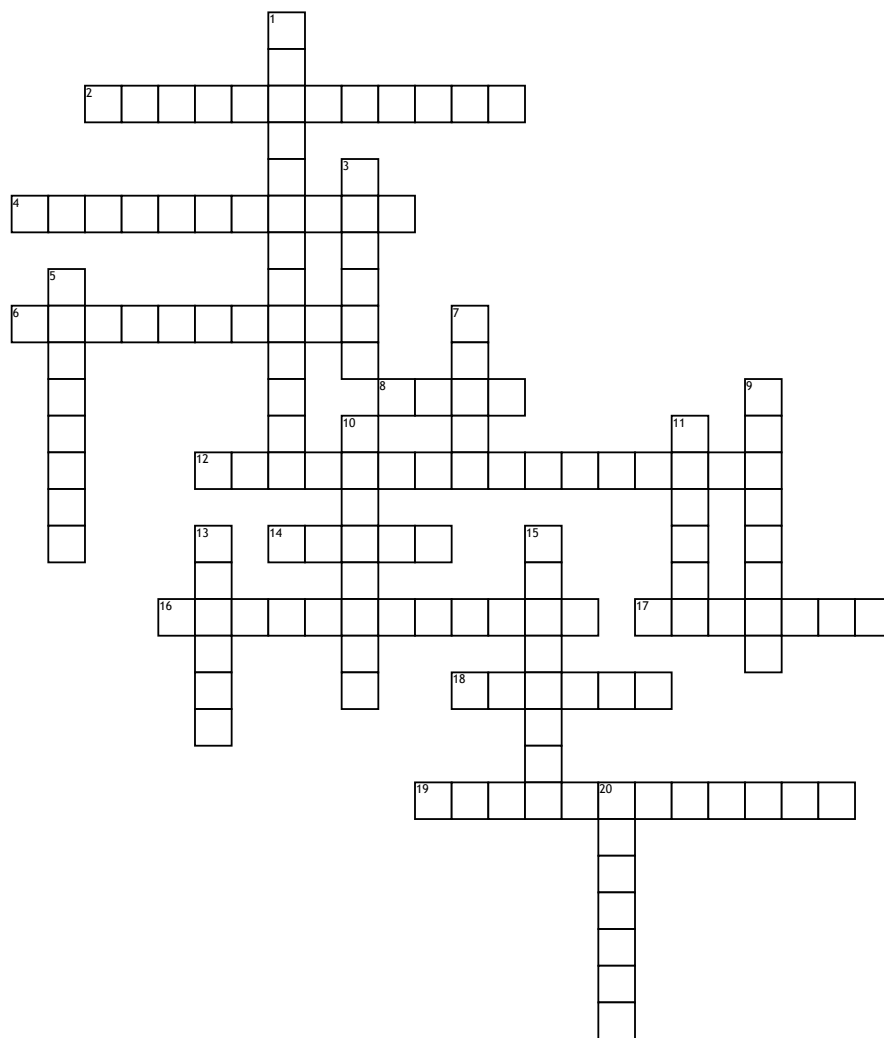


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# Earth Science: Chapter 6 Vocab



## Across

2. a ridge made up of mostly coarse sediments that parallels some stream  
 4. moves by twisting and turning through interconnected small openings; moves more slowly when pores are smaller  
 6. upper level of saturation zone of groundwater  
 8. hole bored into the zone of saturation  
 12. zone where all open spaces in sediment and rock are completely filled with water  
 14. occurs when discharge of a stream becomes so great that it exceeds the capacity of its channel and overflows

16. when water is pumped out of most wells and water rises on its own and may over flow

17. part of a stream's load of solid material that is made up of sediment too large to be carried

18. naturally formed underground chamber

19. ability to release fluid

## Down

1. land or area that contributes water to a stream

3. intermittent not spring or fountain in which a column of water shoots up with great force

5. stream is the maximum load it can carry or hold

7. accumulation of sediment formed where a stream enters and lake or ocean

9. a depression produced in a region where soluble rock has been removed by groundwater

10. the volume of open spaces in rock or soil

11. imaginary line that separates the drainage basins of one stream to another

13. forms when the water table intersects the ground surface; flow of groundwater that emerges naturally

15. Sorted material deposited by a stream

20. rock or soil through which groundwater moves easily

## Word Bank

delta  
 permeability  
 artesian wall  
 groundwater  
 natural levee

cavern  
 aquifer  
 capacity  
 flood  
 bed load

porosity  
 geyser  
 divide  
 spring  
 sinkhole

well  
 zone of saturation  
 drainage basin  
 alluvium  
 water table