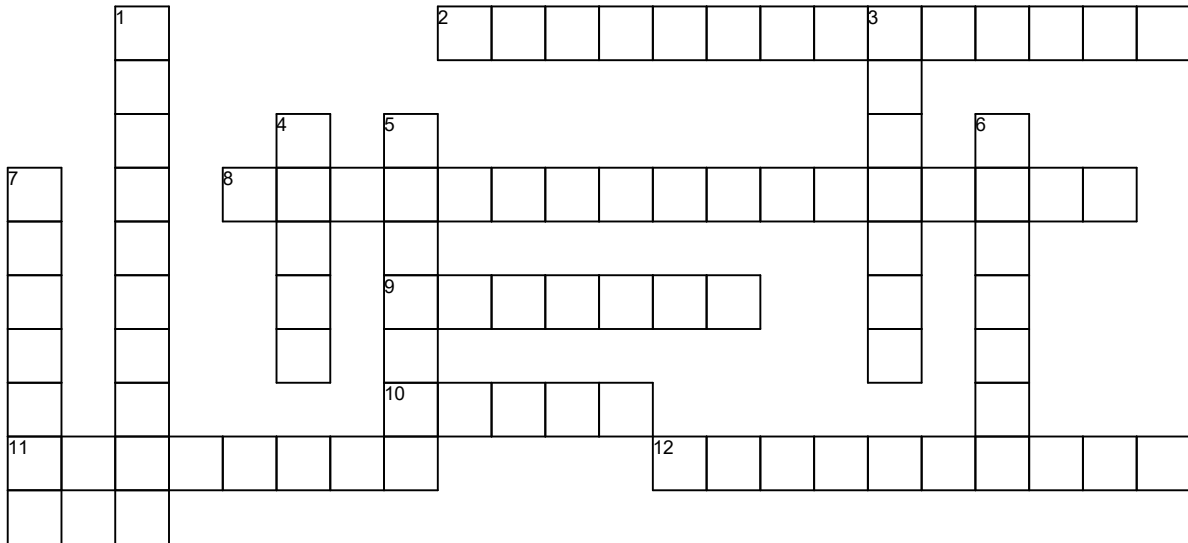


3rd Grade CCSS Language Arts Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle 12

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



ACROSS

2. The reason something happens and the result of it happening.
8. A nonfiction text written to share factual information.
9. To make clear in order to be understood.
10. The major idea or essential part.
11. Important to the topic.
12. A final understanding based on evidence and facts.

DOWN

1. Words that are specific and important.
3. To tell why and how things happen.
4. To reach an understanding or conclusion based on reasoning (logical thinking). To hint, suggest, imply.
5. A general idea.
6. Explanations of causes for happenings (occurrences, events, occasions, decisions).
7. To observe and point out similarities and differences.

conclusion

informational text

compare

reasons

point

concept

explain

key details

relevant

cause and effect

infer

clarify