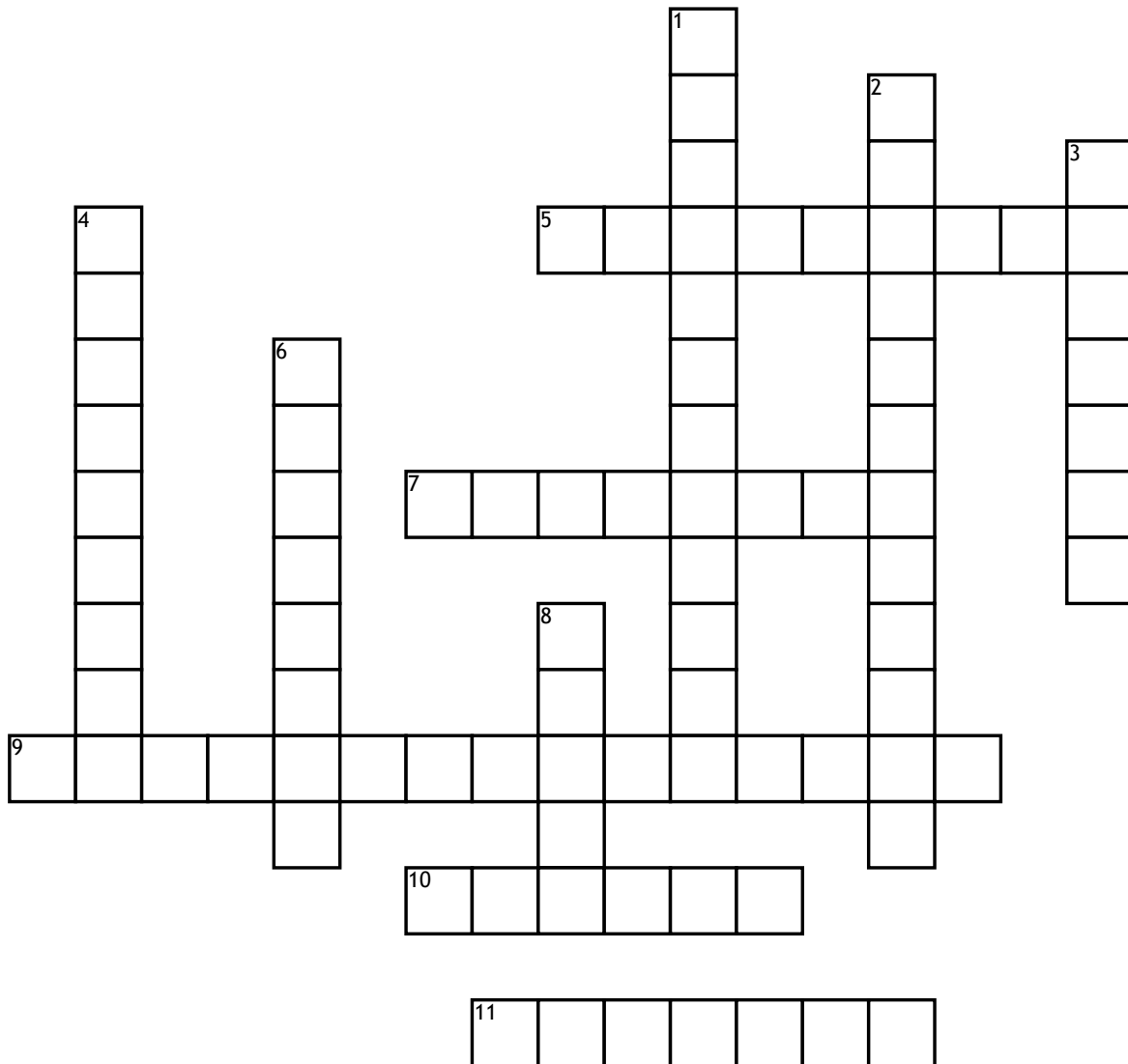


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Poetic Devices



Across

5. Using an object or action that means something more than its literal meaning
7. A comparison of two unlike things without using the words “like” or “as”
9. When a writer gives human qualities to animals or objects
10. An expression comparing one thing to another using the words “like” or “as”
11. Reveals something true which at first seems contradictory

Down

1. A word that imitates the sound it represents
2. The repetition of the same consonant sound in words occurring near one another
3. When a writer invokes the five senses
4. An obvious exaggeration or overstatement
6. A casual reference to a famous historical or literary figure or event
8. An expression with a meaning different from the literal meaning of the words.