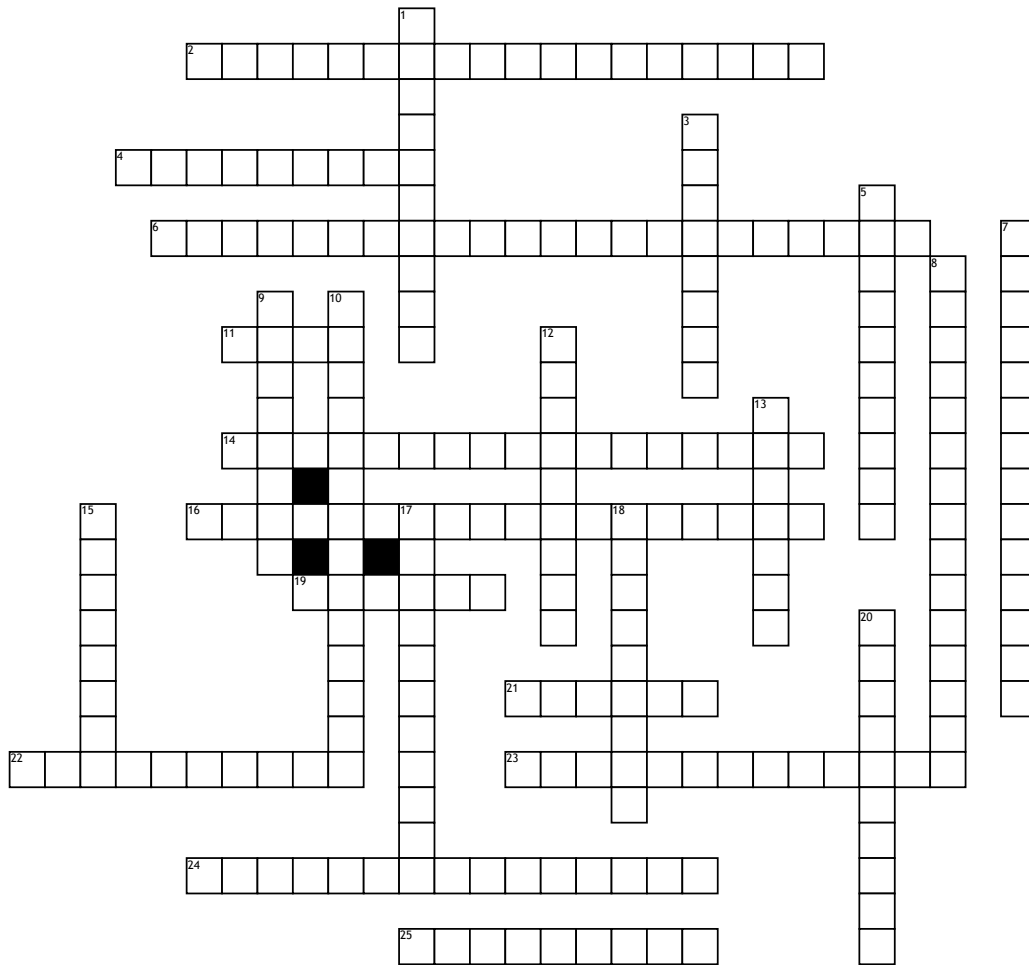


Legal Terms to Know



Across

2. a principle of English law which says that a person should take reasonable care to avoid acts or omissions that she/he can reasonably foresee as likely to cause injury to the neighbor.
4. the person defending or denying; the party against whom relief or recovery is sought in an action or suit. Referred to in common law jurisdictions as the "Defendant".
6. the standard of proof in civil cases, demanding that the case that is the more probable should succeed.
11. a wrongful act or an infringement of a right (other than under contract) leading to civil legal liability.
14. the legal liability a manufacturer or trader incurs for producing or selling a faulty product.
16. experienced in the imagination through the feelings or actions of another person.
19. a request to the judge (or judges) to make a decision about the case.
21. the person who follows, prosecutes, or enforces a matter judicially, as a complaining party. Referred to in common law jurisdictions as the "Plaintiff".

22. a legal obligation which is imposed on an individual requiring adherence to a standard of reasonable care while performing any acts that could foreseeably harm others.
23. (of a decree or judgment) given provisionally during the course of a legal action.
24. a Latin legal term meaning "in the character or manner of a pauper". It refers to the ability of an indigent person to proceed in court without payment of the usual fees associated with a lawsuit or appeal.
25. the part of English law that is derived from custom and judicial precedent rather than statutes. Often contrasted with statutory law.

Down

1. legal expenses, especially those allowed in favor of the winning party or against the losing party in a suit.
3. the system of law concerned with private relations between members of a community rather than criminal, military, or religious affairs.
5. failure to take proper care in doing something.
7. the rule of law on which a judicial decision is based.
8. liability that does not depend on actual negligence or intent to harm.

9. a written or spoken agreement, especially one concerning employment, sales, or tenancy, that is intended to be enforceable by law.
10. the level at which the average, prudent provider in a given community would practice.
12. a legal practitioner who traditionally deals with most of the legal matters in some jurisdictions.
13. a written law passed by a legislative body.
15. a person who applies to a higher court for a reversal of the decision of a lower court.
17. a judge's incidental expression of opinion, not essential to the decision and not establishing precedent.
18. a lawyer entitled to practice as an advocate, particularly in the higher courts.
20. a defendant in a lawsuit, especially one in an appeals or divorce case.

Word Bank

Motion	Interlocutory	Strict Liability	Civil Law	Products Liability
Respondent	Purser	Court Costs	Vicarious Liability	Solicitor
Obiter Dicta	Negligence	Balance of Probabilities	Duty of Care	Contract
Common Law	Defendant	Statute	In Forma Pauperis	Barrister
Tort	Standard of Care	Ratio Decidendi	Appellant	Neighbour Principle