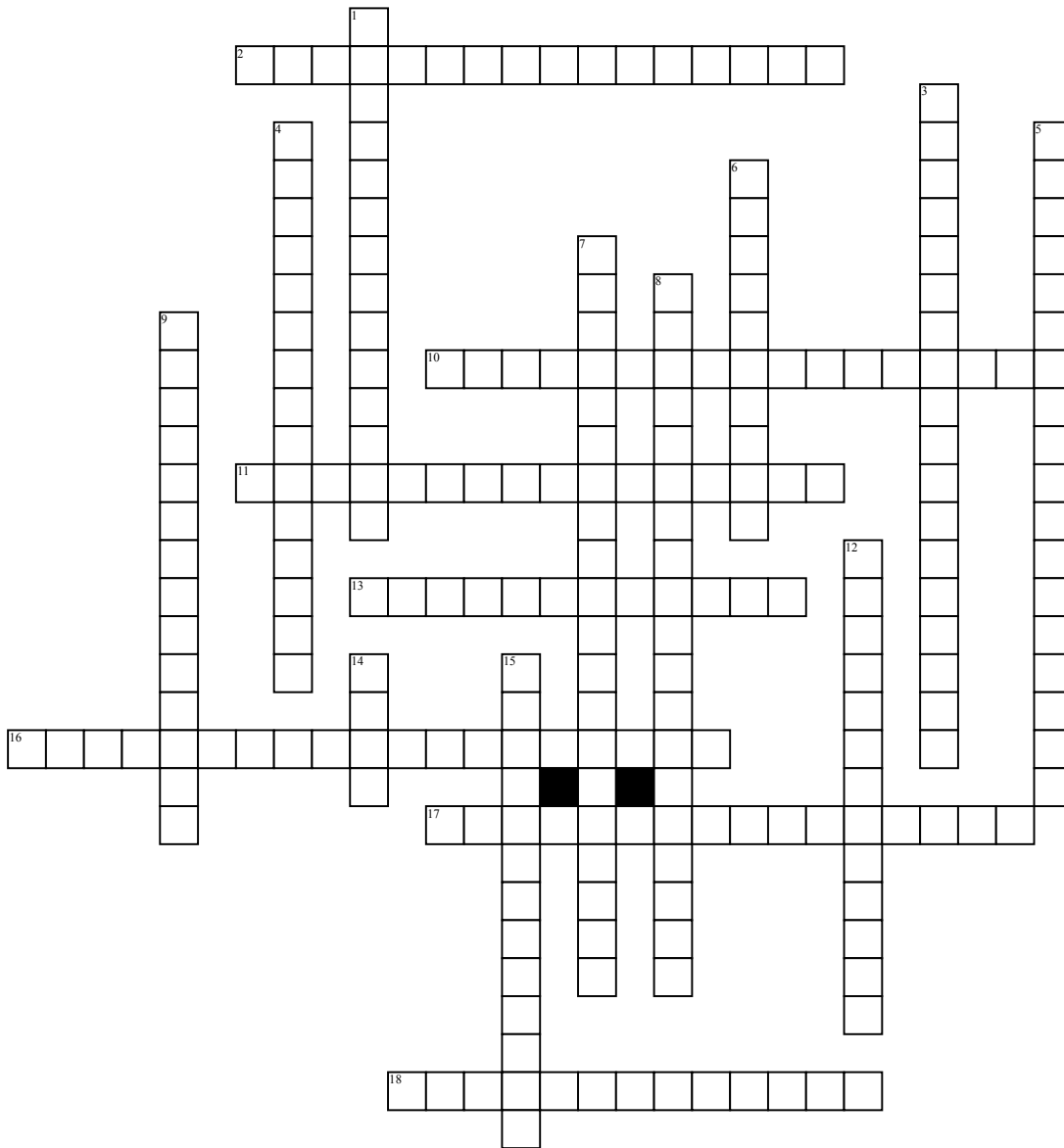


Montessori Vocabulary



Across

- 2.** The propensity to learn things which enhance their ability to be exact and orderly, to observe, compare, and classify.
- 10.** Steps used to present language.
- 11.** A time when young children experience an urge to engage in an activity.
- 13.** Autonomy and self regulation
- 16.** Preparing the mind for a deeper educational purpose when following an interest.
- 17.** Little lessons which demonstrate positive social behavior.

18. A mind able to absorb knowledge quickly and effortlessly.

Down

- 1.** The English name for Montessori's Casa dei Bambini
- 3.** A technique used by Montessori teacher. The adult breaks down complex actions showing one step at a time.
- 4.** Predisposed behavior than humans exhibit.
- 5.** Sudden outward manifestation of a long process of internal growth.
- 6.** This occurs when children work to accomplish and internal goal.
- 7.** The ability to choose to do something with conscious intent.
- 8.** A space prepared for the child containing the essentials for optimal development.
- 9.** A way of providing instant feedback.
- 12.** The act of focusing attention on aspects of the environment for development.
- 14.** A time when children can learn and experiment in a relatively pressure free environment.
- 15.** Children make constructive work choices and work reflect their level of development.