Proterozoic</b> (2500 - 542.0 mya)
<b>Archean</b> (4000 - 2500 mya)
<b>Hadean</b> (4600 - 4000 mya)

<b>Permian</b> (299.0 - 251.0 mya)
<b>Carboniferous</b> (359.2 - 299.0 mya)
<b>Devonian</b> (416.0 - 359.2 mya)
<b>Silurian</b> (443.7 - 416.0 mya)
<b>Ordovician</b> (488.3 - 443.7 mya)
<b>Cambrian</b> (542.0 - 488.3 mya)

<b>Quaternary</b> (2.588 mya to present)	<b>Holocene</b> (11,700 yrs - present)
	<b>Pleistocene</b> (2.588 mya - 11,700 yrs)

<b>Cretaceous</b> (145.5 - 65.5 mya)
<b>Jurassic</b> (199.6 - 145.5 mya)
<b>Triassic</b> (251.0 - 199.6 mya)