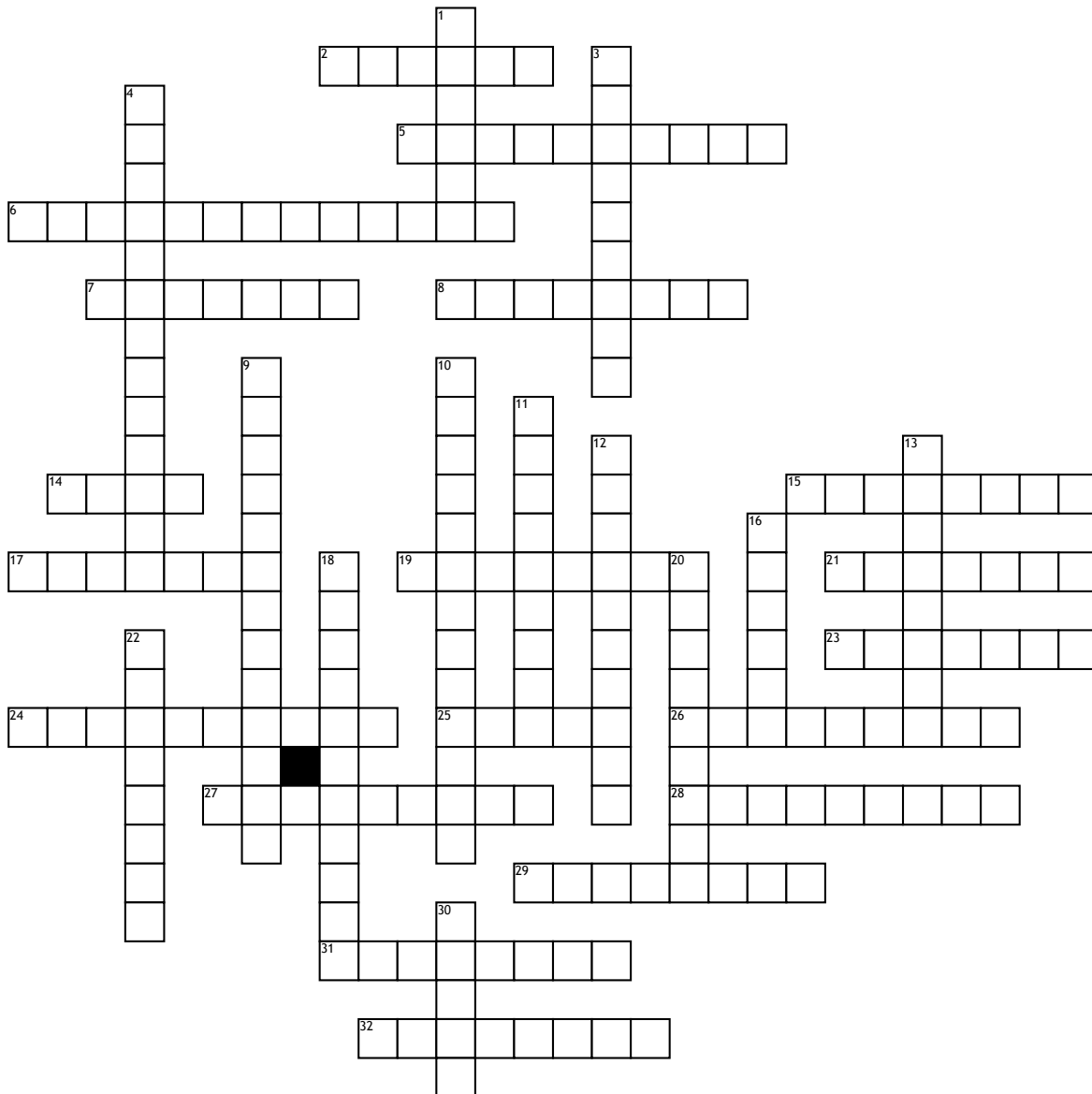


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Literary Devices



Across

2. direct comparison of two unlike things, often using like or as
 5. repeated consonant sounds throughout a passage
 6. 14 lines, 3 quatrains and a rhymed couplet
 7. contradictory statement that reveals truth about humanity
 8. narrative where actions, characters, etc have underlying political, social, or religious meanings
 14. speaker's attitude toward the subject
 15. the same word begins successive sentences
 17. pattern of word choice
 19. two stressed syllables
 21. pleasing sounds

23. descriptive language intended to activate one of the five senses
 24. direct address of someone/something that isn't present
 25. the overall point the author is proving about the topic
 26. predictable pattern of characterization, typical example
 27. harsh sounds
 28. speech alone on the stage for the benefit of the audience
 29. reference in one text to another
 31. the use of the name of one thing for that of another associated with or suggested by it
 32. repeating the same idea in reverse order
Down
 1. understatement

3. long speech delivered by one character to further the play
 4. 14 lines, octave, sestet
 9. coming of age
 10. placing two contradictory words side-by-side to highlight differences
 11. repeated vowel sounds throughout a passage
 12. run-on lines
 13. sudden insight or revelation
 16. unaccented, accented
 18. reference to something that never existed in that time
 20. cleansing of emotions
 22. country setting
 30. recurring element of symbolic significance