

# Plank House Village Vocabulary Worksheet

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 1: Match the Definition

Match each word to the correct definition. Write the letter of the correct answer next to the word.

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| 1. _G__ Reputation                             | A. A bitter-tasting organic substance in plants, used in tanning.                           |
| 2. _H__ Density                                | B. A current of cool air in a room or confined space.                                       |
| 3. _I__ Resistant                              | C. To decrease in size, amount or shrink.   |
| 4. _A__ Tannin                                 | D. Understanding of the physical science of the environment from an Indigenous perspective. |
| 5. _E__ Traditional Ecological Knowledge (TEK) | E. A method of sharing Indigenous cultural practices and knowledge.                         |
| 6. _D__ Indigenous Science (IS)                | F. Heat energy that comes from the Earth.   |
| 7. _F__ Geothermal energy                      | G. The way someone is viewed in their community.  |
| 8. _L__ Insulate                               | H. The degree of compactness of a substance.  |
| 9. _B__ Draft                                  | I. Offering opposition or defense to something.   |
| 10. _J__ Manufacture                           | J. To produce something, often in large numbers or with machines.                           |
| 11. _K__ Expand                                | K. To become or make larger, more extensive or stretchy.                                    |
| 12. _C__ Contract                              | L. To protect (something) by treating it.   |

## Part 2: Fill in the Blank

Choose the correct vocabulary word to complete each sentence.

13. The density of the crowd in the subway made it hard to move.
14. The walls were thickly padded to insulate the building from the cold.
15. Her reputation as a dependable student helped her get the class president role.
16. Redwood bark is naturally resistant to fire and insects.
17. Native communities share TEK through stories, songs, and ceremonies.
18. We use geothermal energy to warm homes by capturing the Earth's internal heat.
19. Leather is often treated with tannins to preserve and strengthen it.
20. The balloon will expand as air is pumped into it.
21. When it gets cold, metal can contract and take up less space.
22. Scientists study IS to understand how Indigenous people manage natural systems.
23. We could feel a cold draft coming through the crack in the door.
24. Factories manufacture clothing, electronics, and other goods.

## Part 3: Short Answer

25. Explain the difference between Traditional Ecological Knowledge (TEK) and Indigenous Science (IS).

TEK focuses on the sharing of cultural and ecological practices, often through traditions and stories. IS focuses on the understanding of natural science and ecosystems from the Indigenous perspective.