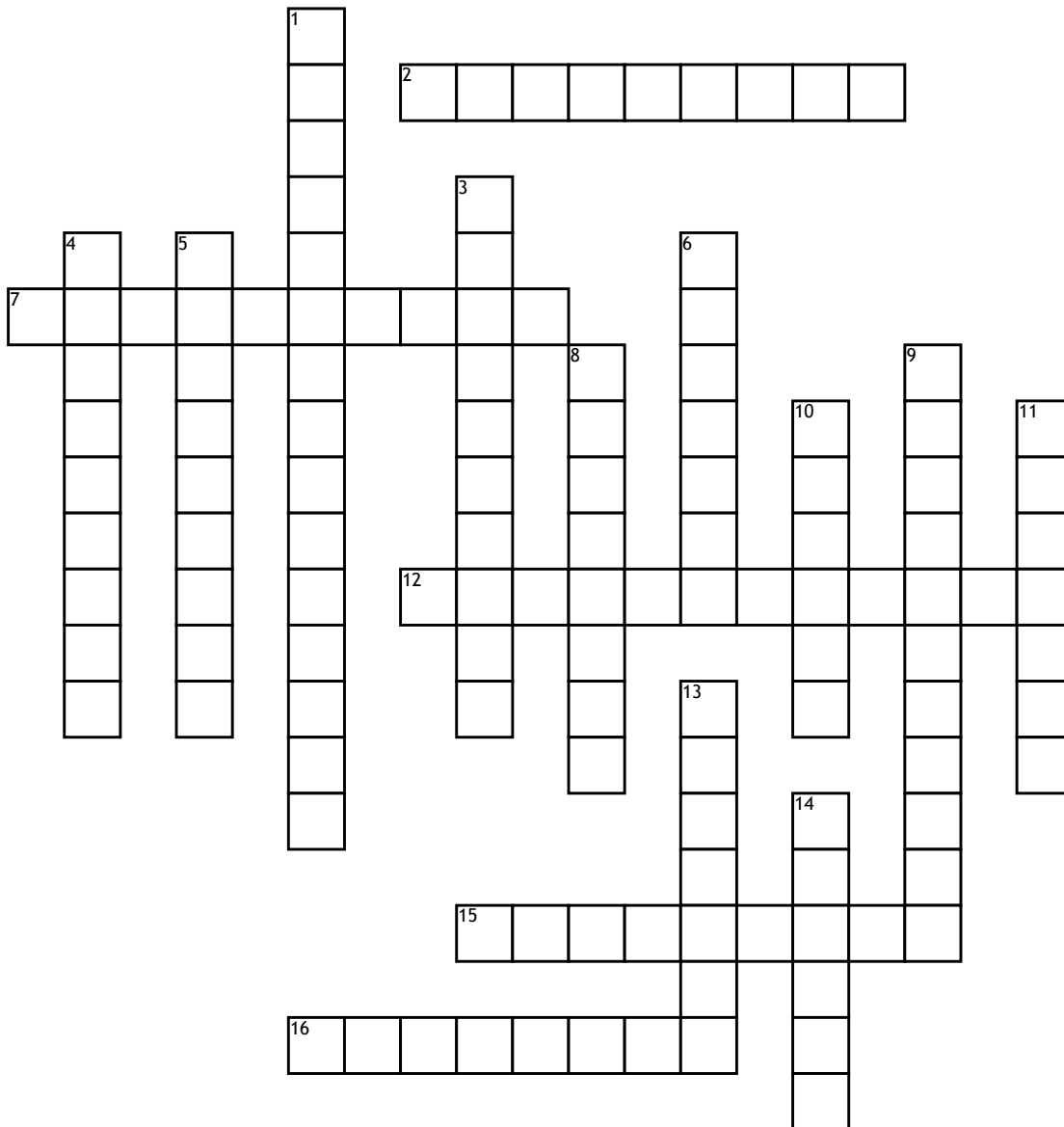


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Unit 2 Vocabulary



Across

- 2. Biological community of interacting organisms and their environment
- 7. Inhabitants of a particular town, area, or country
- 12. Causes sudden great damage
- 15. Destructive vortex of violently rotating winds having the appearance of a funnel-shaped cloud
- 16. A rapidly spreading forest or brush fire

Down

- 1. A natural event such as a flood, earthquake, or hurricane
- 3. An area of low-lying ground adjacent to a river subject to flooding
- 4. a mountain having a crater through which lava and gas can escape the Earth's crust
- 5. A storm with a violent wind forming over the ocean
- 6. A long period of no rainfall
- 8. Long high sea waves caused by an earthquake

- 9. A sudden and violent shaking of the ground
- 10. An overflow of a large amount of water
- 11. A group of living organisms consisting of similar individuals capable of interbreeding
- 13. The weather conditions prevailing in an area
- 14. Large naturally occurring community of flora and fauna occupying a major habitat