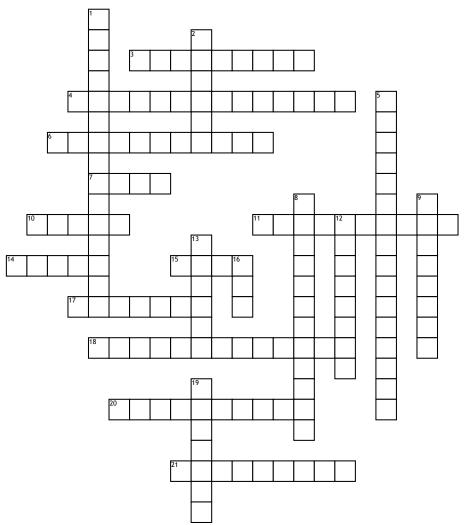
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Volcano Vocab



<u>Across</u>

- **3.** Igneous rock type which contains no minerals (crystals) at all
- **4.** A volcano which is presently inactive but which may erupt again.
- **6.** Any of various crystalline or glassy rocks formed by the cooling and solidification of molten earth material.
- **7.** An opening at the Earth's surface of a volcanic conduit
- 10. A crack or fracture in the earth's surface.
- 11. Igneous rock type in which slow cooling promotes the growth of minerals (crystals) large enough to be identified visually without the aid of a microscope
- 14. Molten rock beneath the surface of the earth.
- **15.** Magma which has reached the surface through a volcanic eruption. Streams of liquid rock that flow from a crater or fissure.

- 17. A passage (pipe) followed by magma in a volcano
- **18.** A volcano that is erupting or has erupted within historical time and is considered likely to do so in the
- **20.** The regions of mountain-building earthquakes and volcanoes which surround the Pacific Ocean.
- 21. Igneous rock type which is composed of minerals (crystals) that can be seen only with the aid of a microscope

<u>Down</u>

- 1. A volcano that consists of a complex of two or more vents, or a volcano that has an associated volcanic dome, either in its crater or on its flanks. Examples are Vesuvius and Mont Pelee.
- **2.** A steep-sided, usually circular depression formed by either explosion or collapse at a volcanic vent
- **5.** A steep volcanic cone built by both lava flows and pyroclastic eruptions.

- **8.** The subterranean cavity containing the gas-rich liquid magma which feeds a volcano
- **9.** Elongated fractures or cracks on the slopes of a volcano.
- **12.** The process by which solid, liquid, and gaseous materials are ejected into the earth's atmosphere and onto the earth's surface by volcanic activity
- **13.** The zone of the earth below the crust and above the core.
- **16.** Fine particles of rock dust blown from an explosion vent.
- 19. A volcanic center, 60 to 120 miles across and persistent for at least a few tens of million of years, that is thought to be the surface expression of a persistent rising plume of hot mantle material

Word Bank

Crater

Ring of Fire Phaneritic Composite Volcano Dormant Volcano Lava **Amorphous** Fault Aphanitic Igneous Rock Ash Compound Volcano Vent **Eruption** Magma Chamber Magma Active Volcano Mantle Hot Spot **Fissures** Conduit