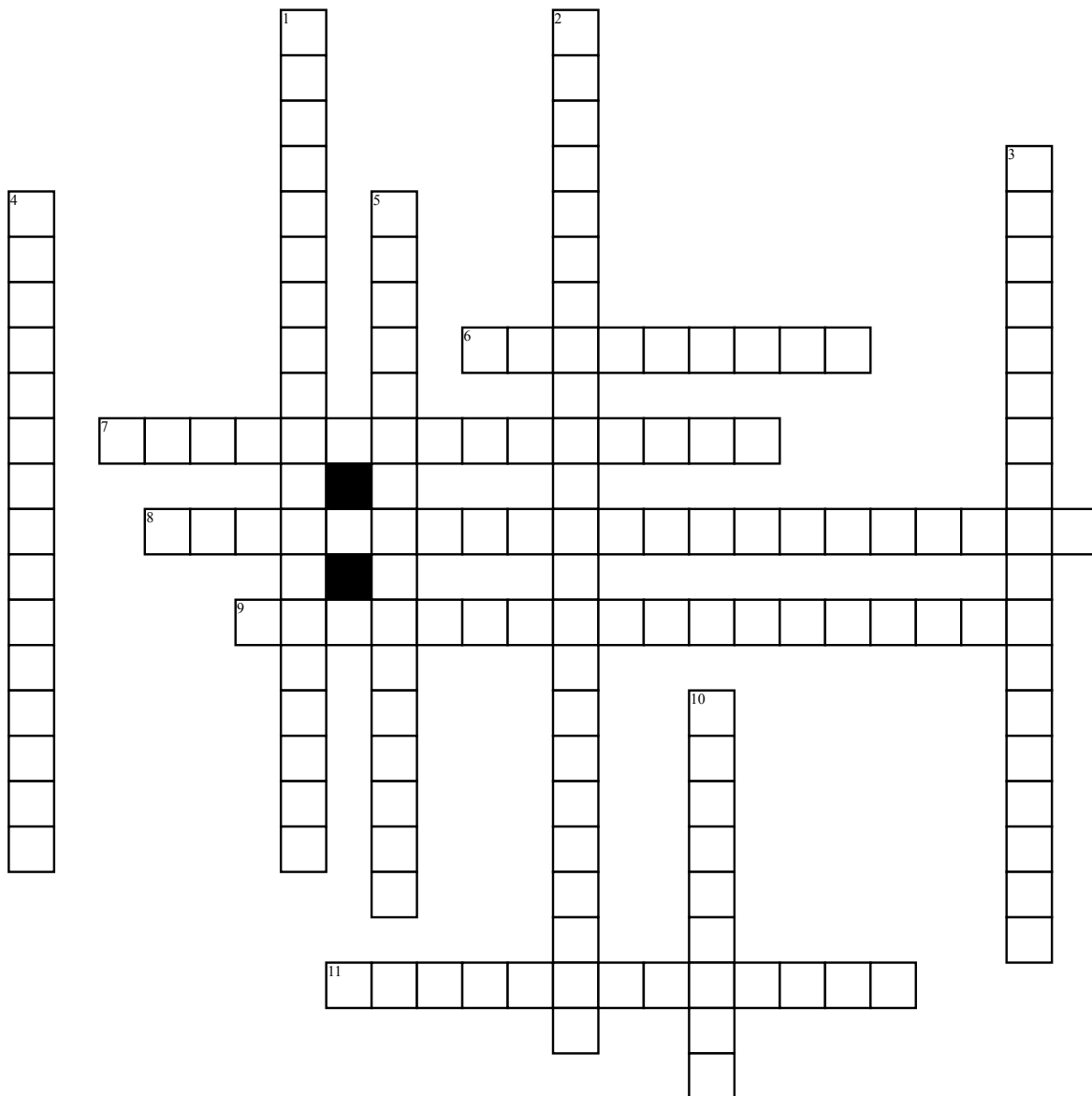


Thinking and Problem Solving



Across

6. Every time Johnny plays tic-tac-toe, he puts his first X in the middle box because he has never lost with this technique.
7. Mackenzie was taking her biology test when she noticed that she had marked 5 "C"s in a row. She thought to herself that the next answer could not possibly be C, because a streak like that must come to an end.
8. Eryn saw the popular movie "It" with her sister last Friday. When she got to school the following Monday, she was surprised to hear that no one else in her class had seen the movie.
9. In 2006, Pluto was proven to not be a planet. Jason, however, refuses to think of Pluto as anything other than a planet.
11. After completing an experiment that proved that watching more TV causes students to get worse grades, a researcher stated "he knew it all along".

Down

1. Erin locked her keys in her car and needed a way to get them out. She failed to realize that she could have used the bobby pin in her hair to pick the lock.

2. Billy is a quiet guy, very devoted to his studies. His classmates were surprised when they found out that he was caught drinking last weekend at a party.
3. After taking the SAT, Lisa was confident that she scored at least a 1400. When she got her scores back a few months later, she was surprised to find out that she only made a 1250.
4. During her test, Karen could not remember the answer to the question "Who is the father of psychoanalysis". A few hours later at lunch, she spontaneously remembered that the answer was "Sigmund Freud".
5. Betty, a devout Republican from Alabama heard of a breaking news story and immediately turned her television to the Fox News channel.
10. Jordan asks Coach Ironside to borrow his keys so she can get into the field house. He pulls a lanyard out of his pocket that has 20 keys attached. She solved the problem by trying every key on the lanyard until she found the one that opened the door.