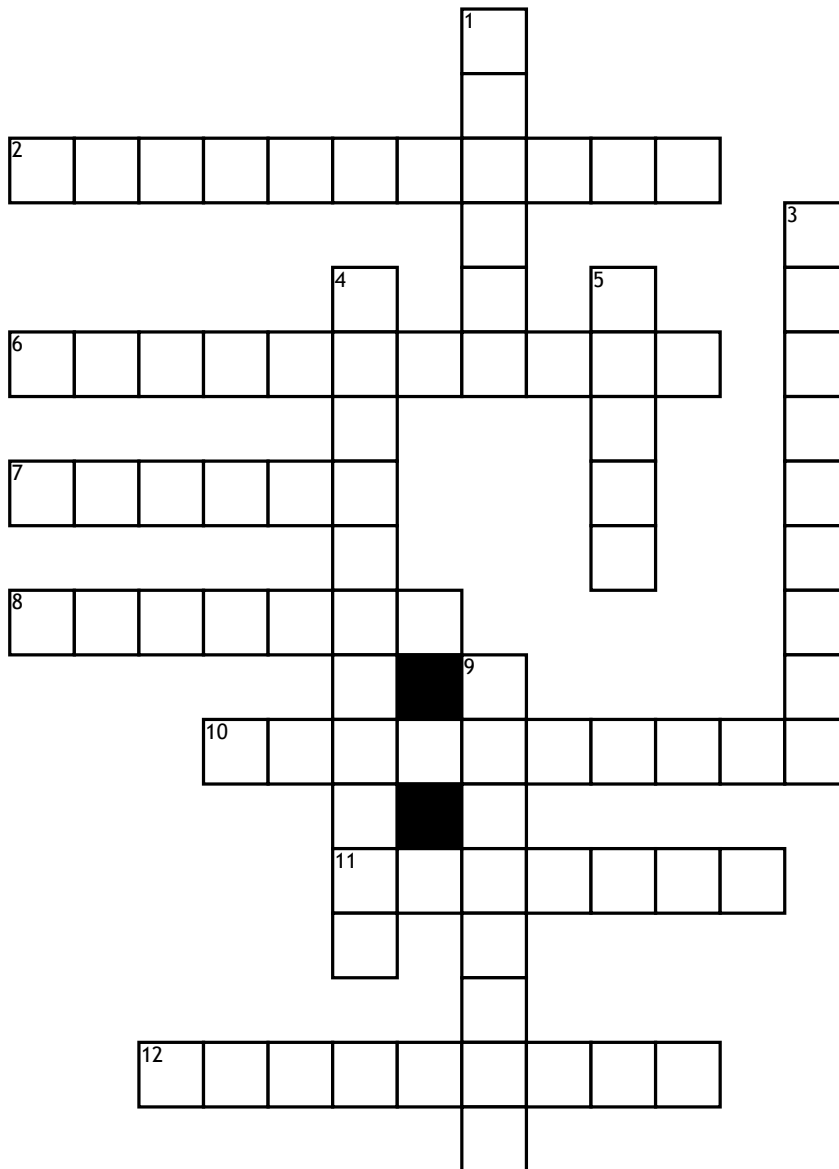


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Earthquake Crossword



Across

2. The fault that cuts through rock at an angle, so one block of rock sits over the fault, while the other block lies under the fault.
6. The stress force that squeezes rock until it folds or breaks
7. Seismic waves that can vibrate from side to side
8. The stress force that pulls on the crust and thins rock in the middle.

10. The shaking and trembling that results from movement of rock beneath Earth's surface.

11. A large area of flat land elevated high above sea level
12. The point on the surface directly above the focus

Down

1. Seismic waves that compress and expand the ground like an accordion

3. A single number that geologists assign to an earthquake based on the earthquake's size

4. An instrument that records and measures an earthquake's seismic waves

5. The area beneath Earth's surface where rock that was under stress begins to break or move.

9. Stress that pushes a mass of rock in two opposite directions