Compare Matter

Steps

1. Observe  Gently squeeze a balloon.  
   Tell what happens to the shape.

2. Compare  Squeeze a rock. Put it in  
   each container. Tell what happens to  
   the shape of the rock.

3. Communicate  Pour water into each  
   container. Tell what happens to the  
   shape of the water.

Think and Share

1. What happened when you squeezed the balloon?

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2. Compare the rock and the water in the containers. How were they different?

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Investigate More!

Solve a Problem Suppose you want to send one of the objects to someone who lives far away. Which object would be easiest to pack? Why?