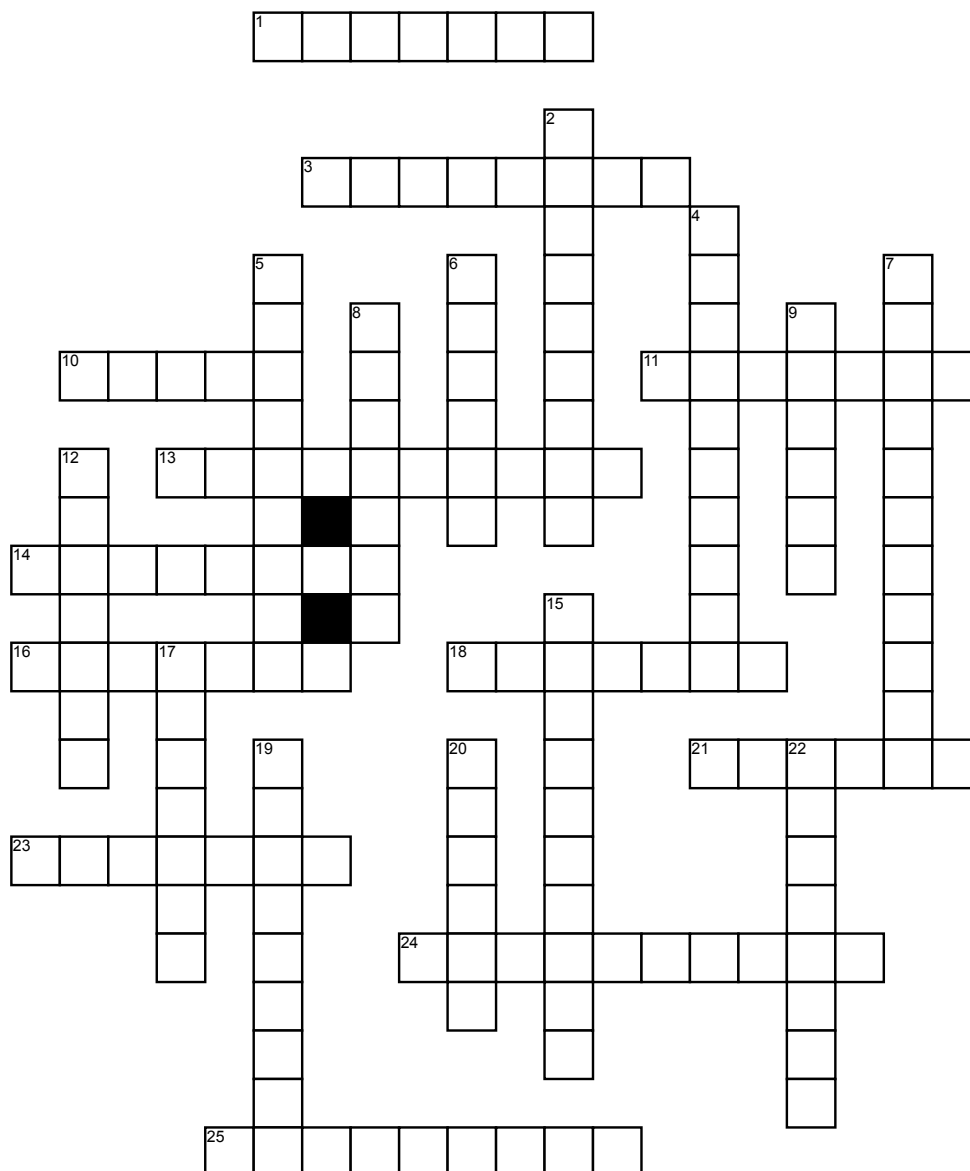


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# WEATHER CROSSWORD PUZZLE



## **Across**

1. Long period of scarce rainfall or dry weather.
3. Distance from the equator, measured in degrees.
10. Overflowing of water in a normally dry area.
11. A rapidly whirling, funnel-shaped cloud that reached down to touch Earth's surface.
13. Reflection of light in all small directions.
14. Large fire that spreads quickly over a natural area.
16. Tropical grassland common in tropical rainy climates.
18. Semiarid regions located on the edges of deserts.

21. A group of parts that work together as a whole.

23. Dark, cooler regions on the sun's surface.

24. Consists of all Earth's water in the form of ice.

25. Has three main parts: a metal core, a solid middle layer, and a rocky outer layer.

## **Down**

2. A tropical storm that has winds of about 119 kilometers per hour or higher.

4. Envelope of gases that forms Earth's outermost layer.

5. The direct transfer of energy by electromagnetic waves.

6. Biome where the tree growth is hindered by low temperatures and short growing seasons.

7. The portion of Earth that consists of liquid water.

8. The condition of Earth's atmosphere at a particular time or place.

9. The ability to do work

12. Typical weather pattern in an area over a long period of time

15. Permanently frozen ground.

17. Solid particles or liquid drops in gas.

19. The parts of Earth that contain living organisms.

20. Very dry regions with extreme temperature.

22. Climates that lie north of some continental climates.