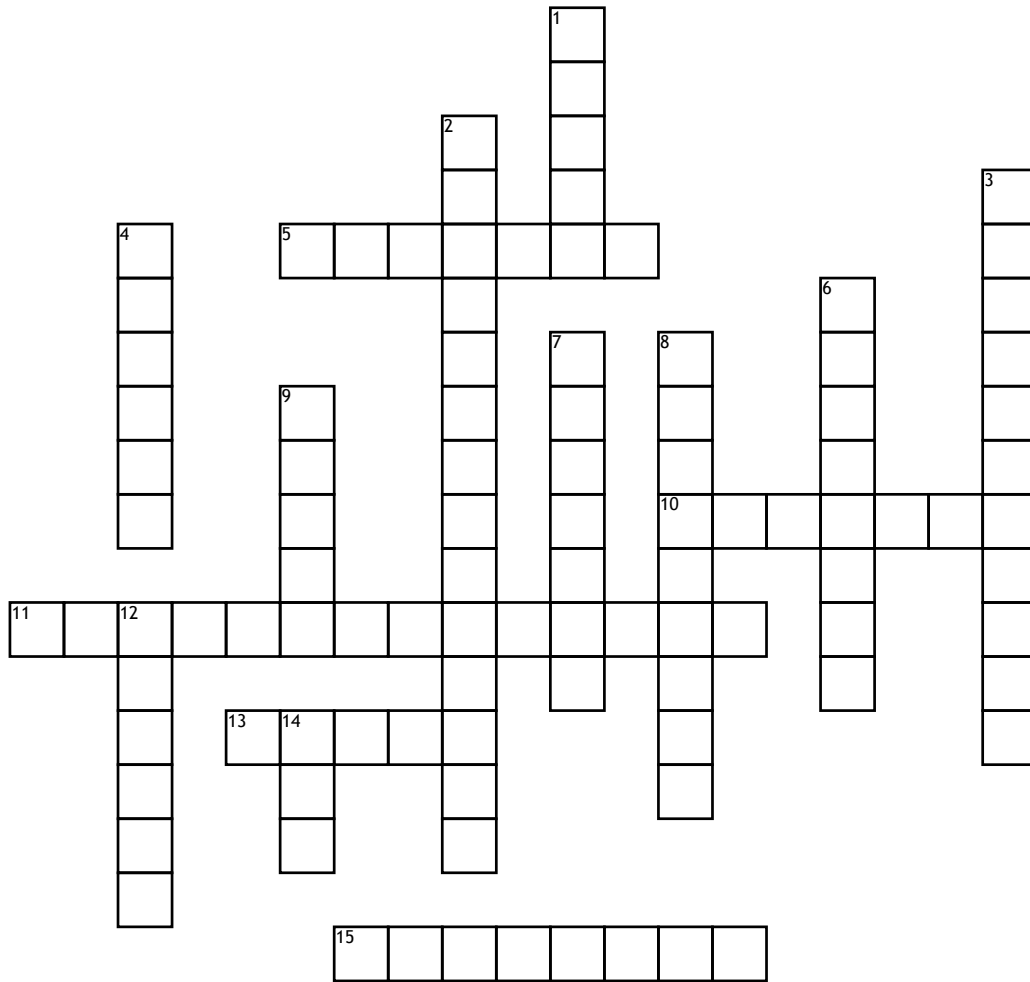


# Rikki-Tikki-Tavi Crossword Puzzle



## Across

- 5. a large rodent; basically a bigger rat
- 10. the wife of Nag
- 11. the author
- 13. the general setting of the story
- 15. the animal species of RikkiTikki

## Down

- 1. a brown or green colored snake that feed on mice and lizards
- 2. The main character in this story, he is a mongoose
- 3. something that comforts
- 4. wake up; become conscious
- 6. a small house in which the humans live in

- 7. run quickly, with hurried movements
- 8. a clever way that is used to deceive or trick
- 9. to shrink or crouch down in fear
- 12. a bird that is RikkiTikki's friend
- 14. the male snake that RikkiTikki fights

## Word Bank

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|-----------------|----------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| revive          | RikkiTikkiTavi | cunningly | cobra    | India   |
| Rudyard Kipling | scuttle        | cower     | bungalow | Nag     |
| Nagaina         | consolation    | Darzee    | mongoose | muskrat |