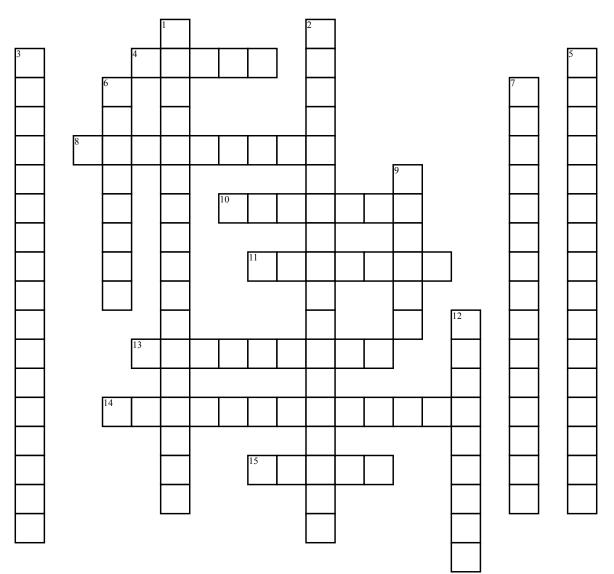
## Earth's Interior



## **Across**

**4.** The layer of rock that forms earth's outer surface.

**8.** The densest parts of the earth that include the crust, mantle, and core.

**10.** The name of a single landmass that began to break apart 200 million years ago and gave rise to today's continents.

**11.** The rate of the mass of a substance to its volume(mass divided by volume).

**13.** A layer of molten iron and nickel that surrounds the inner core of earth.

14. An undersea mountain chain where new ocean floor is produced, a divergent plate boundary.
15. A section of the lithosphere that slowly moves over the asthenosphere carrying pieces of continental and oceanic crust.
Down

**1.** A plate boundary where two plates move past each other in opposite directions.

**2.** A plate boundary where two plates move towards each other.

**3.** A plate boundary where two plates move away from each other.

**5.** The hypothesis that the continents slowly move across earth's surface.

6. The force pushing on a surface divided by the area of that surface.
7. A deep valley along the ocean floor beneath which oceanic crust slowly sinks toward the mantle.
9. The layer of hot, solid material between earth's crust and core.
12. A dense sphere of solid iron and nickel at the center of the earth.