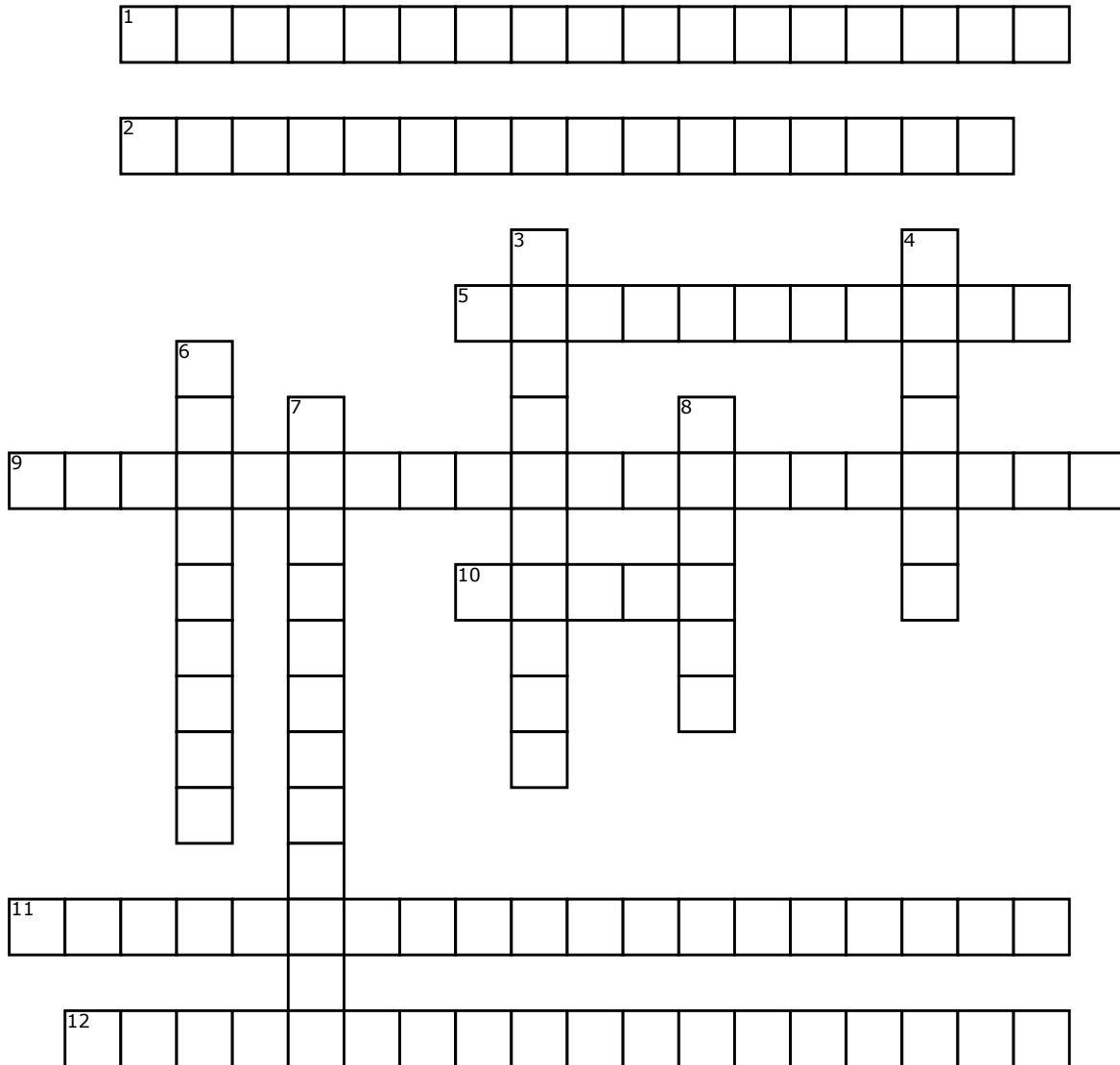


Do You Know Your Natives?



Across

- 1.** Deciduous, long-lived tree typically coated in lichens; Fig-shaped capsule over large, brown, round seeds
- 2.** Maria's favorite plant!; annual herb covered in stiff yellowish hairs; white bell-shaped flowers
- 5.** Common coastal scrub with leaves similar to oaks; shrubs produce either female or male flowers!
- 9.** Prickly, branching shrub (or vine); white, 5-petaled flowers and a delicious berry in summer

10. Perennial herb with narrow, slightly hairy, pointed leaves; flowers are light purple with many narrow petals surrounding a yellow center

11. Coastal scrub with hairy, light green or gray leaves; gives off an odor similar to a savory culinary herb

12. Woody subshrub featuring bilaterally symmetric, bright orange flowers and sticky, dark green leaves

Down

3. Tall herb with very large leaves, thick stems, and hefty taproot; Flowers grow in tall umbels and are always white

4. Perennial subshrub with fleshy green leaves and reddish stem, yellow flowers that secretes a sticky substance, particularly when first blooming; Found in coastal wetland communities

6. Deciduous woody plant with a dark, and itchy secret; Leaves of 3 let it be!

7. Long-lasting tree with oval, convex dark green leaves with spinose margins; Seeds of this tree referred to as acorns

8. Perennial herb with stems growing evenly distributed, tiny, almost feathery leaves; tiny, sweet-smelling flowers in a compact cluster on one main stem