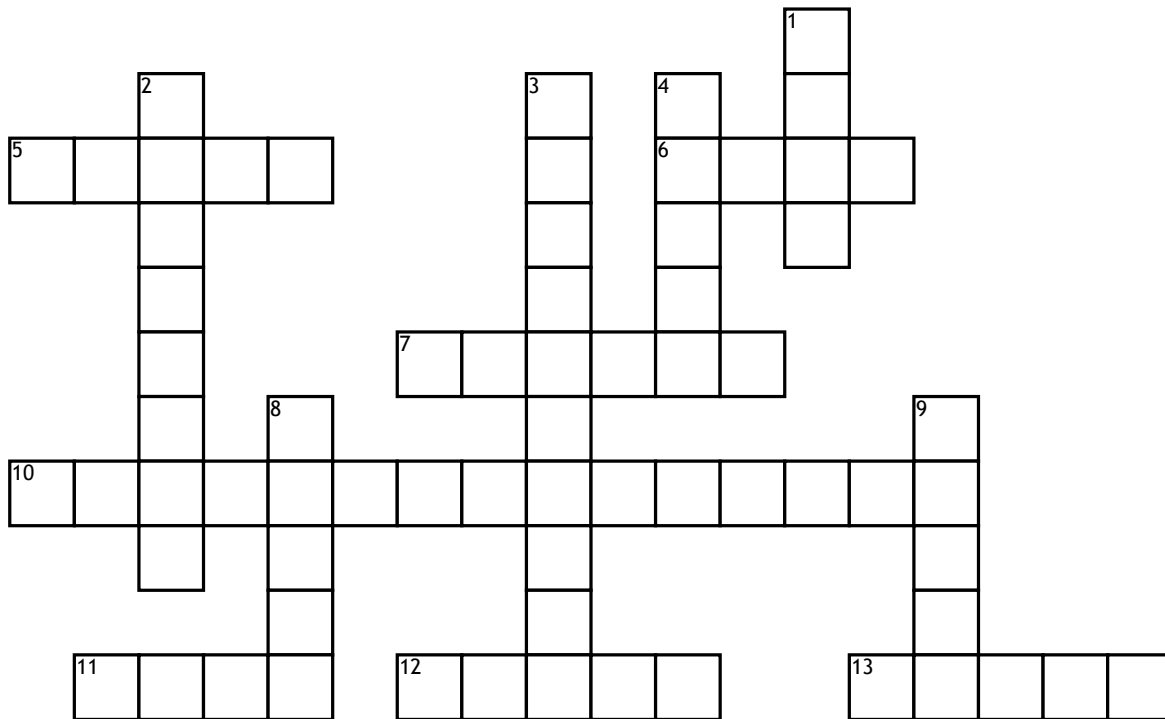


# LIONS



## Across

5. Did you know when the male lion roars it can be heard up to 5 \_\_\_\_\_ away?

6. The \_\_\_\_\_ communicates their location to other prides and can be heard as far away as 8 km.

7. The pride works together and hunts intelligently, but the female of the pride is the main \_\_\_\_\_

10. The lion has been given the name \_\_\_\_\_ due to its stately, royal appearance.

11. When a male lion reaches complete maturity, he develops the well-known \_\_\_\_\_ on his head and back.

12. • Lions hunt mostly at \_\_\_\_\_ and therefore have great night vision.

13. If there is a shortage of \_\_\_\_\_, they have been known to eat wild melons which saves them from dehydration.

## Down

1. Female lions will eat about 5 kg of \_\_\_\_\_ every day

2. Lions spend sixteen to twenty hours per day simply \_\_\_\_\_ and resting

3. Their eyes are six times more sensitive to light than the eyes of a \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Males have a very important job to do also. They will protect the \_\_\_\_\_ (females and cubs) and patrol their territory from other species and predators.

8. • The lion has the loudest \_\_\_\_\_ of any of the big cats

9. For food they like to eat large animals that can be found in the grasslands like \_\_\_\_\_, antelopes and wildebeest.