

Crossword: Weather and Climate Answers

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Middle

Across

- 2 property of matter; mass divided by volume
- 3 the force of air pressing down on the surface
- 4 the sideways movement of air
- 6 a large mound of air
- 8 the amount of heat in the air
- 11 method of moving energy by way of waves
- 13 measurement of distance north or south of the equator
- 14 shapes of the earth's surface, such as valleys and mountains
- 15 _____ currents move water and energy
- 17 method of moving energy between two objects by touching or contact
- 18 a mound or ridge of dirt and stones along the edge of a river created when the river overflows

Down

- 1 series of ocean waves created by an underwater earthquake
- 3 word that describes an observation that is seen over and over again
- 5 type of movement when air moves sideways
- 7 word to describe how many chemicals are dissolved in ocean water
- 8 small storm with extremely fast, rotating winds; associated with severe thunderstorms
- 9 method of moving heat by warm air rising and cool air sinking
- 10 word that means all of the information collected
- 12 average temperature and rainfall in a region
- 16 the collection of gases that we breathe