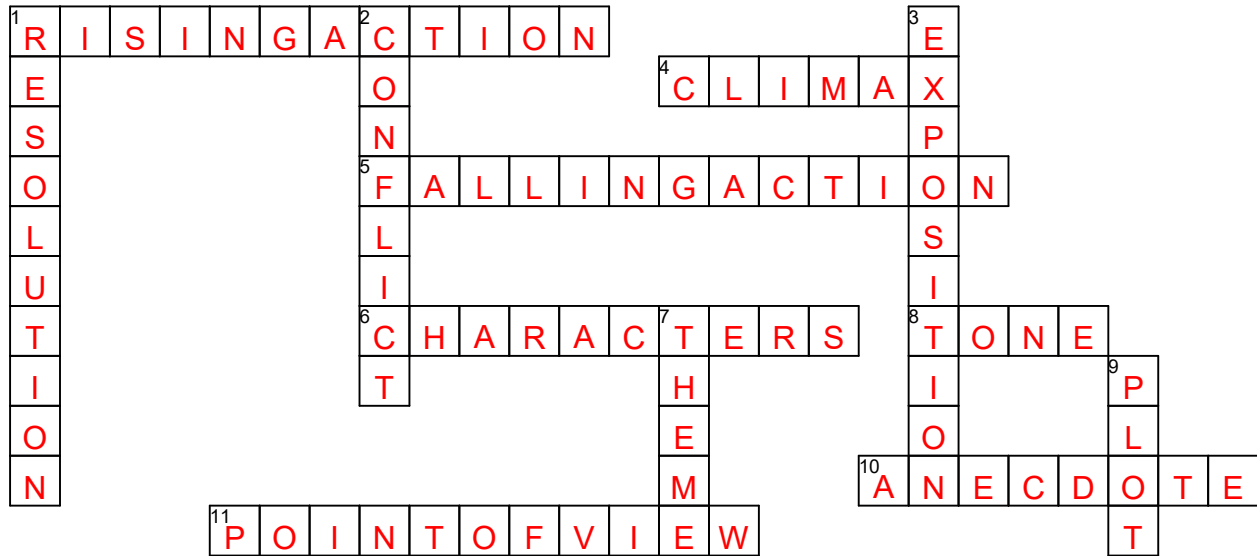


3rd Grade CCSS Language Arts Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle 1

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



ACROSS

1. A related series of incidents in a literary plot that build toward the point of greatest interest.
4. The decisive moment or turning point when the rising action of the play is reversed to falling action.
5. The elements of plot after a story's climax and before the resolution.
6. People, animals, or creatures in a story or drama.
8. The mood implied by an author's word choices.
10. A little story or small piece of information.
11. The vantage point from which a story is presented.

DOWN

1. When the conflict is resolved at the end of the story.
2. A struggle between two opposing forces.
3. The background information of the characters and setting explained at the beginning of the story.
7. The message or underlying meaning a writer reveals in a novel, short story, or other literary work.
9. The sequence of events that make up a story.

climax

theme

exposition

plot

resolution

characters

point of view

conflict

rising action

tone

falling action

anecdote