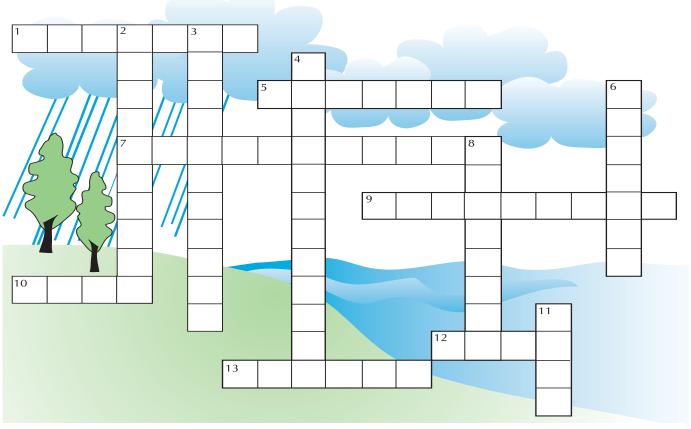
# Water Cycle Crossword



## 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.

### Down

- 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. In the water cycle, when water soaks into the soil.
- 11. The movement of water underground is called groundwater \_\_\_\_\_.



## Crossword Puzzle Key

### Across

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

#### Down

- 2. The largest use for groundwater is IRRIGATION.
- 3. The stage of the water cycle when water changes from a liquid to a vapor. **EVAPORATION**
- 4. Clouds are an example of this. CONDENSATION
- 6. A long period of dry weather could cause a DROUGHT.
- 8. In the water cycle, when water soaks into the soil. RECHARGE
- 11. The movement of water underground is called groundwater FLOW.

