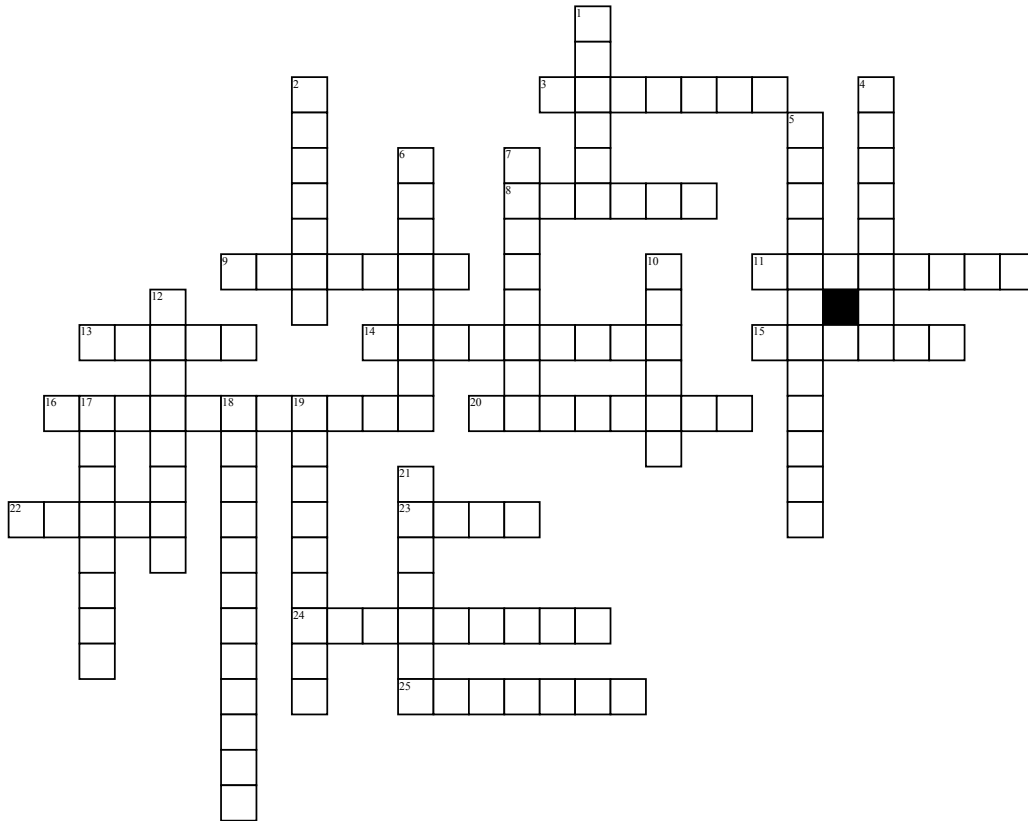


# Vocabulary Unit 1-2



## Across

3. to change from liquid to solid  
 8. to approach and speak to first; to confront in a challenging or aggressive way  
 9. to work on excessively  
 11. silent or quiet  
 13. hackneyed, trite, commonplace  
 14. a whirlpool of great size and violence  
 15. to avoid, shun, keep away  
 16. able to get and retain ideas or information  
 20. swiftness, rapidity of motion or action

22. open, not hidden, expressed or revealed in a way that is easily recognized  
 23. desirous of something to the point of greed  
 24. offensive, hateful, tending to cause bitterness and resentment  
 25. relevant, appropriate, apropos, fitting

## Down

1. realistic view of a situation  
 2. capable or being held or defended  
 4. having a salty taste and unpleasant to drink  
 5. refusing to compromise, irreconcilable  
 6. to claim or take without right

7. generosity in giving; lavish or bountiful contributions  
 10. an opening move that involves risk or sacrifice  
 12. to move in waves or with a wavelike motion  
 17. holding or sticking together  
 18. to establish by evidence, prove; to give concrete or substantial form to  
 19. to stall or act evasively in order to gain time  
 21. tending to find fault, especially in a petty, nasty, or hairsplitting way

## Word Bank

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|-----------|--------------|-------------|----------|--------------|-----------|----------|
| temporize | taciturn     | myopic      | belabor  | maelstrom    | carping   | arrogate |
| germane   | intransigent | acquisitive | congeal  | substantiate | undulate  | accost   |
| celerity  | gambit       | eschew      | largesse | tenable      | invidious | banal    |
| avid      | overt        | brackish    | coherent |              |           |          |