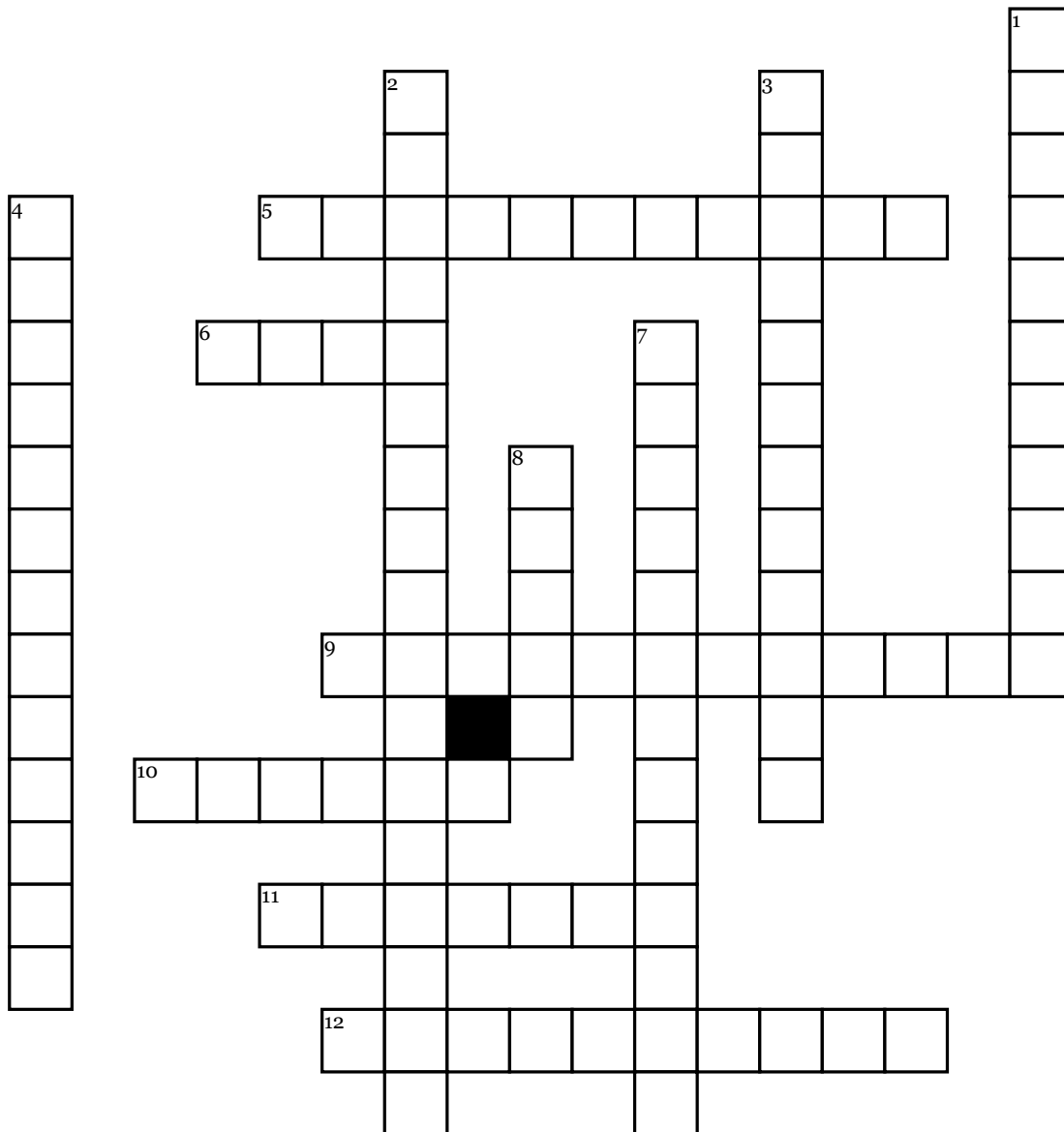


Geology Crossword Puzzle



Across

- 5.** a fossil of a footprint, trail, burrow, or other trace of an animal rather than of the animal itself.
- 6.** fossil preserves the impression of the hard parts of an organism, such as a shell or exoskeleton.
- 9.** a science branch dealing with the life of past geological periods as known from fossil remains.
- 10.** the naturally preserved remains or traces of animals or plants that lived in the past.

- 11.** species of animal or plant that is extinct no longer has any living members, either in the world or in a particular place.
 - 12.** formed from the remains of dead animals and plants (teeth, bones, shells, or woody trunks).
- Down**
- 1.** (of rock) that has formed from sediment deposited by water or air.
 - 2.** the diversification of a group of organisms into forms filling different ecological niches.

- 3.** refers to the geological history that we have created with the information derived from fossils.
- 4.** the process by which organic material becomes a fossil through the replacement of the original material and the filling of the original pore spaces with minerals.
- 7.** the process where only the residual carbon of the organism remains.
- 8.** fossilized tree resin once sticky and yellowish in color.