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## Hurricanes Fill-in-the-Blanks Answer Key

1. tropical depression
2. warm water
3. eye
4. eyewall
5. storm surge
6. Gulf of Mexico
7. Category 5
8. evacuation

### Challenge Question (Sample Answer):

Scientists warn about storm surge because it can flood entire communities, destroy homes, and cause more deaths than strong winds. It is often the most dangerous part of a hurricane for people living along the coast.