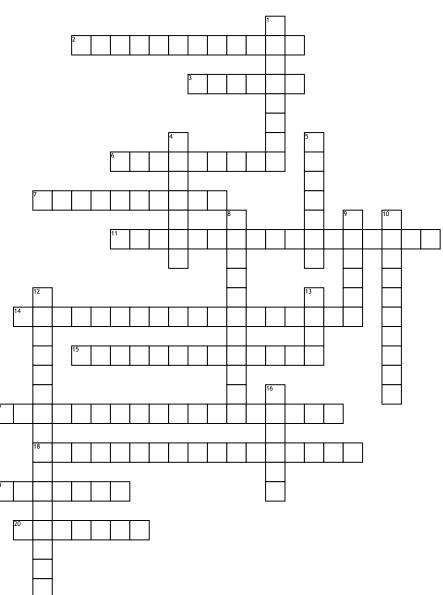
## **Plate Tectonics**



## <u>Across</u>

2. vibrations that travel through Earth carrying the energy released during an earthquake
3. on of the units of geologic time into which geologists divide eras

6. number of waves that pass a specific point in a given time
7. process in which sediment is laid down in new locations
11. where plates move away from each other

**14.** where plates move toward each other

**15.** global system of underwater mountains

17. process that breaks down rock through chemical changes18. where plates slide past each other

**19.** a weak spot in the crust where magma has come to the surface

**20.** process of which water, ice, wind, or gravity moves weathered rock or soil

## <u>Down</u>

 speed in a given direction
 an underground layer of rock or sediment that holds water 5. an area where magma from deep within the mantle melts through the crust above it
8. an instrument that records ground movements caused by seismic waves

9. ability to do work10. horizontal distance between crest of one wave and the crest of the next wave

**12.** Wegener's hypothosis about the continents

**13.** movement of energy through a body of water

**16.** steep sided canyon in the ocean floor