## **Geologic Time Crossword**

## <u>Across</u>

**3. Began 250** million years ago after a mass extinction.

**6.** A major division of time that is a subdivision of an eon and is itself subdivided into periods.

8. Divides Earth's history into intervals of time defined by major events or changes on Earht.

**9.** Began about 65 million years ago and continues to the present.

**10.** A major division of geological time, subdivided into eras.

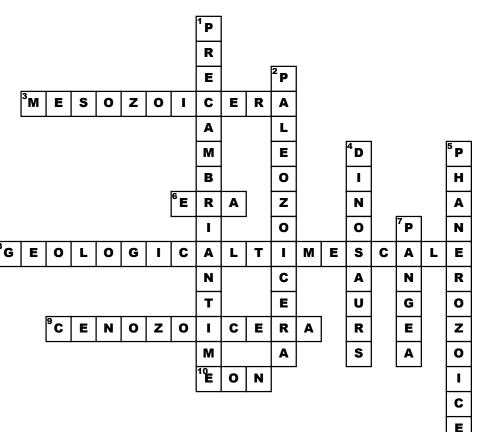
## <u>Down</u>

**1.** The Hadean, Archean, and Proterozoic eons together. Makes up 90% of the Earth's history.

**2.** Began 540 million years ago as the supercontinent Pannotia was breaking up. **4.** Creatures that dominated the world during the Mesozoic Era.

**5.** The Paleozoic, Mesozoic, and Cenozoic eras combined.

7. The new supercontinent that was forming during the Paleozoic Era.



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