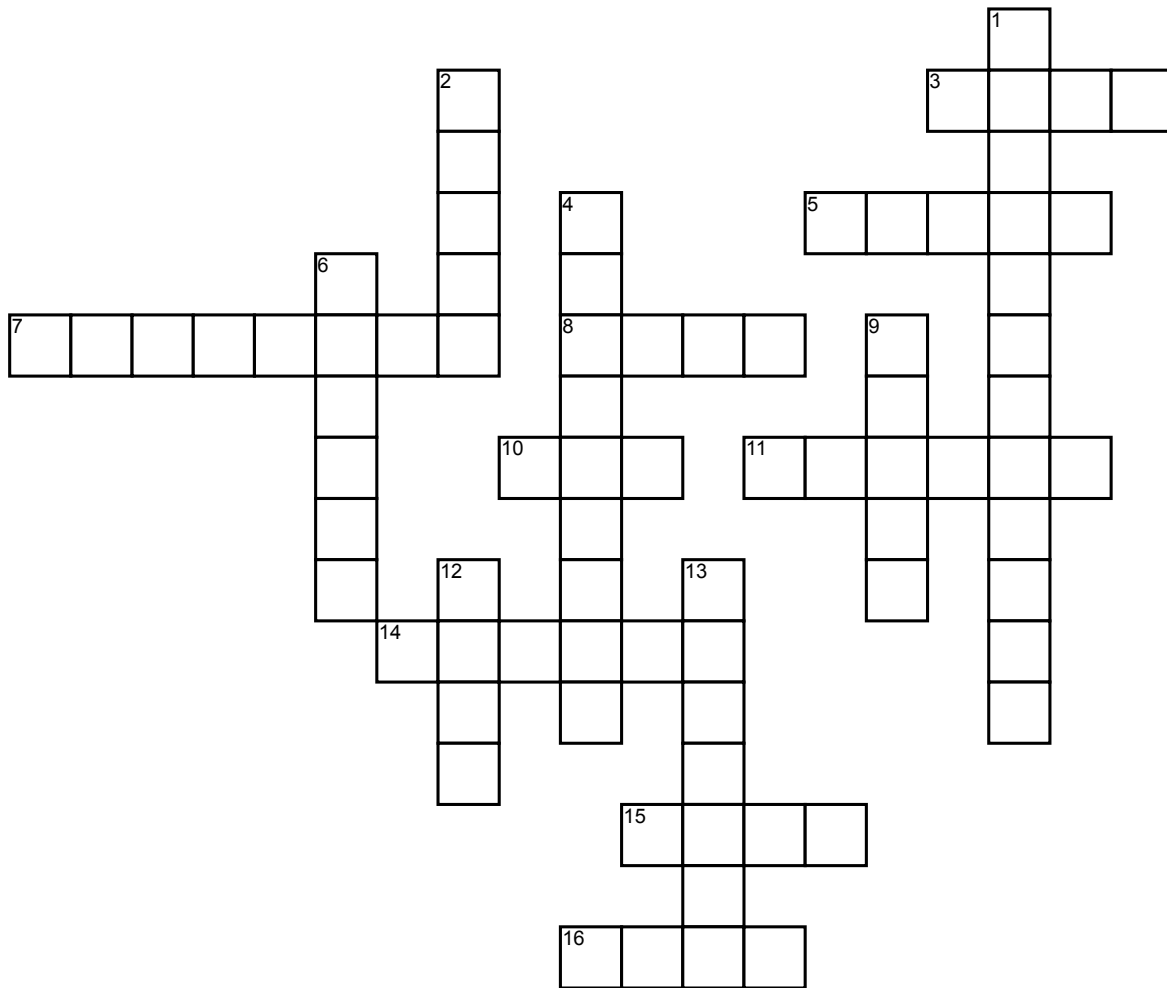


# North American River Otters



**Across**

- 3. A group of river otters is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5. They have sharp \_\_\_\_\_ to help break open crayfish.
- 7. They have sensitive \_\_\_\_\_ that help them search for food and find their way around in dark cloudy water.
- 8. Baby otters are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- 10. They have waterproof \_\_\_\_\_.

- 11. Male river otters are \_\_\_\_\_ than female river otters.
  - 14. River Otters live in the United States and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 15. When they swim, they can close their \_\_\_\_\_ and nostrils to keep water out.
  - 16. What is their favorite food?
- Down**
- 1. These river otters can be found at the Columbus zoo in the \_\_\_\_\_ area.

- 2. North American River Otters have sharp \_\_\_\_\_ that help them catch their prey.
- 4. They sleep though the day and are awake at night, so they are \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6. River otters have four \_\_\_\_\_ feet.
- 9. How many minutes can they hold their breath underwater?
- 12. They use their \_\_\_\_\_ to help them swim fast and steer through the water.
- 13. River otters are \_\_\_\_\_ because they have fur and have live births.