The ground beneath the farm

Esiw is trying to complete the mad lib on the next page but needs help coming up with some words. Can you give Esiw a hand?

Fill this page and then use the words you come up with to complete the mad lib on the next page!

1. Name of a City: _______________________
2. Person’s Name: _______________________
3. Number: _____________________________
4. Verb (3rd person present, example: she waits and watches. an ‘s’ or ‘es’): _______________________
5. Two words, Verb (ing): _______________________
6. Noun (plural): _______________________
7. Noun (plural): _______________________
8. Noun (plural): _______________________
9. Adjective: _______________________
10. Number: _______________________
11. Adjective: _______________________
12. Noun: _______________________
13. Noun: _______________________
14. Verb: _______________________
15. Noun (room): _______________________
16. Verb: _______________________

Turn the page to continue this activity!
Can you add in the words you came up with on the previous page below. Make sure they are in order!

“Good morning (1) ___________! My name is farmer (2) ___________ and I am here to tell you a little bit about the magic of soil.”

“On my (3) ___________ acre farm, I (4) ___________ using soil. There are many types of soils that can be used for (5) ___________ ___________. Loamy soil, which is most fertile, is best for growing (6) ___________. Clay soil, best known for how well it can hold water, is greatest for growing (7) ___________, and sandy soil, although (8) ___________, is useful for plants that grow well in warm areas.”

“On my farm, I have about (9) ___________ bags of soil.”

“In soil, there are 4 major components. 1. Water, 2. (10) ___________ Rocks, 3. Air that helps organisms (11) ___________, and 4 organic material made up of dead (12) ___________ and (13) ___________ that forms humus.”

The best thing to do with soil is (14) ___________ it. This is because it ensures the soil lasts a while on the farm. It is also important to sieve the soil at times, something similar to what you would do in the (15) ___________ with flour. But as all things come to an end, when sedimentation occurs to my soil, it makes me want to (16) ___________.

Date: ___________________ Name: ___________________