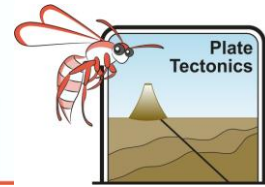


## Continental Drift – Review (Teacher)



There are twenty six words used to discuss continental drift in the puzzle below

T M F I G T D E D T V Z S M S  
L N C N F O T E N A I P I E I  
N E E I O A N E R R T W R A S  
M O R N M B N D E F N A E S E  
A D I I I I S P W O L E T U H  
G S L T T T E E I A V A P R T  
N C L N A A N T R I N R O A O  
E Y O I T I A O D V I A S B P  
T C R A S T C E C M A K S L Y  
I Z B O N S N A A R C B O E H  
C L I E E C O R L O E V L P T  
E T I F E H Y F R G V P G E E  
T R E L B A T R O P E R U R S  
O C O N T I N E N T A L Y S T  
S E C O N D A R Y G O L O E G

ALFRED (Wegner)  
CLIMATE  
CONTINENT  
CONTINENTAL  
DATA  
DRIFT  
EVIDENCE  
FIT  
FOSSILS

GEOLOGY  
GLACIATION  
GLOSSOPTERIS  
GONDWANA  
HYPOTHESIS  
ICE  
MAGNETIC  
MEASURABLE  
OBSERVABLE

ORIENTATION  
PRIMARY  
REPEATABLE  
REPORTABLE  
ROCKS  
SECONDARY  
SUPERCONTINENT  
TEST  
THEORY

Who proposed the theory of continental drift? **Alfred Wegner**

What does the theory of Continental Drift suggest? **It suggests that our present continents were previously joined together to form a supercontinent. They have since broken apart.**

What evidence supported this theory? **Coastal fit, matching fossil assemblages, ancient climatic banding, matching geology/rocks, magnetic banding**

What is the main problem with this theory? **The mechanism for movement of continents didn't work.**

***The continent of Australia is moving northward at the same rate as your fingernails grow.***