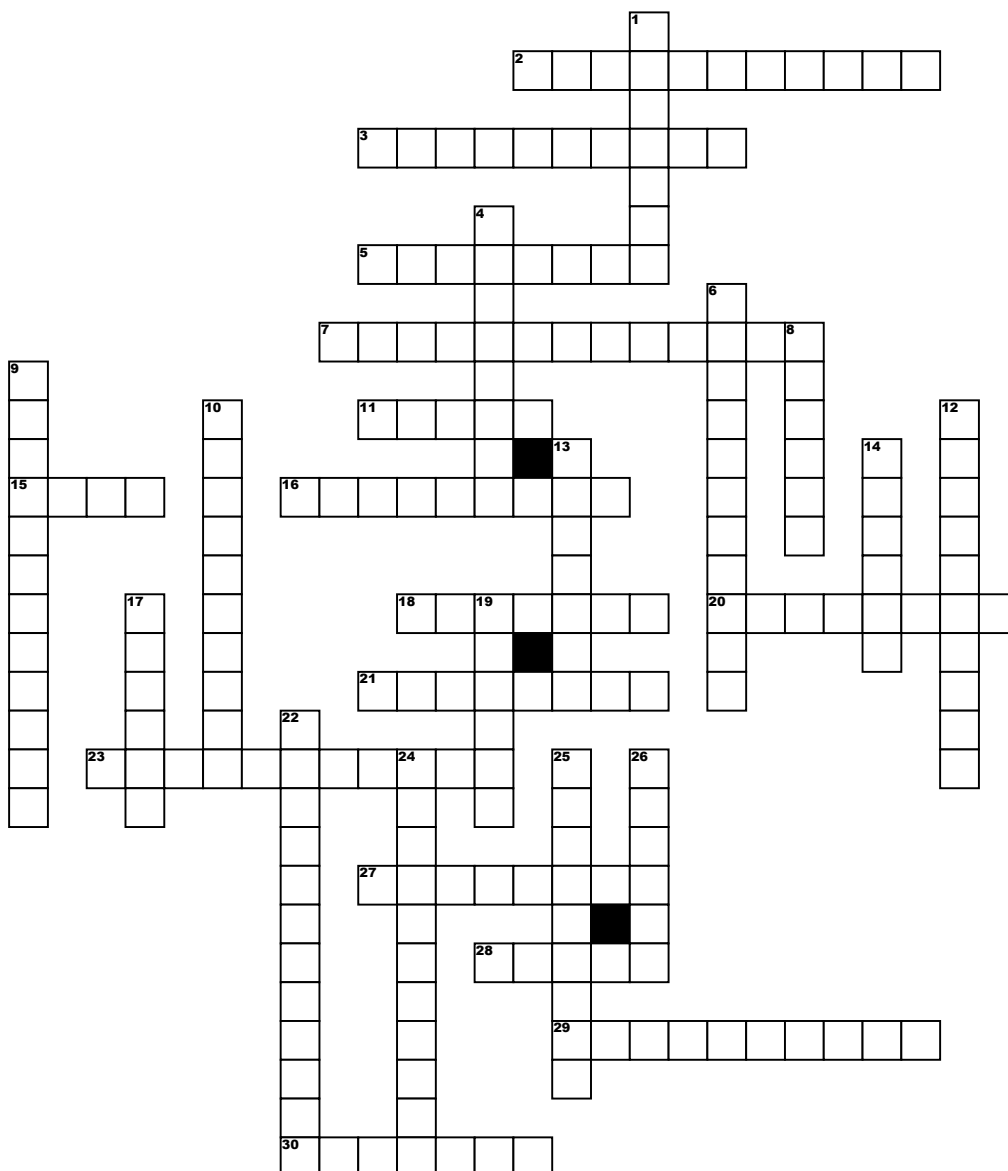


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Vocabulera Unit 7-9 crossword puzzle



Across

2. Synonym: people-hater

3. (V) to slander; to accuse falsely and maliciously

5. (N) light and playful conversation.

7. (Adj) lacing spirit or interest, halfhearted

11. (V) to object or take exception to

15. Synonyms: neophyte

16. Antonyms: durable, long-lasting, permanent, perpetual

18. In beating their prisoner, the guards were guilty of a truly _____ act.

20. (Adj) needy, impoverished

21. Synonyms: fit, seizure

23. The social laws in Edith Whartons novels are _____.

27. Antonyms: unevocative, odorless

28. (V) to calm or pacify, set to rest

29. Synonyms: password, slogan

30. Synonym: Rank

Down

1. Synonyms: grim, ghoulis

4. A supervisor who fusses about every _____ fault of the workers will lower morale and productivity.

6. (N) a shout of welcome

8. Whenever she talks about her childhood, she recites an interminable _____ of grievances.

9. Synonyms: stubborn, determined

10. (V) to make violent, severe, bitter, or painful

12. (N) shameless boldness, impudence

13. The senate campaign was married by a _____ of original ideas.

14. The newspaper tabloid _____ that the movie star and the director were having creative differences.

17. In Shakespeare's tragedy the audience sees clearly that Iago is an _____ scoundrel, but Othello is blind to his treachery.

19. At New Years time, many people resolve to _____ off bad habits and live better.

22. Antonyms: complimentary, laudatory, flattering

24. (Adj) impossible to disprove; beyond argument

25. Synonym: Garnish

26. The billionaire was so greedy that he contributed only a _____ sum of money to charity each year.