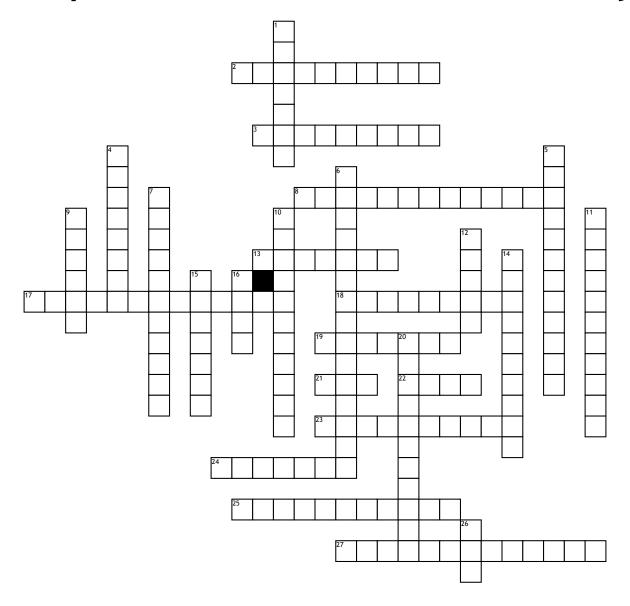
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Chapter 9: Weather Vocabulary



Across

- **2.** layer of gases that surrounds the earth
- **3.** has strong, swirling winds hat and produces heavy rainfall
- **8.** water that falls from the sky to the ground
- **13.** condition of the air at a certain time and place
- **17.** has a lot of lightning with heavy rain and strong winds
- **18.** measures the amount of rain that falls
- **19.** funnel-shaped cloud of swirling winds that reaches the ground

- **21.** can changes in air pressure affect weather
- **22.** liquid that falls only if the air temperature is above freezing
- **23.** movement of water from earth to sky and back to earth
- **24.** lack of enough of precipitation
- **25.** measure of how hot or cold something is
- **27.** person who studies the weather

Down

- 1. fluffy, cotton-like clouds
- 4. showstorms with strong winds
- **5.** cooled water vapor that turns to liquid

- **6.** prediction of future weather
- **7.** when water changes from liquid to gas
- **9.** high, thin, wispy clouds
- 10. measures temperature
- **11.** tool that shows which way the wind is blowing
- **12.** collection of very tiny water droplets or ice crystals
- 14. measures wind speed
- 15. wide, thin layer of clouds
- 16. moving air
- **20.** gravity pressing on the earth causes
- **26.** cloud that forms close to the ground