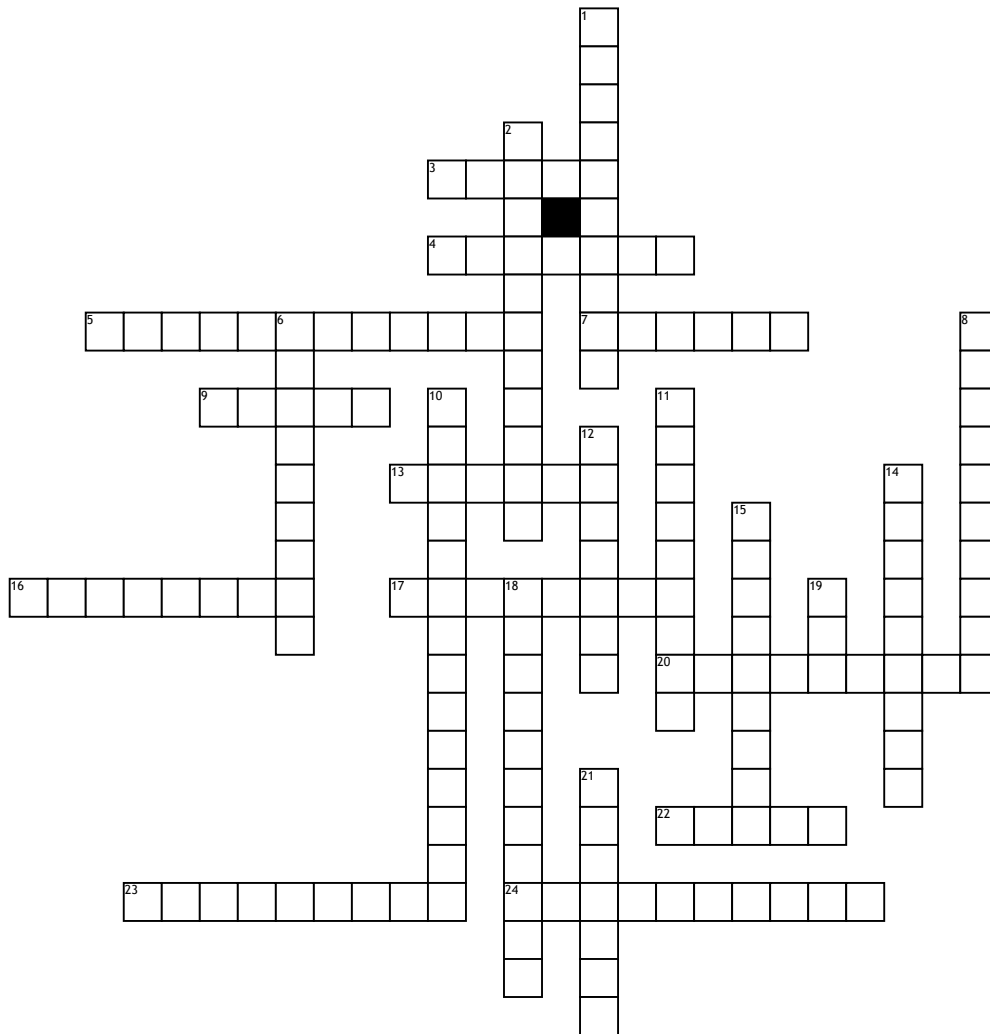


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Academic Vocabulary for PSAT



Across

- 3. very skillful
- 4. marked by deep sincerity and serious intent
- 5. an argument that goes against the central claim
- 7. describes something that is inborn
- 9. a sudden rush of intense emotion
- 13. complete and total
- 16. a person who identifies with ordinary people

- 17. supremacy; characterized by dominance
- 20. to weaken or damage
- 22. to produce or generate
- 23. undecided, not certain
- 24. confident and positive outcome

Down

- 1. a proposed insight of explanation
- 2. very harmful
- 6. to list
- 8. to emphasize

- 10. differences that cannot be resolved
- 11. general agreement
- 12. a position or rank
- 14. data derived from experiments and observations vs. abstract theories
- 15. to reject
- 18. incompatible, obviously inconsistent with a particular situation
- 19. to spoil and render imperfect
- 21. the setting or background information

Word Bank

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|-----------|-------------|--------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| mar | detrimental | optimistic | station | repudiate | earnest |
| yield | hypothesis | counterclaim | dominion | populist | innate |
| empirical | underscore | consensus | enumerate | adept | flush |
| arrant | undermine | incongruous | context | irreconcilable | tentative |