

Across

3. **THUNDERSTORM**—a storm that has thunder, lightning, gusty winds, hail, precipitation and sometimes tornadoes
5. **DEBRIS**—the remains of something broken down or destroyed; an accumulation of fragments of rock
8. **HAILSTORM**—a thunderstorm that produces an unusual amount of hail
10. **FUNNEL**—a towering cone-shaped cloud that is not in contact with the ground is referred to as a _____ cloud
12. **WATCH**—an official alert issued by the National Weather Service when tornadoes and severe thunderstorms are possible for a specified area is call a tornado _____
14. **BASEMENT**—a safe, below-ground place to shelter during a tornado

Down

1. **TWISTER**—another name for a tornado
2. **DRILL**—another word for practice
3. **TORNADO**—a violently rotating column of air in contact with the ground and extending from the base of a thunderstorm
4. **WARNING**—an emergency alert issued by the National Weather Service when a tornado is occurring or imminent in the warned area is called a tornado _____
6. **HAIL**—precipitation in the form of balls or irregular lumps of ice
7. **WINDOW**—something you should never open during a tornado warning
9. **TRAILER**—a vehicle or mobile home that is very unsafe during a tornado -- you should get to a safer shelter
11. **SHELTER**—a place to go where you can be safe during a tornado warning
13. **TABLE**—something to get under if a tornado is coming