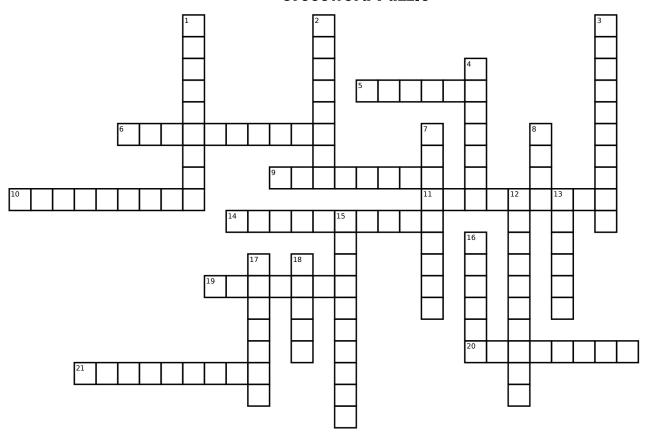
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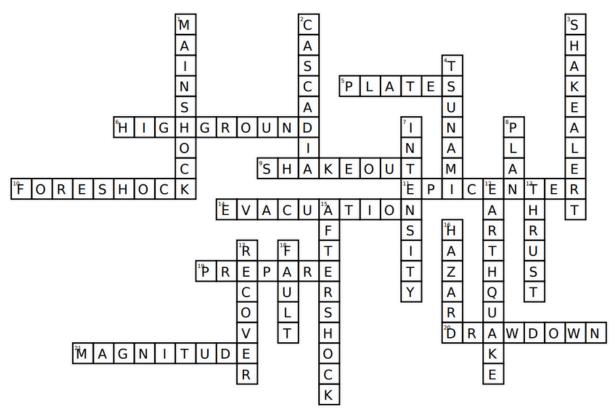
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## Instructor's Notes

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**Crossword Puzzle**: A word game in which players use provided clues to fill in a grid of interconnected squares with terms, either horizontally or vertically. Vocabulary, knowledge, and deductive reasoning skills are utilized as players strive to complete the puzzle.

#### Lesson Plan:

- The instructor will hand out copies of the provided Living on Shaky Ground magazines and the Earthquake and Tsunami Crossword Puzzles.
- The students will work in small groups or individually to complete the crossword puzzle, using their copies of *Living on Shaky Ground* as a reference to identify the terms described in each clue.
- The class will come together to discuss the crossword puzzle, during which the instructor can provide any needed clarity and assistance.
- \*The instructor is provided with an answer key.