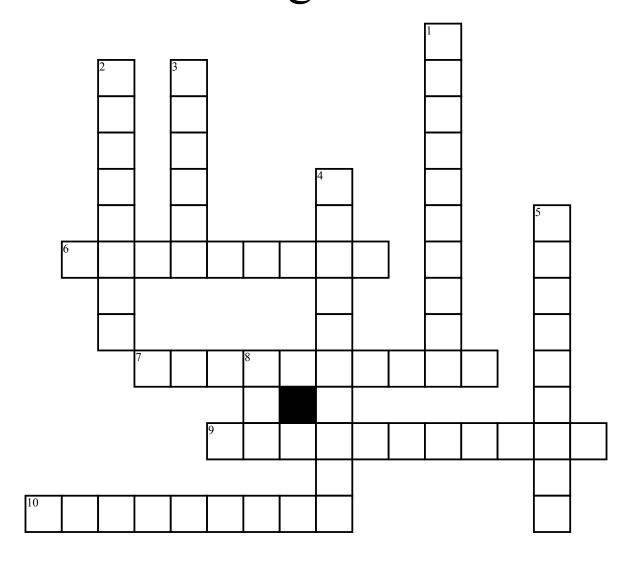
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Geologic Time



Across

- **6.** Structures that don't seem to have a function but might have once functioned in an ancestor.
- **7.** Describes evolution as a slow, ongoing process.
- **9.** ___ dating compares the amount of radioactive element with the amount of non-radioactive element in a rock.
- **10.** An inherited trait that makes an individual different from other members of its species.

Down

- 1. ___ body parts can indicate two or more species share common ancestors.
- **2.** ___ dating looks at fossil location in a particular layer of rock.
- **3.** evidence, such as the development of an antibiotic resistance in bacteria, supports evolution.
- **4.** A variation that makes an organism better suited to its environment.
- **5.** Changes in inherited characteristics of a species over time.
- **8.** ___ can provide evidence about how closely related organisms are.