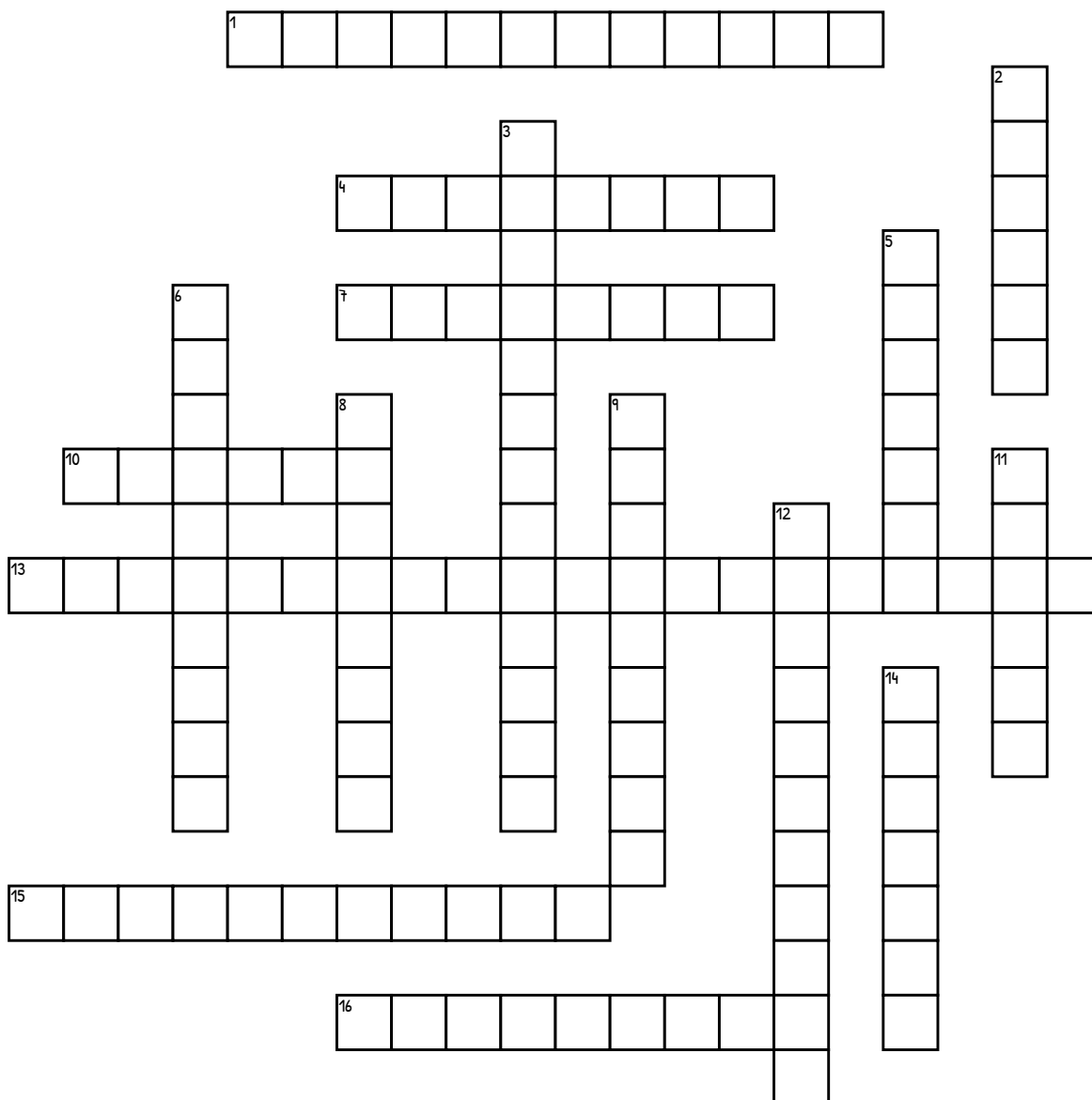


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# Parts of the Nail



## Across

1. additional or excessive skin that overlaps onto the sides of the nail plate
4. piece of skin that overlaps onto the side of the nail
7. extends beyond the fingertip
10. whitish, half moon shape at the base of the nail
13. attach the nail bed and matrix to the bone underneath
15. skin between the free edge and fingertip of the natural nail

16. translucent portion of the nail, extending from the nail root to the free edge

## Down

2. pocket like fold of skin that holds the nail root and the matrix
3. thin layer of skin cells between the nail bed and the nail plate
5. non living epidermis extending around the base of the nail
6. the living skin at the base of the nail plate that partially overlaps the lunula

8. portion of the nail plate hidden under a fold of skin at the base of the nail

9. skin folds that form the nail grooves

11. is the part of the nail bed that extends below the nail root and helps produce the nail

12. slits or grooves on the sides of the nail that allow growth

14. skin that the nail plate rests upon as it grows out