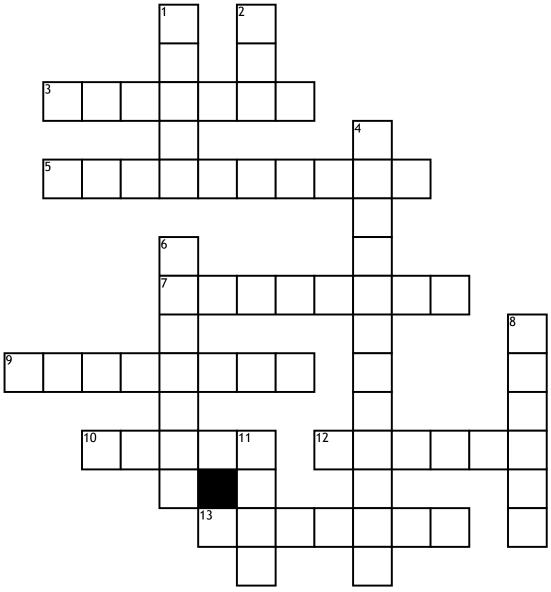
## Cyber Awareness



## **Across**

- **3.** What should be used to make passwords more secure?
- 5. Made possible by using algorithms to create complex codes out of simple data, effectively making it more difficult for cyber thieves to gain access to information
- 7. The fraudulent practice of sending emails purporting to be from reputable companies in order to induce individuals to reveal personal information, such as passwords and credit card numbers.
- **9.** Used to protect a network or system from unauthorized access

- **10.** A piece of code which is capable of copying itself and typically has a detrimental effect, such as corrupting the system or destroying data.
- **12.** An attempt by hackers to damage or destroy a computer network or system.
- **13.** Software that is specifically designed to disrupt, damage, or gain unauthorized access to a computer system.

## Down

- 1. Combining form meaning "computer," "computer network," or "virtual reality."
- 2. A web address

- **4.** Private or restricted information.
- **6.** Software that enables a user to obtain covert information about another's computer activities by transmitting data covertly from their hard drive.
- **8.** Someone who seeks and exploits weaknesses in a computer system or computer network.
- **11.** An email message sent to a large number of people without their consent, usually promoting a product or service