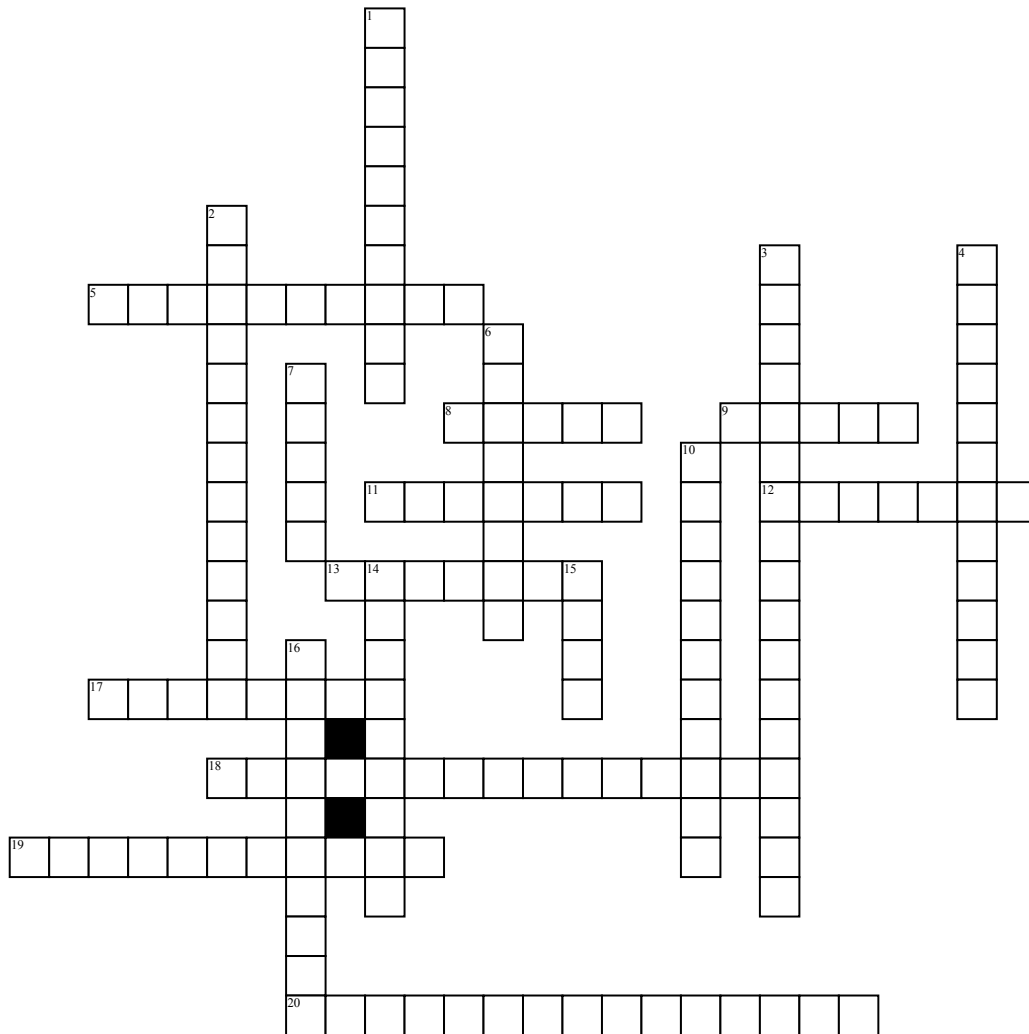


Weathering and Erosion Crossword Puzzle



Across

5. Water slowly breaking down a substance.
 8. The slow moving of soil and rock.
 9. Fine layer of sediment made of deposited clay and silt which are far from it's source.
 11. The layer of soil found underneath the topsoil.
 12. A curving river due to erosion and deposition.
 13. Made of humus(not the dip), clay, and a few other minerals.
 17. Part of the shore that sticks out into the ocean.

Down

18. Gravity, Wind, Water, and Ice.
 19. Mechanical weathering causing the outer layers of rock to slowly weather down into tiny strips.
 20. Erosion of limestone underground to form caves or sinkholes.
 1. Things like mushrooms or worms that break down material and make humus.
 2. An Island that's part of a continent but isn't physically touching it.
 3. Principle that states that the same processes operate today as operated in the past.

4. The breaking of rock due to ice forming and expanding in little cracks in rocks.
 6. Particles being carried by gravity, ice, water, or wind causing rock to break away.
 7. Decayed organic material that's usually dark.
 10. It includes landslides, mudflows, slump, and creep.
 14. When oxygen mixes with water and metal making a different material, like rust.
 15. Soil of equal parts of silt, sand, and clay.
 16. The indigenous rock make other rocks and soil.

Word Bank

Frost Wedging	Decomposer	Creep	Oxidation	Subsoil
Humus	Exfoliation	Meander	Topsoil	Barrier Island
Mass Wasting	Uniformitarianism	Abrasion	Loess	Karst Topography
Parent Rock	Headland	Hydrolosis	Loam	Agents of Erosion