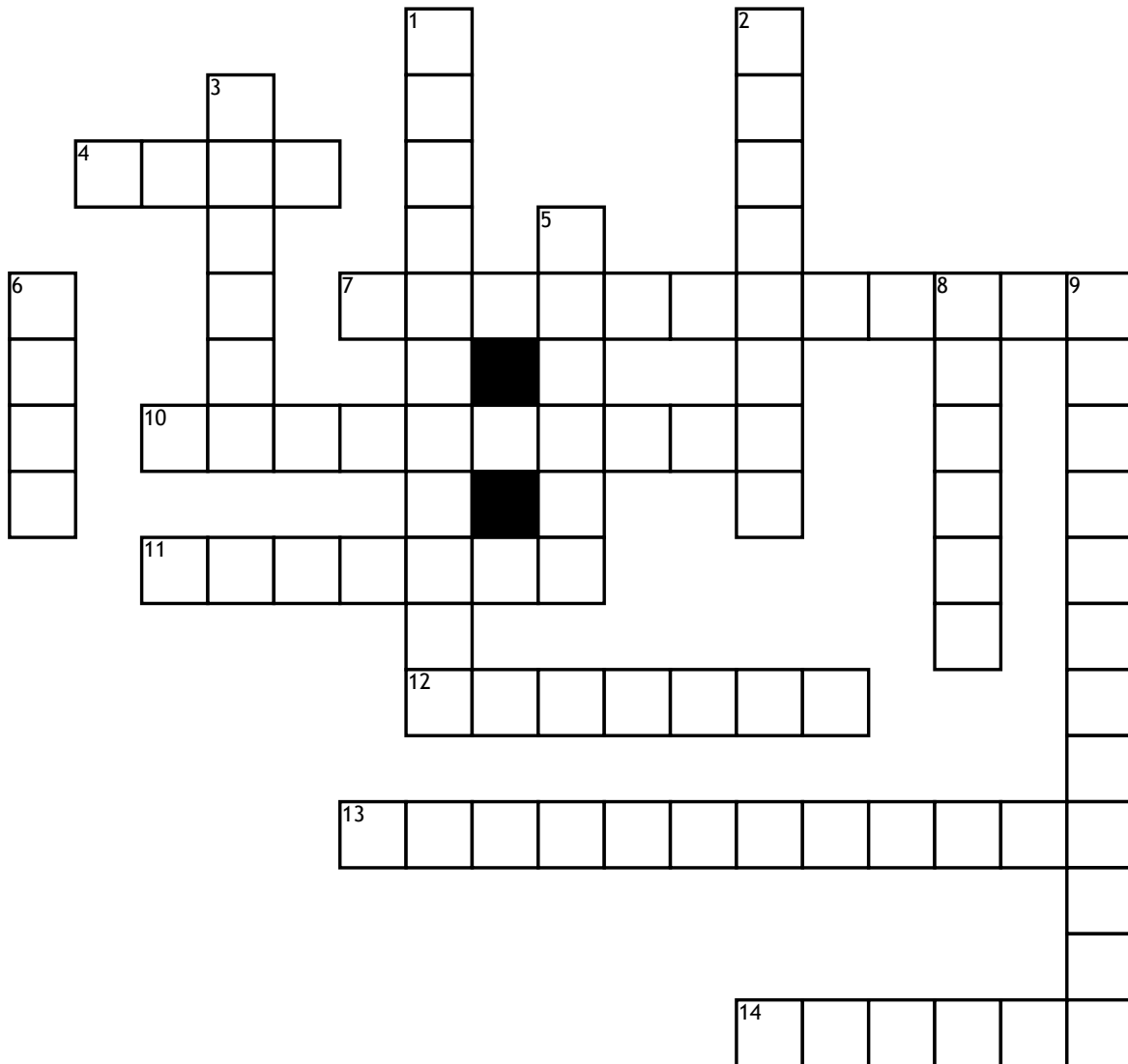


El Niño and La Niña Crossword



Across

- 4. an effect of El Niño that intensifies over the Pacific Ocean
- 7. largest ocean that is bordered by Asia, the Americas (East side) and Australia (West side)
- 10. the pattern of surface winds from the east towards the west found in the tropic near the Earth's equator
- 11. _____ motion in Pacific cause by La Niña
- 12. an effect of La Niña which involves the drying of regions

- 13. water that is on the surface of the planet
 - 14. caused by strengthening winds across the Pacific Ocean that pushes warm surface water away and brings up cooler water which leads to cooler surface temperatures (the little girl)
- Down**
- 1. the changes of a kind of wind that causes El Niño and La Niña
 - 2. predictions of the weather
 - 3. the season in which the effects of La Niña and El Niño are the strongest

- 5. _____ motion in the Pacific Ocean caused by El Niño
- 6. the fluctuations in temperature between the ocean and atmosphere in the Tropical Pacific (El Niño-Southern Oscillation)
- 8. caused by weakened surface winds that lead to unusually warm surface temperatures in the Pacific Ocean (the little boy)
- 9. the continent where most of La Niña's conditions are felt