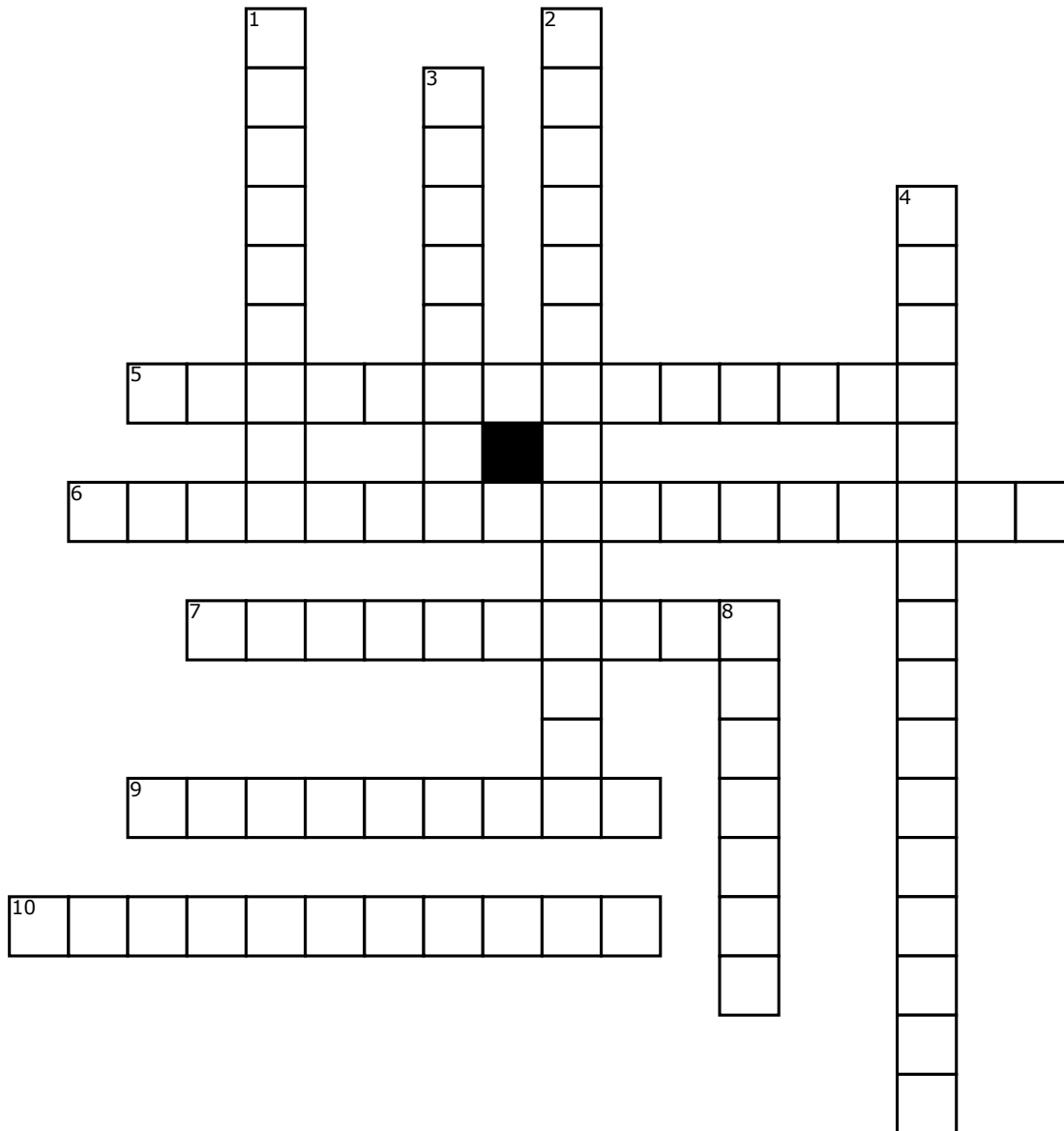


Everglades Animals



Across

5. This reptile can be found in subtropical and temperate oceans of the world and its diet consists of algae and seagrasses.

6. As a keystone species, I enable other animals in the Everglades to have a habitat during the dry season.

7. I am a part of the weasel family and have an insulated thick, water repellent coat of fur.

9. A large wading bird that reaches a length of 35-45 inches. Also, the only species of stork that breeds in the U.S.

10. I get my name from the color of my dangerous mouth. Please be careful around me because I do have a venomous bite.

Down

1. This hibernating omnivore is a very large mammal, measuring at about 5-7 feet when standing on its hind legs.

2. I am only found here in Florida. Unfortunately I am an endangered species with only about 100-160 of me left in the wild.

3. My nickname is the mosquito fish because my diet mainly consists of mosquito larvae.

4. Named after its funny looking bill, this wading bird may look like a flamingo, but certainly is not.

8. With its mask and ringed tail, this medium-sized mammal is known to be quite mischievous.