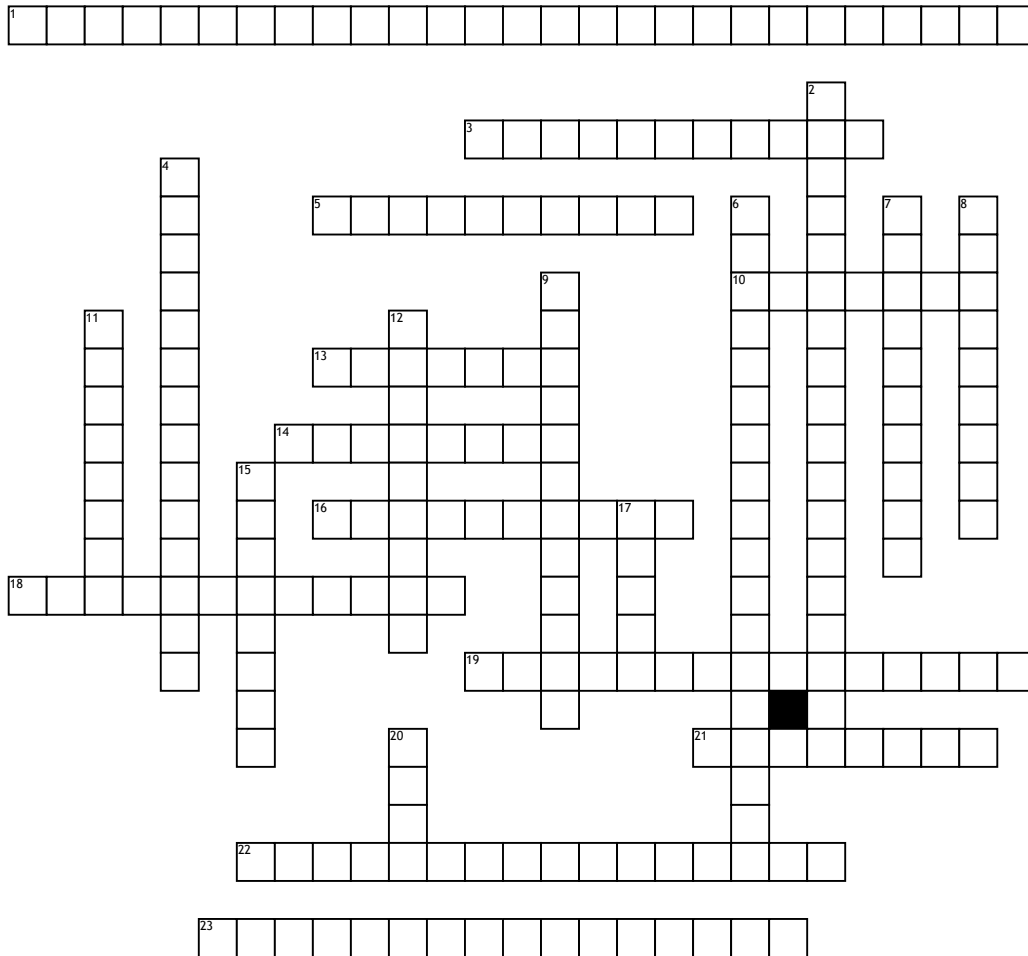


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Persuasive Text



Across

- 1. evidence should be
- 3. refers to the author's unique set of ideas and opinions about a topic
- 5. restates the claim and summarizes the main points
- 10. statements that tell the reader why they should believe the claim
- 13. type of evidence
- 14. includes the facts, examples, or other data used to back up the reasons
- 16. type of evidence
- 18. states the claim, or main point the writer is trying to make

- 19. makes a general statement that sounds authoritative
 - 21. evidence should be
 - 22. an author acknowledges that there is a view different from his or her own
 - 23. how an author supports his or her position
- Down**
- 2. words or phrases that affect how a reader thinks and feels
 - 4. type of evidence
 - 6. evidence that is not directly connected to the claim and weakens the effectiveness of the claim

- 7. information that is meant to stir up fear in readers
- 8. type of evidence
- 9. a general statement about a group of people
- 11. the form most persuasive texts take
- 12. implies that "everyone is doing it"
- 15. provided by the author to effectively dismiss an opposing argument
- 17. evidence should be
- 20. the author distorts the information presented to support a personal interest

Word Bank

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|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| propaganda | conclusion | clear | bias |
| irrelevantevidence | logicalreasoning | generalizations | introduction |
| bandwagon | stereotyping | rebuttal | example |
| expertopinions | argument | relevant | casestudy |
| persuasivelanguage | reasons | evidence | opposingargument |
| directlyconnectedtotheclaim | statistics | pointofview | |