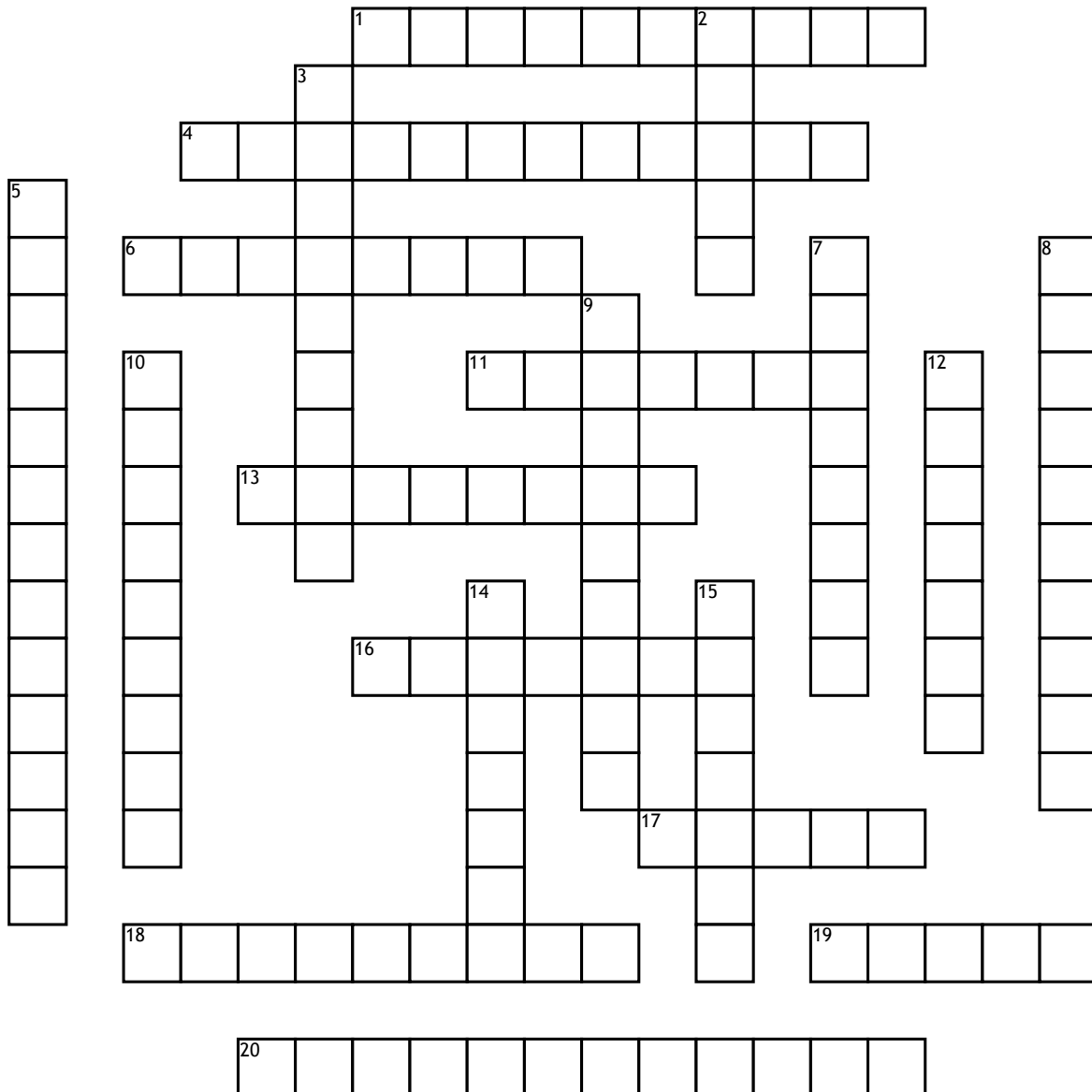


# Natural Disasters



**Across**

- 1. when a forest catches fire due to dry weather
- 4. lightning and thunder comes from this
- 6. when sudden heat hits an area
- 11. A large wave
- 13. force exerted on or against an object
- 16. A large swirling vortex
- 17. Liquid rock

18. an instrument measuring atmospheric pressure

- 19. a planar fracture
- 20. a numerical scale for expressing the magnitude of an earthquake

**Down**

- 2. an overflowing of a large amount of water beyond its normal confines
- 3. particles of dirt and dust accumulate
- 5. relates wind speed to observed conditions at sea

7. A large, destructive snow storm

- 8. when faults collide and rub together
- 9. Usually begins in the ocean
- 10. Falls down a mountain or hill; easily disturbed
- 12. used to identify Tornadoes
- 14. when there isn't much water
- 15. Spews magma and Ash