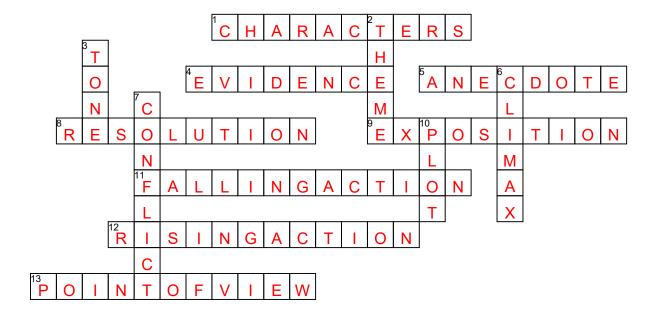
4th Grade CCSS Language Arts Terms Crossword Puzzle 8

1. Using the Across and Down clues, write the correct words in the numbered grid below.



ACROSS

- 1. People, animals, or creatures in a story or drama.
- 4. Text that comes from the story used to support analysis.
- 5. A little story or small piece of information.
- 8. When the conflict is resolved at the end of the story.
- 9. The background information of the characters and setting explained at the beginning of the story.
- 11. The elements of plot after a story's climax and before the resolution.
- 12. A related series of incidents in a literary plot that build toward the point of greatest interest.
- 13. The vantage point from which a story is presented.

DOWN

- 2. The message or underlying meaning a writer reveals in a novel, short story, or other literary work.
- 3. The mood implied by an author's word choices.
- 6. The decisive moment or turning point when the rising action of the play is reversed to falling action.
- 7. A struggle between two opposing forces.
- 10. The sequence of events that make up a story.

rising action
tone
climax
conflict
theme

evidence characters exposition anecdote resolution plot point of view falling action