

The University of the State of New York
REGENTS HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION

PHYSICAL SETTING
EARTH SCIENCE

Thursday, June 18, 2026 — 1:15 to 4:15 p.m., only

ANSWER BOOKLET

Student

Teacher

School Grade

Record your answers for Part B–2 and Part C in this booklet.

Part B-2

51 _____

52 _____ **h**

53 _____ **o**

54 Process *A*: _____

Process *B*: _____

Process *C*: _____

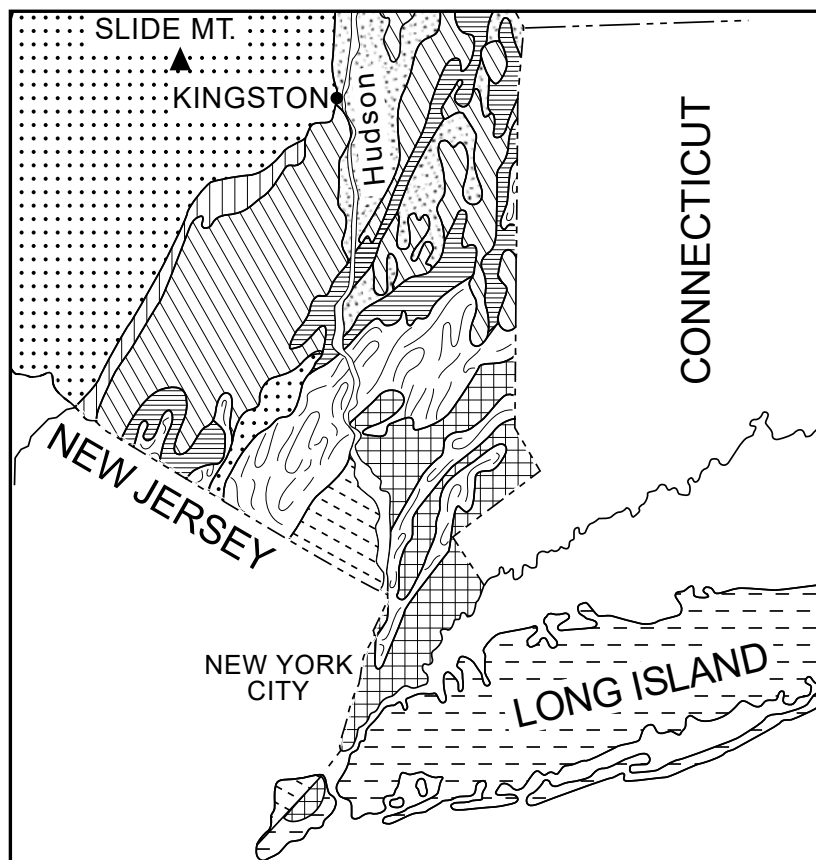
Process *D*: _____

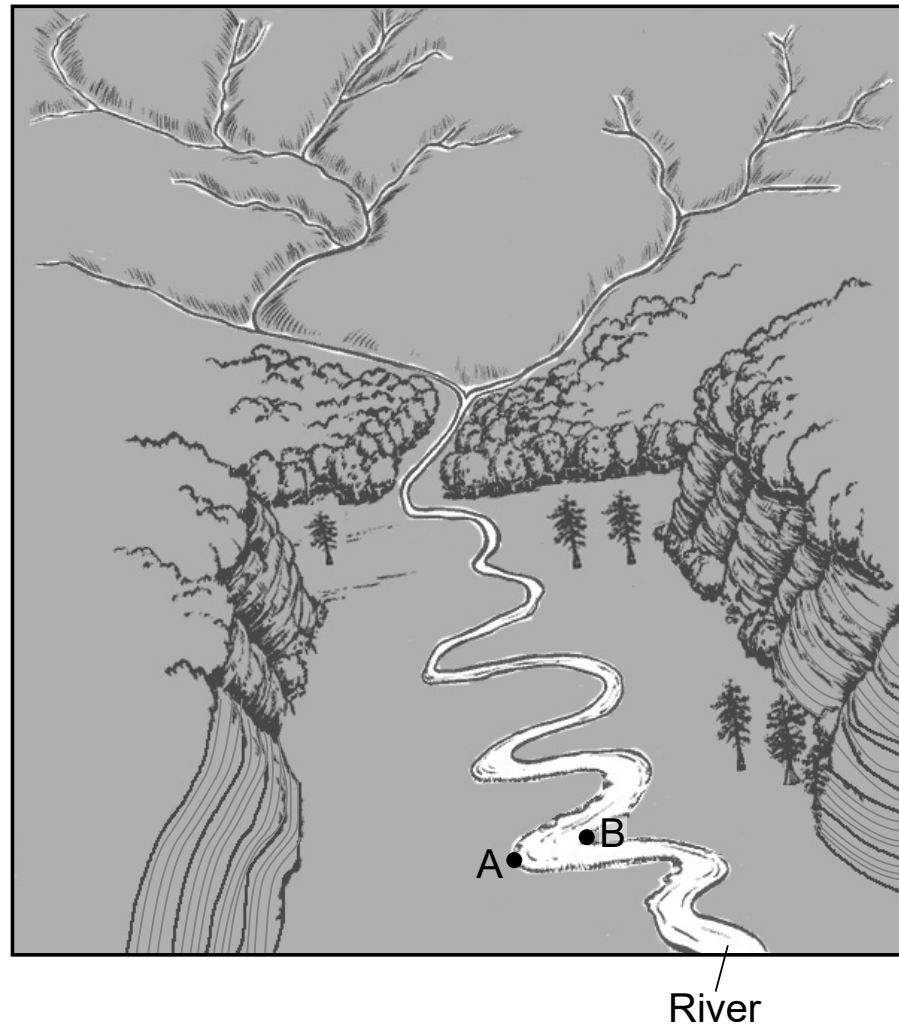
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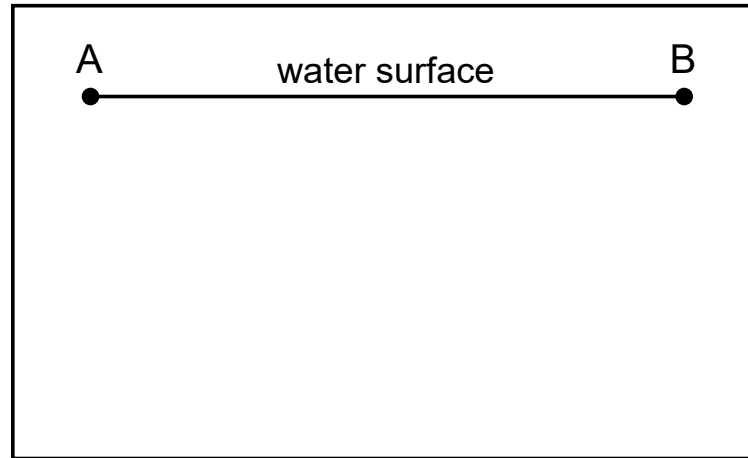
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Factor Affecting Settling Rate	Characteristic	
	Size	large
Density	small	high
Shape	low	flat

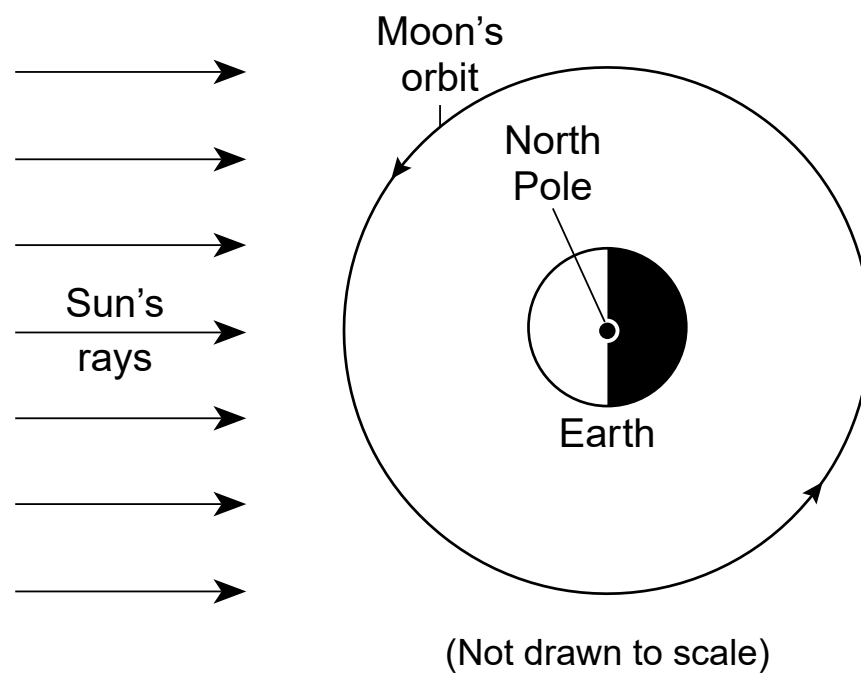
62 Change in size: _____

Change in shape: _____

63 _____ m

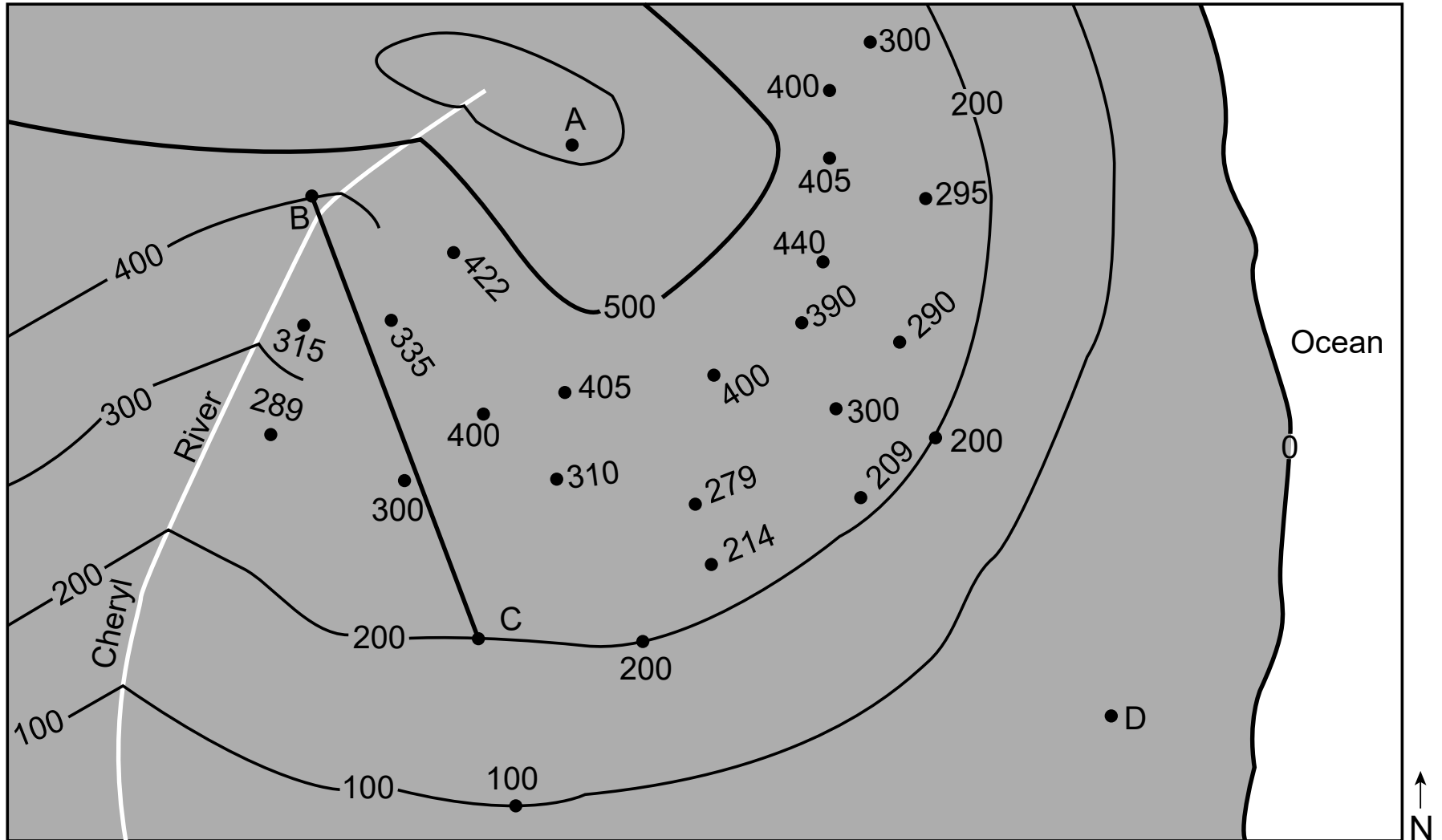
64 _____

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Part C

66



0 1 2 3 4 5 Kilometers

67 _____ m

68 _____ m/km

69 _____

70 Compass direction: _____

Contour line evidence: _____

71 Outcrop *circle one*: A B C

Name of rock: _____

72 _____ **cm** to _____ **cm**

73 Younger: ☐ Rock Layer *S* ☐ Fault *TU*

Evidence: _____

74 _____

75 _____ **period**

76 _____

77 _____

78 _____

79 _____

80 _____

81 _____

82 _____

83 _____

84 Air temperature: _____

Air pressure: _____

85

