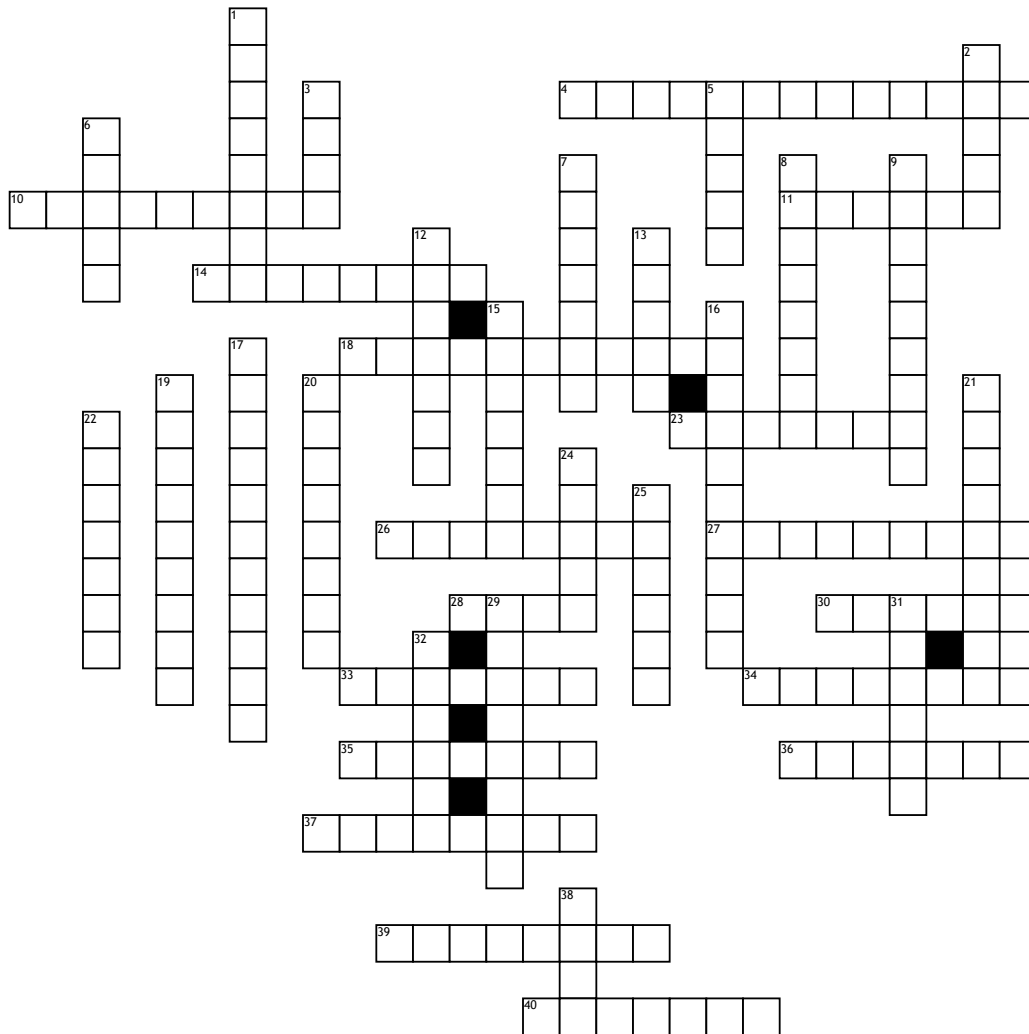


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Honors Crossword Puzzle



- Across**
- 4. An extensive fire which destroys a large deal of property
 - 10. impressive and imposing in appearance or style, especially pretentiously so
 - 11. suave, courteous, and refined in manner
 - 14. intended for or likely to be understood by only a small number of people
 - 18. a burden or impediment
 - 23. a person or thing that is a perfect example of a particular quality or type.
 - 26. consign or dismiss to an inferior rank or position
 - 27. describe or portray (something) precisely
 - 28. Great wisdom
 - 30. be quick to do something
 - 33. having the style or diction of prose; lacking poetic beauty
 - 34. a projecting support of stone or brick built against a wall
 - 35. distress or embarrassment at having failed or been humiliated
 - 36. difficult to control or predict because of unusual or perverse behavior
 - 37. deriving ideas, style, or taste from a broad and diverse range of sources
 - 39. making great demands on one's skill, attention, or other resources
 - 40. Dignified property of behavior
- Down**
- 1. in the form of a cloud or haze; hazy
 - 2. bring out of sleep; awaken.
 - 3. A person who is easily deceived or fooled
 - 5. expressed clearly; easy to understand
 - 6. severe or bare in appearance or outline
 - 7. A close and harmonious relationship in which the people or groups understand people's feelings and emotions.
 - 8. a ruler who has absolute power
 - 9. lacking significance through having been overused
 - 12. having a thick, sticky consistency between solid and liquid
 - 13. Silly or stupid
 - 15. a situation in which no progress is possible, especially because of disagreement
 - 16. Feeling or showing profound hopelessness
 - 17. a cause of great trouble or suffering
 - 19. subject to sudden or unpredictable changes of mood or mind
 - 20. A manifestation of a divine or supernatural being
 - 21. showing fearlessness and determination
 - 22. Insatiable greed for riches
 - 24. To reduce in amount
 - 25. a person who is fanatical and uncompromising in pursuit of their religious, political, or other ideals
 - 29. Cheerful readiness
 - 31. having or showing sharp powers of judgment; astute.
 - 32. special honor or respect shown publicly
 - 38. extremely serious or urgent

Word Bank

Sage	Buttress	Despondent	Stark	Hasten	Encumbrance	Nebulous
Rouse	Esoteric	Abate	Conflagration	Homage	Autocrat	Prosaic
Dire	Shrewd	Viscous	Epiphany	Grandiose	Alacrity	Tribulation
Zealot	Relegate	Exacting	Wayward	Lucid	Decorum	Delineate
Dupe	Urbane	Avarice	Inane	Epitome	Eclectic	Impasse
Mercurial	Dauntless	Chagrin	Rapport	Hackneyed		