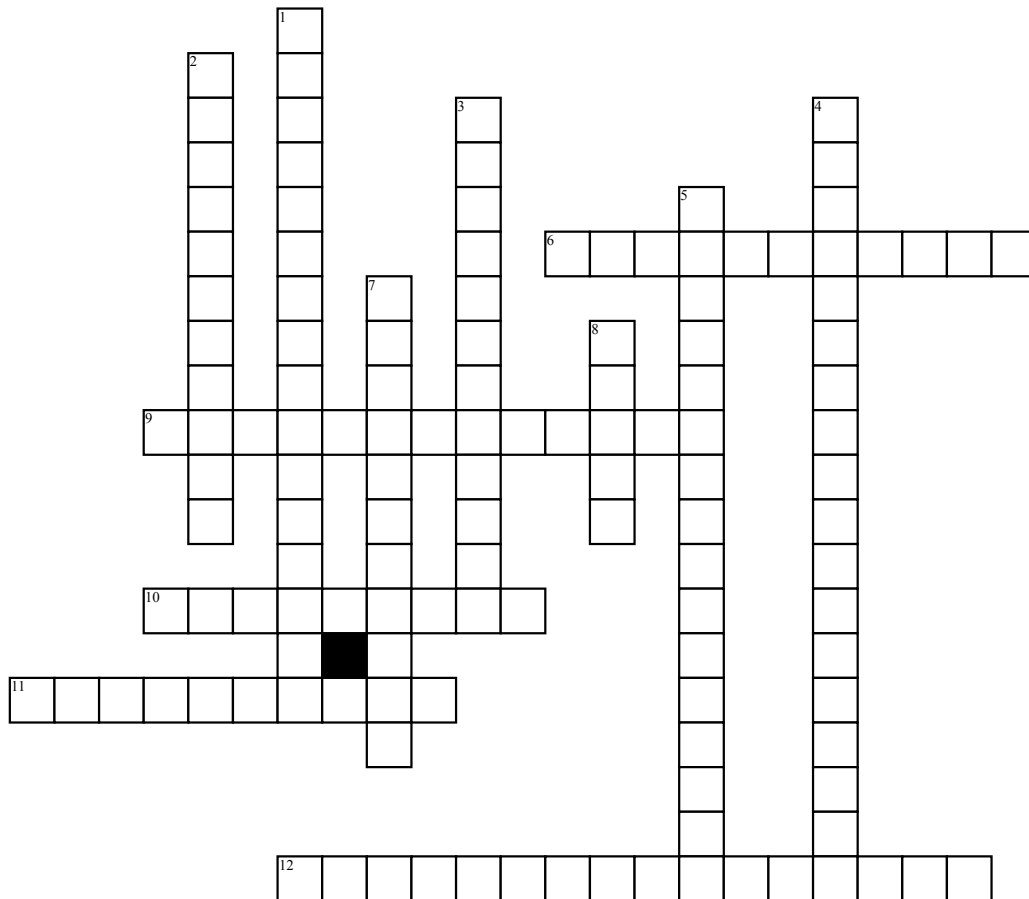


Contemporary Realism in Children's Books



Across

6. This author is responsible for creating the book *Holes* and was born in New York.

9. This author is responsible for writing the book *Because of Winn-Dixie* and was born in Pennsylvania.

10. This author is responsible for creating the *Gooney Bird* book series and was born in Hawaii.

11. This author is responsible for creating the *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* book series and was born in Maryland.

12. A book whose protagonist is a grade schooler who is known around their school as a person who tells tall tales.

Down

1. This author is responsible for writing the *Hetty Feather* book series and was born in England.

2. This author is responsible for creating the *Junie B. Jones* series and was born in New Jersey.

3. A book series whose protagonist was abandoned at a hospital and takes place in the 1800's.

4. A book whose protagonist moves to a new town and saves a dog from being sent to the pound.

5. A book series whose main protagonist is a middle schooler who portrays their story in the form of a diary.

7. A book series whose protagonist is a kindergartener that gets into mischief.

8. A book whose protagonist is falsely accused and is forced to attend a juvenile camp.

Word Bank

Jacqueline Wilson

Hetty Feather

Lois Lowry

Gooney Bird Greene

Jeff Kinney

Louis Sachar

Because of Winn-Dixie

Kate DiCamillo

Diary of a Wimpy Kid

Barbara Park

Holes

Junie B. Jones