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# Volcano Vocabulary



Complete the activity.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ A type of volcano with broad, gentle slopes and built by the eruption of fluid basalt lava.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Molten rock that erupts from volcanoes.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ A volcano that will not erupt again.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ A volcano that is erupting or has erupted recently
5. \_\_\_\_\_ A vent at the earth's surface through which magma and gases erupt.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ In 1980, this Washington State mountain gave North America its largest volcanic eruption.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ The zone of earthquakes and volcanoes surrounding the Pacific Ocean.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Mountains formed from the build-up of volcanic lava often take this shape.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ An opening or crack in the earth's surface through which lava flows.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 volcanic eruption in southeast Asia that killed 36,000 people.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Large ocean wave created by undersea earthquakes or volcanic eruptions.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ A volcano that has not erupted recently, but may do so in the future.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ The eruption of Nevado del Ruiz with its devastating mud slides occurred in this South American nation in 1985.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Molten rock that is found beneath the earth's surface.

active	Krakatoa	extinct	cone	volcano
tsunami	fissure	St. Helens	ring of fire	Colombia
lava	dormant	magma	shield	