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**Amazing Planet:**

***Destructive Forces***

**Viewing Questions**

Think of your National Park as you watch this video. What are some of the forces seen in the movie that affect, or have helped to create, your park?

1. In the battle of Earth’s elements, what are the four forces at war?

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WATER

1. Where does Earth’s rocky surface originate?

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1. What does water need a lot of to work its miracles?

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1. What river carved the Grand Canyon?

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1. Name 2 other land features in the southwest deserts created by erosion.

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1. What do rivers create when they spit their sediments out? Where do we find these?

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1. Why hasn’t the Earth been worn flat from erosion?

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1. What do we call the process of rock changing from one kind of rock to another…always recycling itself?

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1. What else besides erosion can cause landslides?

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ICE

1. What is a glacier and what provides the energy for its movement?

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1. What force rages hard against the rock?

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1. How much of Earth’s surface may have been covered by glaciers?

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1. How much could sea level rise if Greenland’s continental ice sheet disappears?

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WIND

1. What type of eroding agent dominates the Earth’s deserts?

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1. In summary, list 4 erosive agents showcased in this film.
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