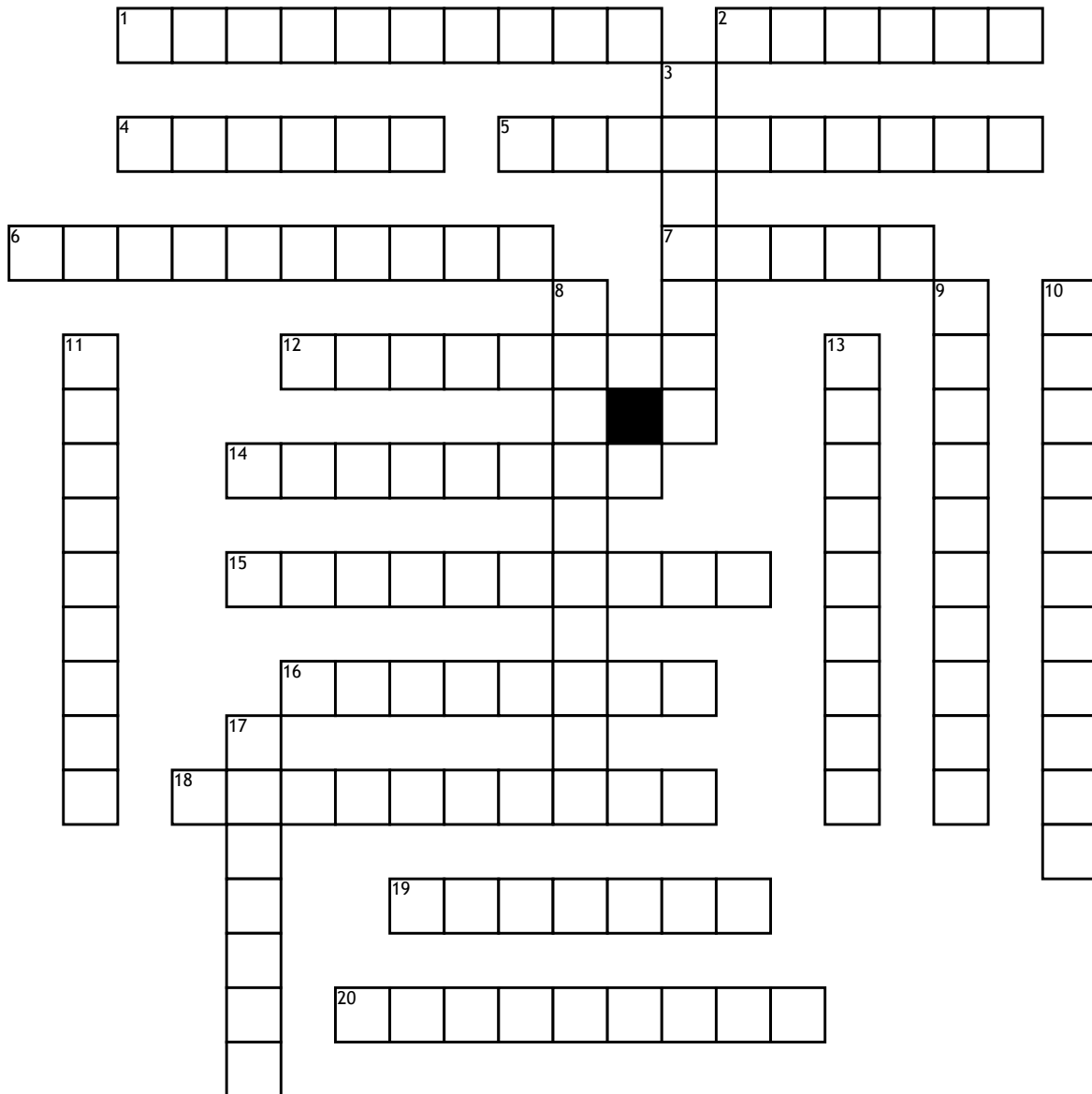


# SAT CROSSWORD PUZZLE



**Across**

- 1. sociable; outgoing
- 2. a riddle or mystery; a puzzling or baffling matter or person
- 4. to ridicule or make fun of; to scoff at
- 5. showing unselfish concern for others
- 6. not necessary; not an essential part; not relevant
- 7. lacking freshness and zest; flat; stale
- 12. extremely poisonous; deadly; full of spiteful hatred

**14. strongly opinionated; rigid; dictatorial**

- 15. very old and no longer in use; obsolete
- 16. a person who lives for pleasure
- 18. self-satisfied, smug
- 19. causing ruin; harmful, pernicious
- 20. a self-server who tries to gain the favor of others through the use flattery or by being overly attentive

**Down**

- 3. briefness or conciseness in speech or writing
- 8. unoriginal; taken from something already existing
- 9. eager to fight; belligerent
- 10. lacking respect; scornful
- 11. using language in a pompous, showy way; speaking to impress others
- 13. lack of harmony; loud and unpleasant noise; a racket
- 17. to pacify, soothe, or appease; to make less severe or violent