Science: 8th Earth Science Crossword

Directions: Use the clues at the bottom of the page to complete the crossword puzzle.

Across
1) During the _____, many animal species evolved.
3) The _____ showed us his collection of fossilized fish.
6) Latitude and altitude affect the _____ of a given region.
7) Studying _____, we infer how Pangea split into continents.
11) The _____ includes all layers from the core to the crust.
13) _____ plays a role in the uplifting of mountains.

Down
2) The _____ charts the existence and extinction of dinosaurs.
4) The _____ evaluates data collected from weather instruments.
7) Dinosaurs lived in the _____ period.
8) The oceans are only part of the Earth's _____.
9) During the _____, much of the Northern Hemisphere was frozen.
10) Since Florida is low and flat, the _____ is near its surface.
12) The _____ began with an increase in plant and animal species.
14) Plate tectonics, subduction and erosion drive the _____.