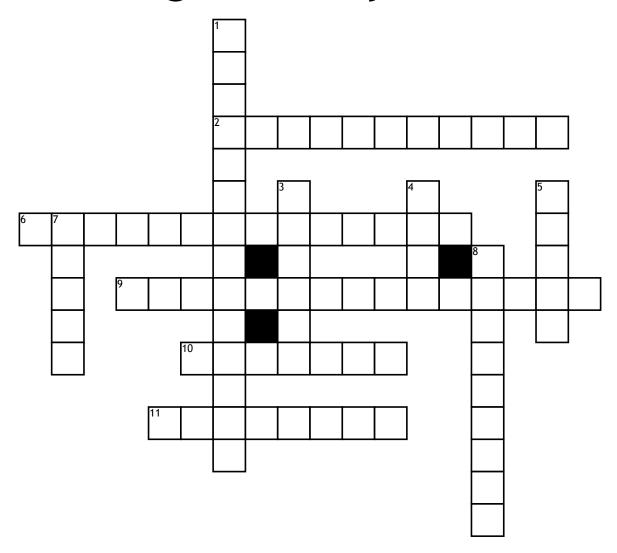
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Digestive System



Across

- 2. stores bile
- **6.** nutrients from food are absorbed into the bloodstream from this organ
- **9.** main function is to breakdown food into nutrients
- **10.** continues process of mechanical digestion; secretes gastric juices that help break food down
- 11. produces digestive juices that help further break down food in small intestine

Down

- **1.** organ where water from the food is absorbed into the bloodstream
- **3.** short tube that stores solid waste until it is eliminated from the body
- **4.** opening where solid waste is eliminated
- 5. produces bile
- **7.** begins to break down food into smaller pieces through mechanical digestion
- **8.** the transport tube that carries the chewed food to the stomach