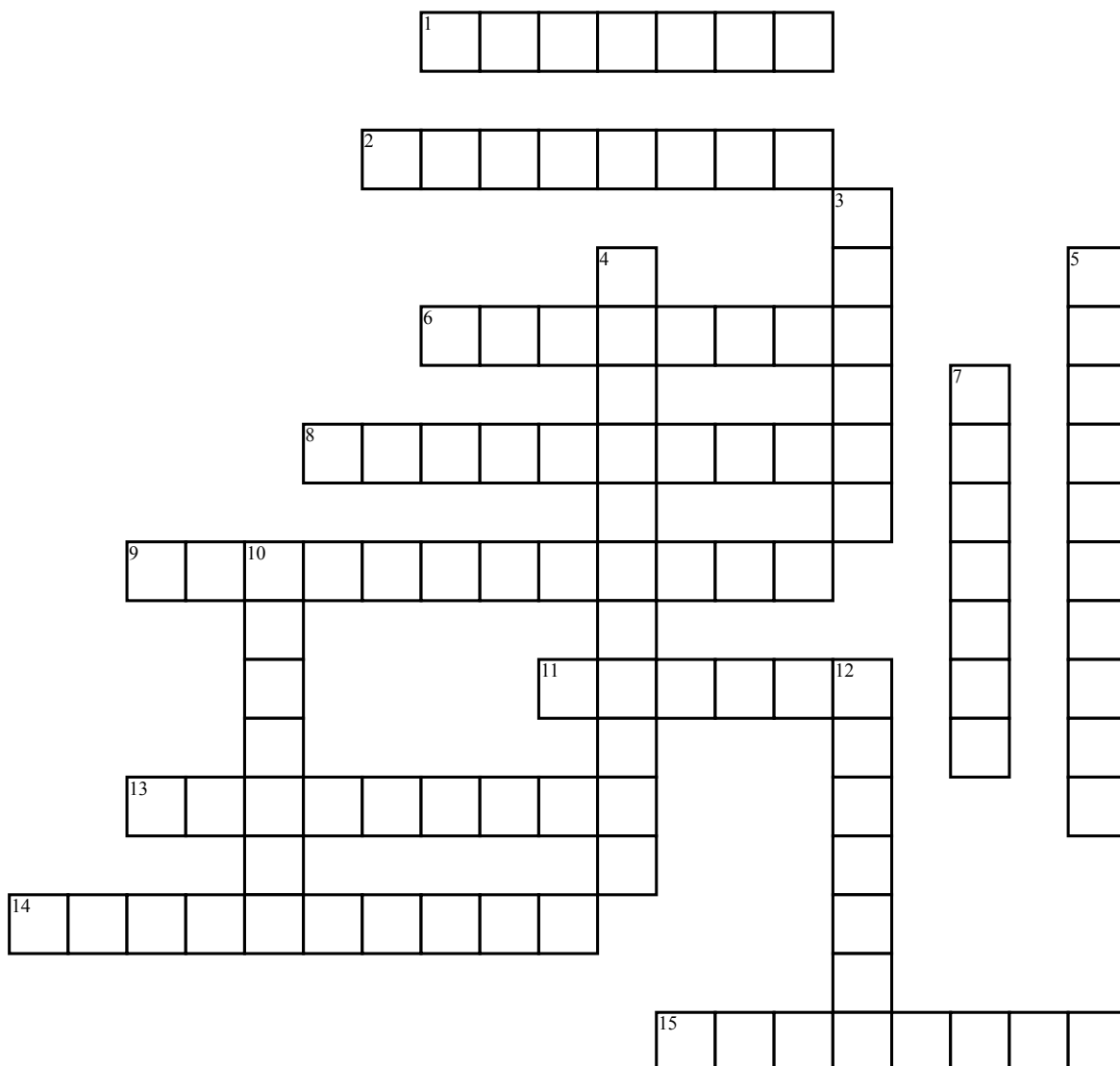


Moon Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. either of the intermediate stages between the new and full moons
2. A tide that occurs when the difference between high and low tide is least; comes twice a month, in the first and third quarters of the moon.
6. the phase of the moon in which the whole disk is illuminated
8. the movement of one object around a center or another object
9. an eclipse in which the moon appears darkened as it passes into the earth's shadow

11. gradual growth or development

13. the shape of the sunlit portion of the moon as seen from earth

14. A tide that occurs when the difference between high and low tide is greatest; comes twice a month, approximately at the full and new moon.

15. the curved sickle shape of the waxing or waning moon

Down

3. gradual decrease in size or strength

4. the portion of the moon that is lit by the sun

5. a period of time at the close of which the new moons return on the same days of the year

7. the force that attracts a body toward the center of the earth, or toward any other physical body having mass

10. the phase of the moon when it is in conjunction with the sun and invisible from earth

12. having the observable illuminated part greater than a semicircle and less than a circle