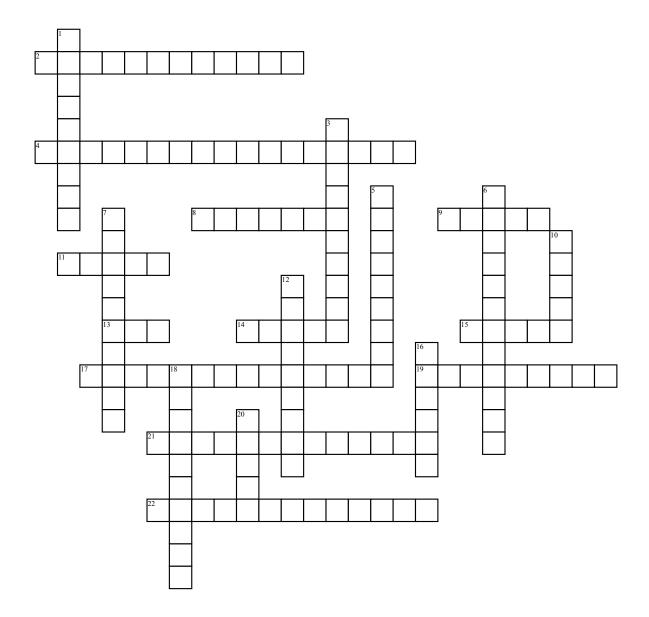
Mississippi's Natural Environment: Landforms and Biota



Across

- **2.** Region that gets its name from the dark color of the soil
- **4.** A region that averages between 400 and 600 feet above sea level
- **8.** This is concerned with the interrelationship between life forms and environment
- **9.** A region that slopes ever so gently north to south, but seems flat
- **11.** Term used to describe the flora and fauna of a region
- **13.** Information system specifically designed to analyze environment info
- **14.** Buff-coated silt believed to have been transported by wind

- **15.** Represent the animal life of a particular area.
- **17.** Region that is relatively flat near the Gulf of Mexico
- **19.** Group of organisms and their environment that function in nature
- **21.** A ridge that divides the Tennessee-Tombigbee river basins
- **22.** Region that is relatively flat, good for agriculture, has marl deposits

Down

- **1.** Region that is narrow and poorly drained
- **3.** A region that is in southeast Mississippi between 200 and 500 feet

- 5. Physiographic divisions
- **6.** Soil that is deposited by water
- **7.** Geographic areas on Earth's surface where organisms interact with environment
- 10. Natural vegetation on the land
- **12.** The height of the land above sea level
- **16.** A flood control measure used in the Yazoo Basin
- **18.** Physical features such as mountains or plateaus
- **20.** Soil type that is a mixture of sand, silt and clay textures