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Meteors crash course

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Essential Question

What are meteors?

Cue: Review:

Thoughts: Main Idea

NOTE Taking AREA:

Meteors

- ↳ shooting star's or space junk

Meteoroid

- ↳ Rx moving through space
- ↳ when it enters the atmosphere it begins to get hot and Blaze across the sky
it is then called: Meteor.

Meteorite

- ↳ ~~junk~~ from space that has hit the ground.
- ↳ "you can pick it up" RITE now"

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

Kinetic Energy

- energy in motion $KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

Potential

- energy at rest

Why does it glow?

- ↳ when you compress a gas it heats up.
- ↳ meteoroid entering Atmosphere compresses the space (Air) heating up in a few seconds to ~~about~~ thousands of degrees °C

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Ablation

the material on the surface vaporizes & blows away. this is called **Ablation**. this leaves glowing trail which we call **Train**

↳ Ⓛ is pelted to about 100 TOMS of material a day ... This is where DUST comes from.

↳ so dust is 50% human skin
49% ~~dust~~

↳ Single Rock that comes from 2 Asteroids that collided.

Sporadic meteor

Meteor Shower

Bolide

Classification

↳ material that comes from a comet's dust tail, as Ⓛ travels through its path

Radiant: Shower coming constellation

↳ Fire ball Ⓛ is an extremely bright meteor

3 groups

1) stony - mostly Rx

2) Iron - mostly metal

3) Stony-Iron - Rx & metal that are the rarest

chondrites - chondrules
small grains of minerals

Achondrites

→ no chondrules
from Big Asteroid

SUMMARY:

↳ contains orange crystals of olivine embedded in a web of metal

↳ this is called: **Pallasites**