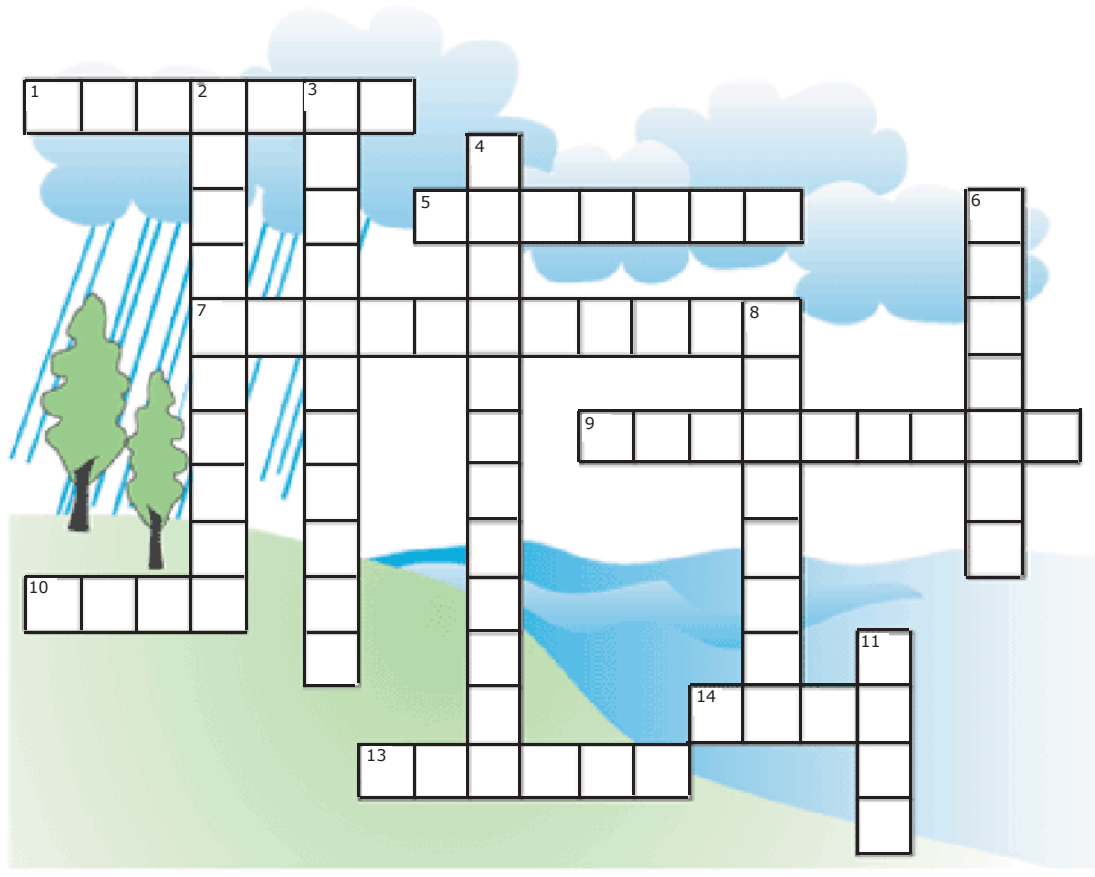


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ACROSS

1. Layers of soil, sand and rocks that store groundwater.
5. To contaminate, to become unclean.
7. Water that is found underground in the cracks and spaces in the soil, sand and rocks.
9. Groundwater leaves the ground and enters a lake or stream in a _____ area.
10. An example of precipitation.
12. A pipe in the ground that is used to remove water from an aquifer.
13. Water on the earth's surface which moves into a lake or stream without absorbing into the soil.

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2. The largest use for groundwater is _____.
3. The stage of the water cycle when water changes from a liquid to a vapor.
4. Clouds are an example of this.
6. A long period of dry weather could cause a _____.
8. Part of the water cycle when water soaks into the soil.
11. The movement of water underground is called groundwater _____.

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ANSWER KEY

ACROSS

1. aquifer
5. pollute
7. groundwater
9. discharge
10. rain
12. well
13. runoff

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2. irrigation
3. evaporation
4. condensation
5. drought
8. recharge
11. flow