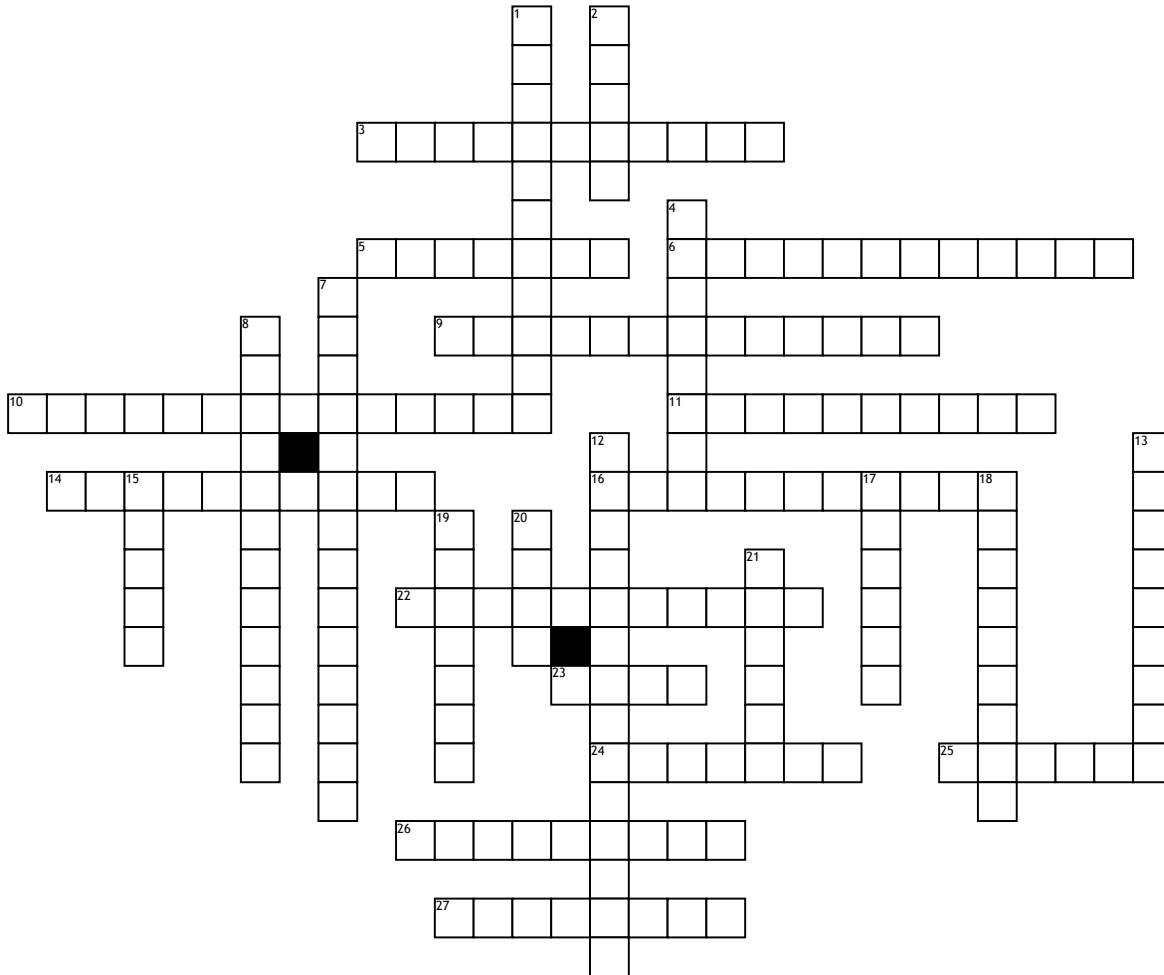


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Digestive System



Across

3. a lesion in the lining (mucosa) of the digestive tract
 5. the internal organ in which the major part of the digestion of food occurs
 6. a serious medical condition in which the appendix becomes inflamed and painful
 9. Colorless acid fluid secreted by acid fluids
 10. any of various glands that discharge a fluid secretion and especially saliva into the mouth cavity
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 14. the sum of anabolism and catabolism
 16. To chew (food)
 22. a pear shaped sac located under the liver, stores and concentrates bile

23. the opening at the end of the alimentary canal through which solid waste matter leaves the body
 24. responsible for the chemical changes that break foods down into simpler forms of nutrients for use by the body
 25. solid body wastes expelled through the rectum and anus
 26. process by which complex foods are broken down into nutrients in a form the body can use
 27. tube-shaped sac attached to and opening into the lower end of the large intestine

Down

1. Constriction and relaxation of the muscles of the small intestine
 2. pouch that lies on the right side of the abdomen
 4. a large gland behind the stomach that secretes digestive enzyme

7. the cecum, colon, and rectum collectively
 8. consists of the bone and soft tissues that surround and support teeth
 12. the part of the intestine that runs between the stomach and the large intestine
 13. the part of the alimentary canal that connects the throat to the stomach
 15. A Set of hard enamel- coated structures in jaws
 17. muscular organ in the mouth, used for tasting
 18. a substance usually from food, that is necessary for normal functioning of the body
 19. the membrane-lined cavity behind the nose and mouth
 20. greenish-brown alkaline fluid that aids digestion by stomach glands
 21. the final section of the large intestine