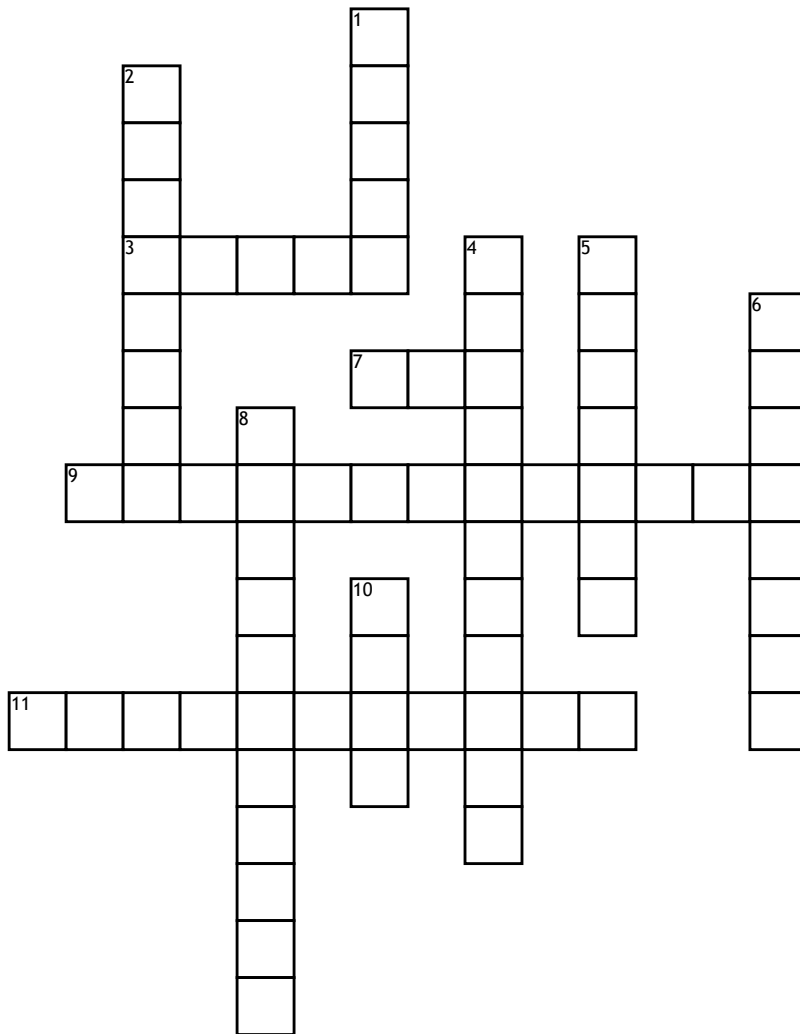


# Exploring the World of Vertebrates



**Across**

- 3. Mammals breathe air with \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. Whales have lungs and breathe \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9. animals without backbones
- 11. \_\_\_\_\_ animals' temperature changes with the surrounding temperature.

**Down**

- 1. Plants are usually held in the ground by \_\_\_\_\_.

- 2. the backbone and all the other bones of a vertebrate
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ animals' temperature stays the same most of the time.
- 5. Most living things are either plants or \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6. to divide into groups
- 8. animals with backbones
- 10. Animals must find \_\_\_\_\_; most plants make their own.

**Word Bank**

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|---------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| warmblooded   | air     | vertebrates | classify    |
| lungs         | food    | skeleton    | coldblooded |
| invertebrates | animals | roots       |             |