



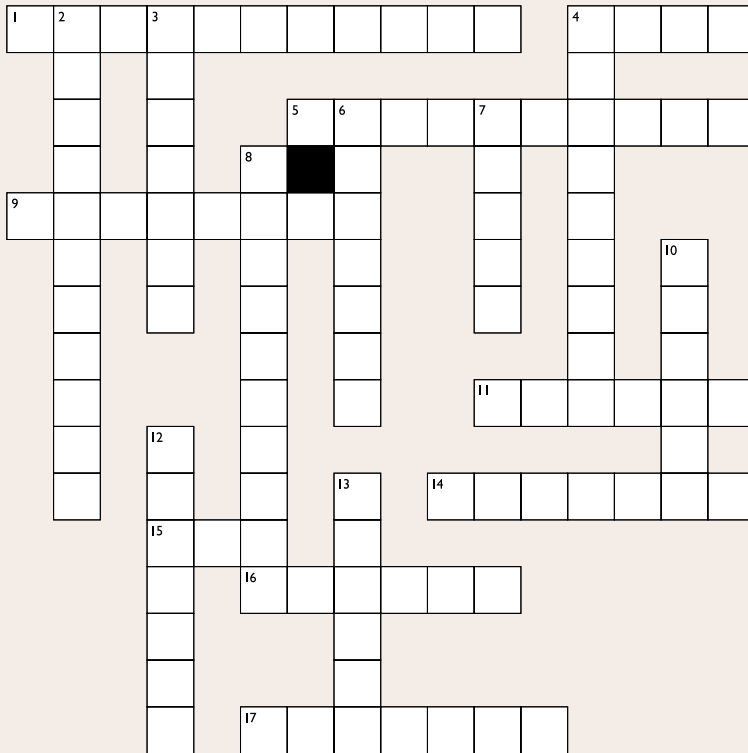
Activity Sheet

CELEBRATING THE GEOLOGY, WILDLIFE,
AND LIVING CULTURE OF GRAND CANYON

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CROSSWORD

Each answer connects to a place, species, people, or GCC program.



ACROSS

1. Popular trail leading from the South Rim into Grand Canyon.
4. One of the eleven tribes with cultural and historic ties to Grand Canyon.
5. South Rim destination known for panoramic views and its iconic Watchtower.
9. River that has carved Grand Canyon over millions of years.
11. Limestone formation that makes up much of the canyon's rim.
14. Natural environment where plants and animals live.
15. Feeling of wonder often inspired by Grand Canyon's immense landscape.
16. National Park Service employee who protects resources and helps visitors learn about the canyon.
17. Grand Canyon Conservancy program celebrating the park's remarkable night skies.

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2. Work that helps repair trails, habitats, and landscapes after damage.
3. Scientific study of rocks, landforms, and Earth's history.
4. Indigenous people whose ancestral homeland includes Havasu Canyon.
6. Natural process that continues to shape Grand Canyon's landscape.
7. Large black bird commonly seen soaring above the canyon.
8. Historic stone landmark at Desert View designed by Mary Colter.
10. Layers of rock that record millions of years of Earth's history.
12. Elevated region through which the Colorado River carved Grand Canyon.
13. Endangered bird reintroduced to Grand Canyon with a wingspan of nearly 10 feet.

WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble each word, then write your answer on the line below.

1. **LEORNCFITE**

Quiet contemplation — or what you might see in still water.

2. **DPASIR**

Fast-moving stretches of the Colorado River that draw whitewater rafters from around the world.

3. **TONRHIMR**

The higher, quieter side of Grand Canyon, open only in summer and fall.

4. **TAHNOMPCHARN**

The only lodging at the bottom of Grand Canyon, accessible only by foot, mule, or raft.

5. **GHOINBR**

Wild sheep known for navigating Grand Canyon's sheer cliff faces with ease.

6. **JRINUEP**

A twisted, aromatic tree that clings to both rims of the canyon.