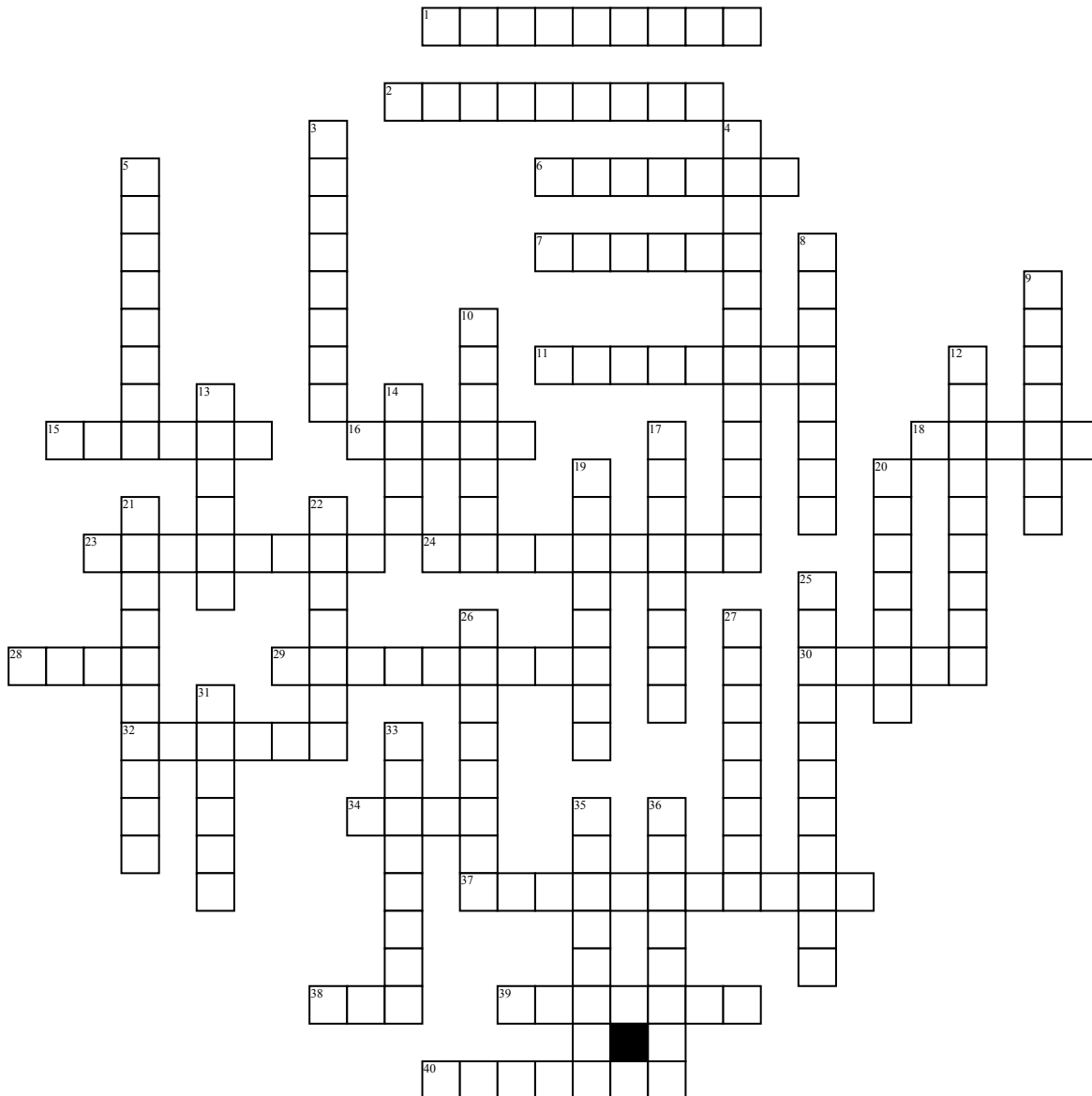


# English SAT Words



## Across

1. (typically of an action or activity) wicked or criminal.
2. refuse to accept or be associated with.
6. behavior in keeping with good taste and propriety
7. special honor or respect shown publicly
11. making great demands on one's skill, attention, or other resources.
15. Be quick to do something
16. expressed clearly; easy to understand.
18. severe or bare in appearance or outline
23. a ruler who has absolute power
24. acting or done quickly and without thought or care
28. an aromatic plant with grayish-green leaves that are used as a culinary herb, native to southern Europe and the Mediterranean.
29. (of a phrase or idea) lacking significance through having been overused; unoriginal and trite.
30. bring out of sleep; awaken.
32. having or showing sharp powers of judgment; astute.
34. (of a situation or event) extremely serious or urgent.
37. a cause of great trouble or suffering.
38. using or expressing dry, especially mocking, humor.
39. having the style or diction of prose; lacking poetic beauty.
40. a situation in which no progress is possible, especially because of disagreement; a deadlock.

## Down

3. a refutation or contradiction
4. behaving or looking as though one thinks one is superior to others.
5. a projecting support of stone or brick built against a wall.
8. optimistic or positive, especially in an apparently bad or difficult situation.
9. distress or embarrassment at having failed or been humiliated
10. a small quantity of a particular thing, especially something considered desirable or valuable
12. treat in a way that is apparently kind or helpful but that betrays a feeling of superiority.
13. a person who is fanatical and uncompromising in pursuit of their religious, political, or other ideals
14. deceive; trick.
17. wanting to avoid activity or exertion; lazy.
19. (of a person or their views, especially religious or political ones, or other beliefs or practices) conforming to what is generally or traditionally accepted as right or true; established and approved.
20. having a thick, sticky consistency between solid and liquid; having a high viscosity.
21. seeking or intended to subvert an established system or institution.

22. difficult to control or predict because of unusual or perverse behavior.
25. (of an action or gesture) carried out with a minimum of effort or reflection
26. not revealing one's thoughts or feelings readily
27. (of a person or their manner) childish sulky or bad-tempered.
31. (of a person, especially a man) suave, courteous, and refined in manner.
33. a moment of sudden revelation or insight.
35. in the form of a cloud or haze; hazy.
36. consign or dismiss to an inferior rank or position.