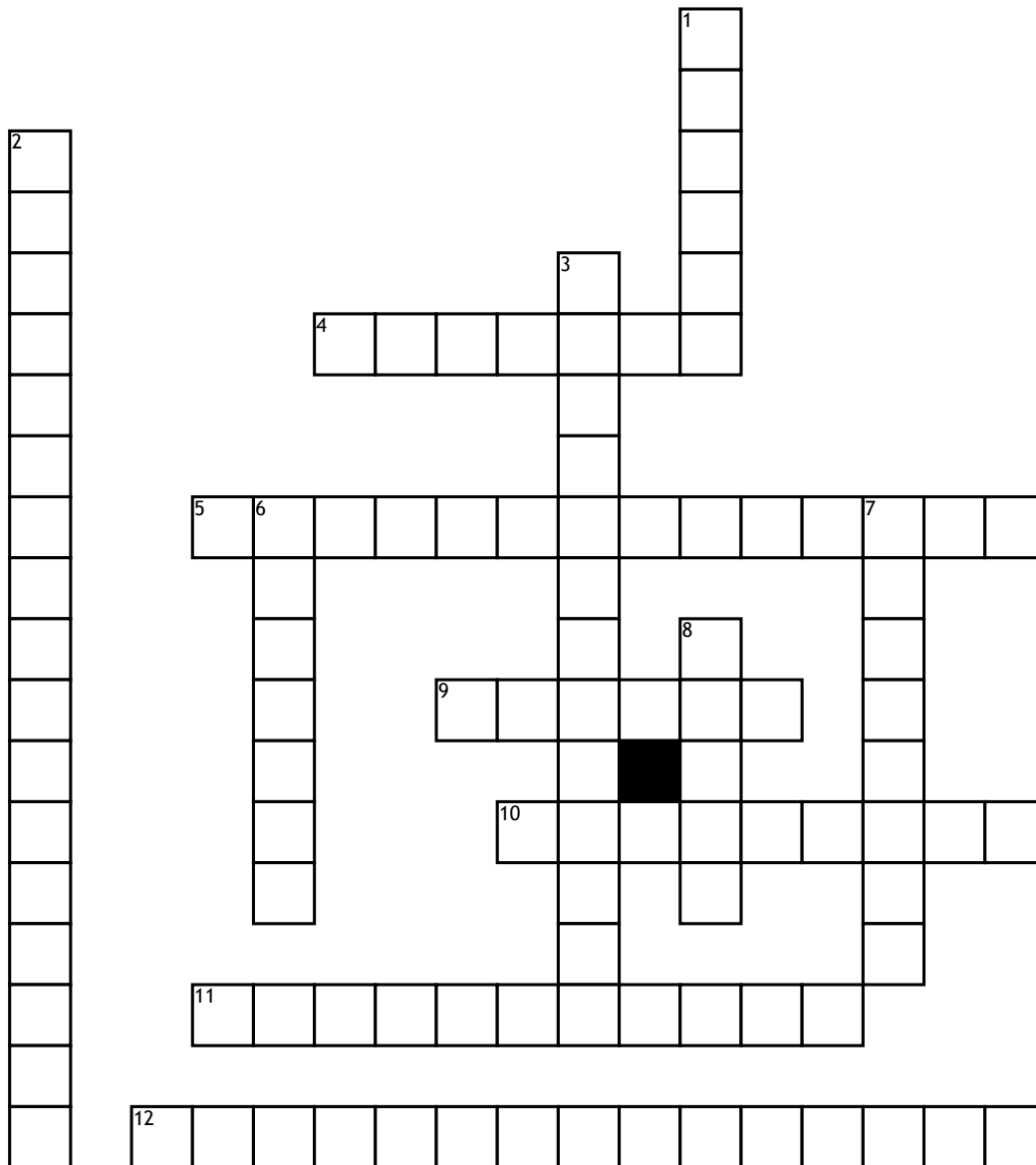


Name: _____

Date: _____

Science Vocab Crossword Puzzle



Across

4. a force that moves rocks and other materials down hill; the force that pulls objects toward each other
 5. a band of stars
 9. a streak of light in the sky produced by the burning of a meteoroid in earth atmosphere
 10. a chunk of rock or dust in space
 11. planets and their moons, and several kinds of smaller objects that revolve around the sun

Down

1. A huge group of single stars, solar systems, star clusters, dust, and gas bound together by gravity
 2. a model of the solar system in which the earth and the other planets revolve around the sun
 3. The Initial explosion that resulted in the formation and expansion of the universe

6. the tendency of an object to resist a change in motion
 7. rocky objects revolving around the sun that are too small and numerous to be considered planets
 8. a loose collection of ice, dust, and small rocky particles, typically with a long, narrow orbit of the sun