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Pompeii Webquest

<http://www2.rps205.com/Schools/TeacherSites/tsB/jberg/Pages/The-Dog-of-Pompeii.aspx>

PART 1: Pompeii



1. Pompeii joined the _____ in _____.
2. In _____ a terrible earthquake left Pompeii devastated. Then the second and _____ disaster hit the eruption of _____.
3. For _____ days, volcanic matter covered Pompeii, making a blanket _____ to _____ feet deep over the entire area.
4. The survivors who escaped the eruption were soon killed by _____.

PART 2: VIRTUAL TOUR

5. **Scroll to the bottom of the webpage and click on one of the 80 blue links at the bottom of the page.**
6. What is the name of the link you chose? _____
7. Tell me something you learned about Pompeii from the link: _____

PART 3: odyssey- Rome

8. Pompeii lay untouched and undiscovered until its discovery in the _____ and excavation beginning in the _____.
9. **Click on Public Life:** Pompeii was a _____ town.
It included a _____, an open square of marketplace. This part of the city is where _____, _____, and _____ activities took place.
10. **Click on Theaters:** For popular entertainment, the Romans borrowed the _____ theater form.
11. For large spectacles or sporting events, they invented their own building design- the _____, which were very similar to modern _____.
12. **Click back, click on Shops:** Archeologists working at Pompeii have also uncovered shops for _____, _____, and mills for _____.
13. **Click back, click on Baths:** Romans went to large, public _____.

The baths were a place to _____ as well as a _____ where Romans met friends to exercise and chat.

PART 4: What did the Eruption look like?

14. This animation shows the _____ stage of an eruption. It is named after _____, a Roman soldier who watched the eruption and tried to help some of the people.

15. During this stage, _____, _____, _____, and _____ erupt high into the air, but no _____ flows.

16. In the next stage, a superhot cloud of _____ and _____ flowed down the side of Vesuvius covering the town of _____.

PART 5: What kind of volcano is Vesuvius?

17. Vesuvius is a _____ volcano, made up of alternate layers of _____ and _____.

PART 6: Why is Vesuvius located where it is?

18. Vesuvius is located where one section of the earth is pushing against the other.

These sections are called _____. The plate that is pushed down is heated until it melts, forming _____. Because magma is less _____ than the rock around it, it is pushed upward.

19. If it finds a weak place, it may break through and form a _____.

PART 7: Map of Pompeii (Fill in the boxes with the words from the diagram)

