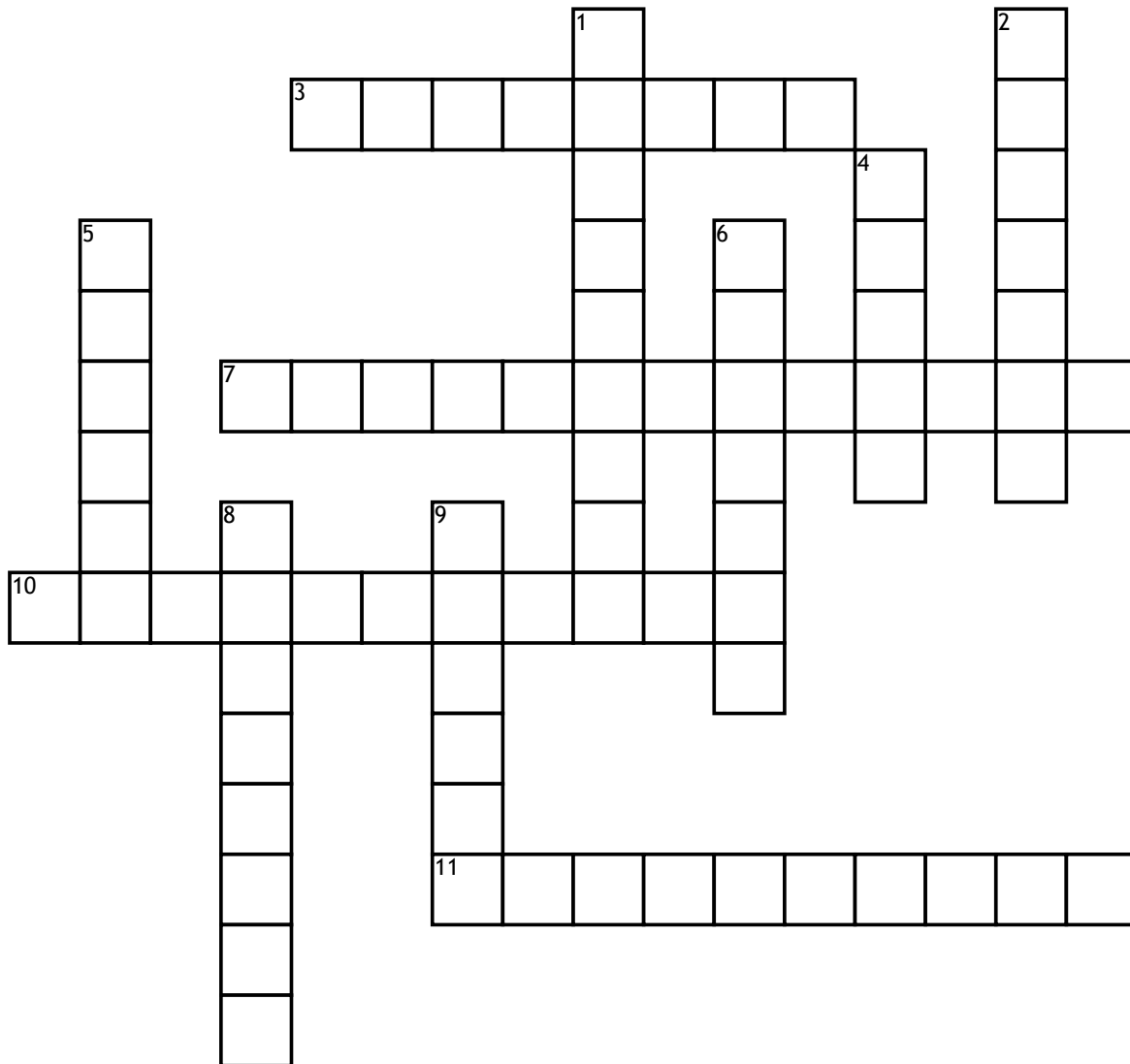


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The Mouth



Across

3. the front teeth present in most mammals.

7. Produces saliva which keeps the mouth and other digestive system organs moist.

10. wave-like muscle contractions

11. Prevents choking on food and food from entering the larynx

Down

1. muscular tube that connects the pharynx to the stomach.

2. serves as a pathway for the movement of food from the mouth to the esophagus

4. Aids in a person's ability to speak.

5. relatively long, pointed teeth

6. an enzyme that catalyzes the hydrolysis of starch into sugars.

8. also known as premolar teeth

9. the roof of the mouth