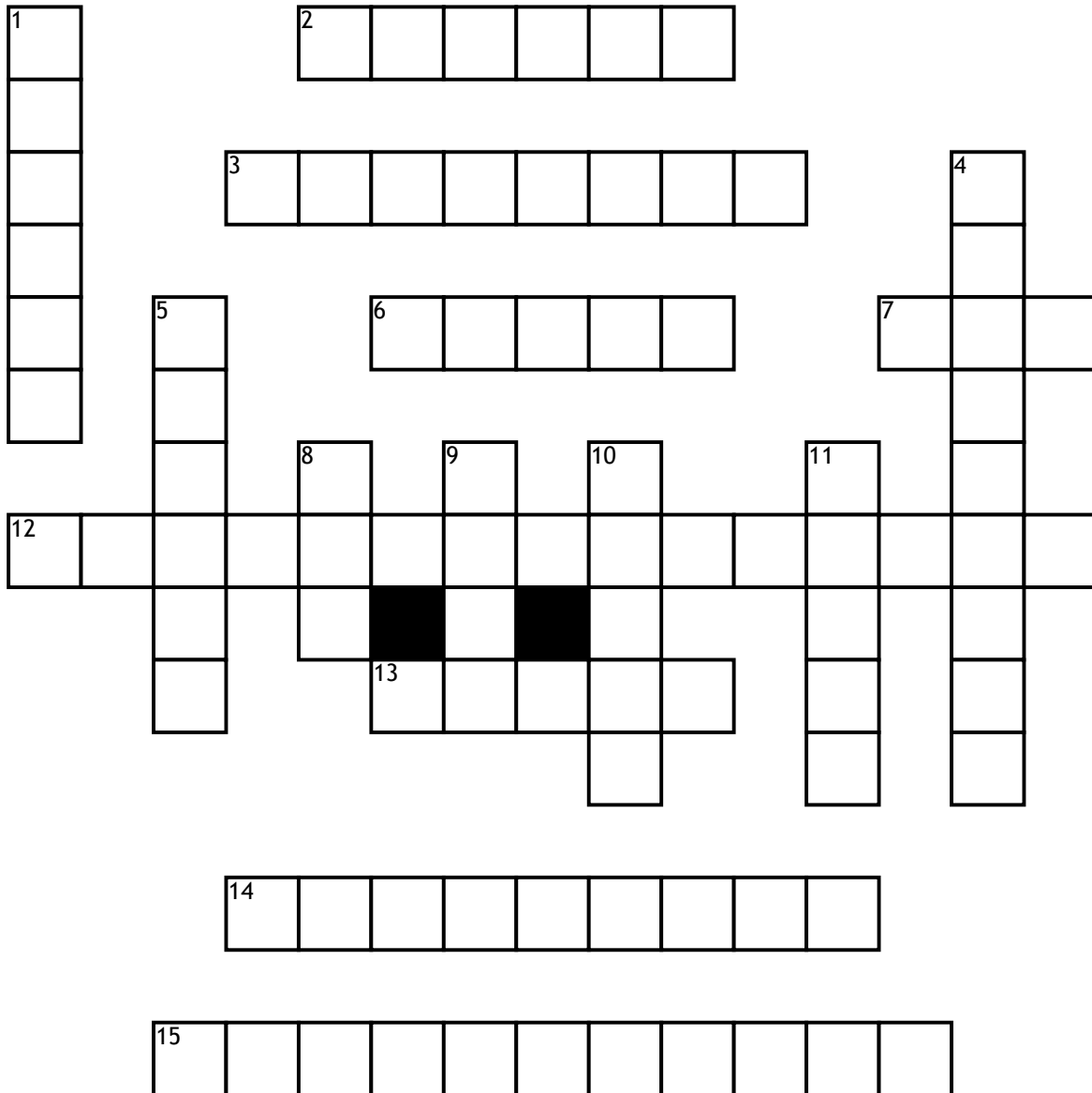


# Cardiovascular System



**Across**

- 2. little door like flaps that open to allow blood flow.
- 3. I carry the blood away from the heart
- 6. the blood cells get oxygen from the \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. the heart beats about 100,000 times a \_\_\_\_\_

- 12. we defend your body against infection
- 13. I return the blood to the heart
- 14. I am the lower chamber
- 15. We are the smallest vessels in the body

**Down**

- 1. the heart beats about 90 times a \_\_\_\_\_

- 4. if you get a cut, we help the blood to clot
- 5. I am the upper chamber
- 8. when I am rich in oxygen I am this color
- 9. When I lack oxygen I am this color
- 10. a child's heart weighs about 1/4 \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. This is the cardiac muscle