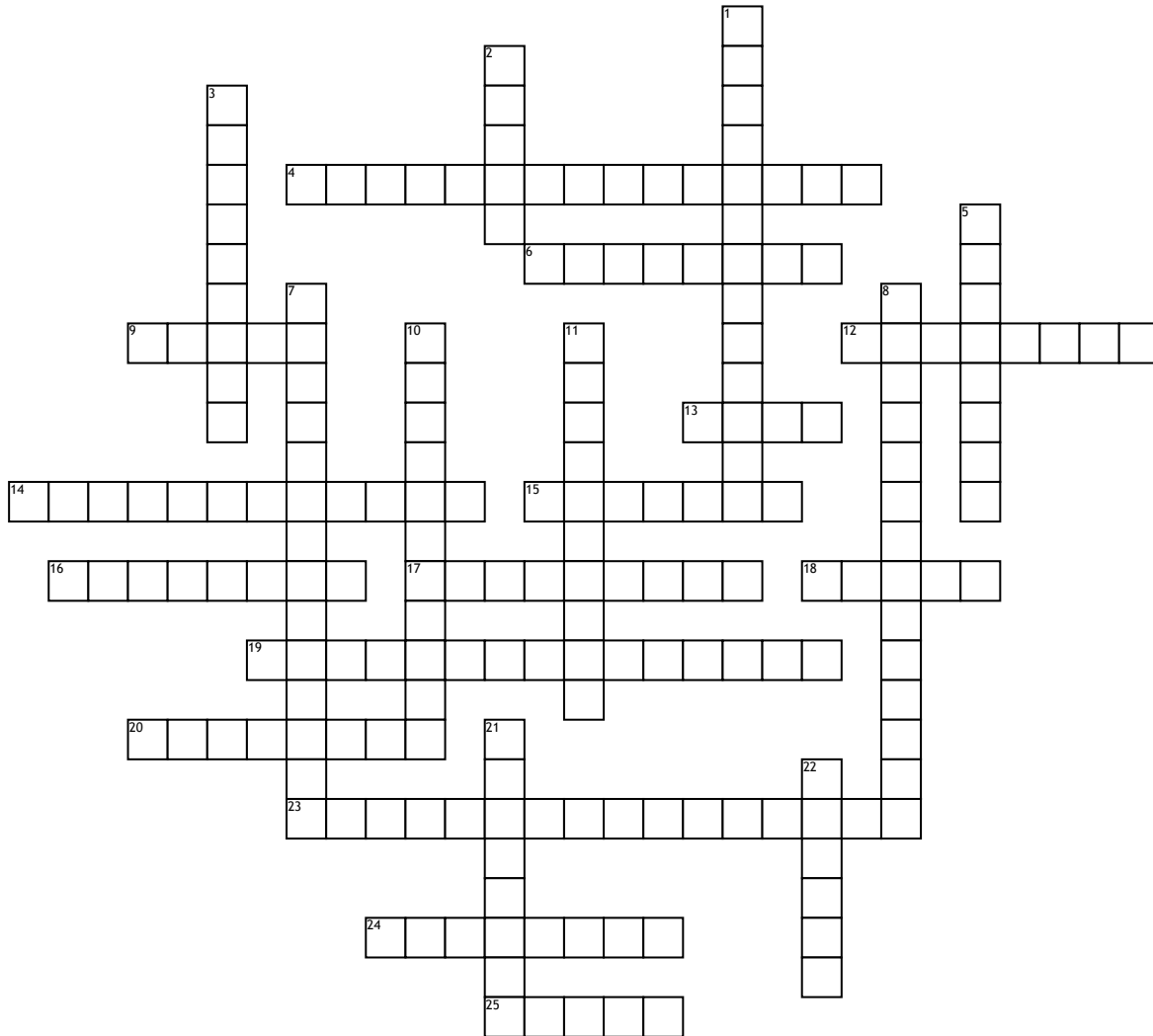


# Roman Emperors



## Across

4. Murdered after less than three months in power  
 6. When he died, the soldiers called out "To the Tiber with \_\_\_\_"  
 9. Lynched by his soldiers in 69AD, after only 7 months of ruling  
 12. His biggest mistake was not creating a system for choosing the next emperor  
 13. Blamed and persecuted Christians for the burning of Rome  
 14. Fought no wars during his reign  
 15. Built borders for the empire, "\_\_\_\_'s Wall" in Britain  
 16. Brutal misrule that ended the 84-year period of internal peace  
 17. Began construction of the Colosseum

18. Committed suicide after being defeated by Vitellius  
 19. Became emperor by being the highest bidder in an auction  
 20. First man to rule the empire without having achieved senatorial status  
 23. Converted government into a military monarchy  
 24. Tried to make his horse, Incatatus, consul/senator  
 25. First of the rulers known as the Five Good Emperors

## Down

1. Ordered to be killed by his brother Caracalla  
 2. Colosseum opened during his reign and he sponsored 100 days of gladiator games

3. Ordered construction of largest bath houses, "Baths of \_\_\_\_"  
 5. known for stuttering as well as conquering Britain  
 7. Known for his book "Meditations" on Stoic philosophy  
 8. Declared emperor by his soldier  
 10. Did not seem capable of bearing his responsibilities as emperor  
 11. Notable above all for his eccentric behavior  
 21. Known for his reign of terror inflicted on members of the Senate  
 22. Opened the first shopping center in Rome called "\_\_\_\_'s market"