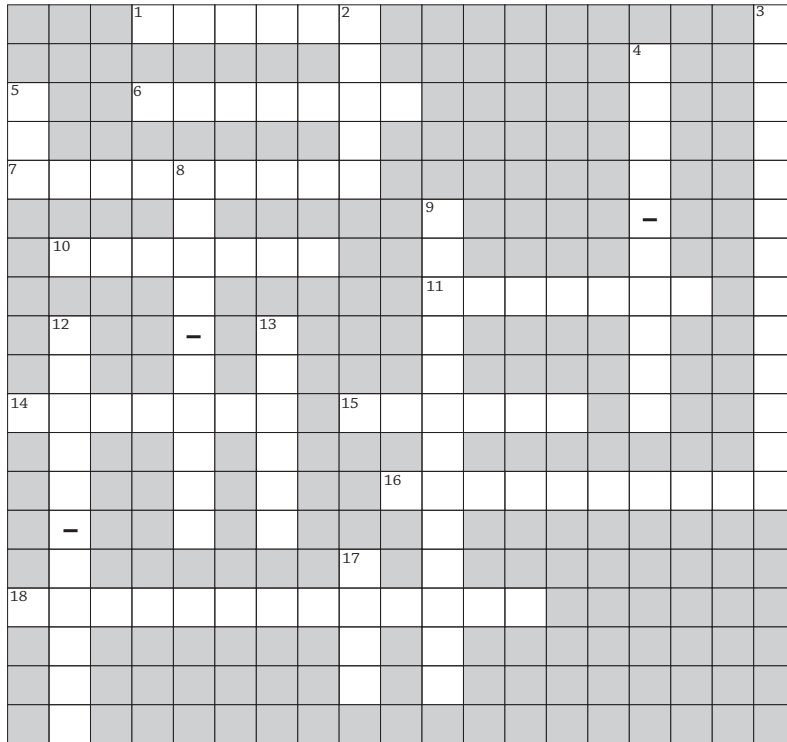


WET WORDS!

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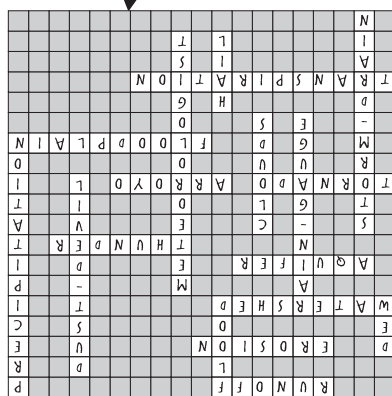
ACROSS

1. Rain water not absorbed by soil
6. The displacement of large amounts of soil by the force of water
7. An area of land that drains water to a lake, river or ocean
10. Underground layer of earth capable of storing water
11. The noise heard when you see lightning
14. Rapidly spinning air that becomes very dangerous
15. A small steep sided water course
16. The area along a river or stream that is subject to flooding
18. Water vapor that escapes from plants

DOWN

2. When water flows over the banks of a river, stream, lake, wash, arroyo, gulch, etc.
3. Water that falls from clouds
4. A storm where dirt and dust blow like a mini tornado
5. Moisture condensed from the air especially at night
8. A device you can make to measure rainfall (2 words)
9. A scientist who studies weather
12. Underground collection system for runoff
13. A visible body of very fine water droplets suspended in the air
17. Balls of ice that fall from clouds

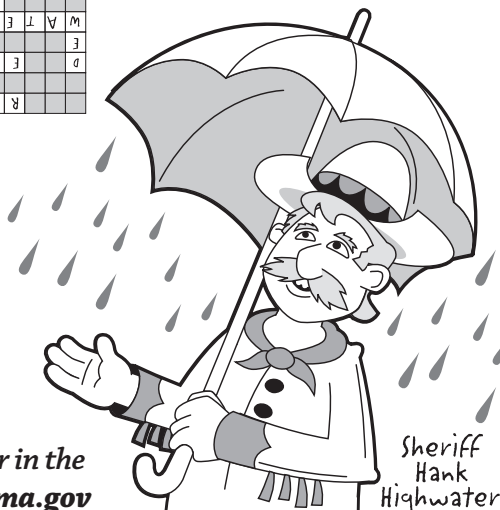
ANSWERS



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