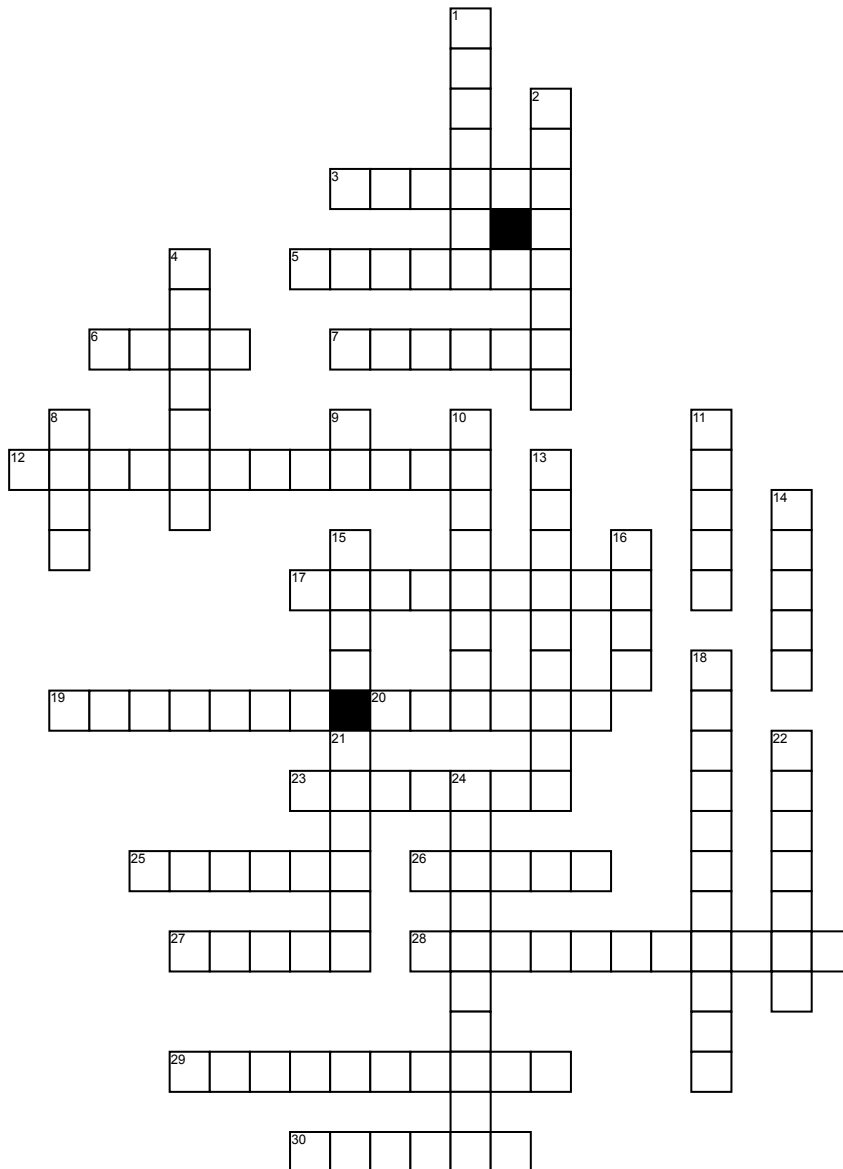


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# SPELLING WORD PUZZLE



**Across**

- 3. senator - n. a member of a
- 5. etiquette - n. rules for good behavior and
- 6. cemetery - n. a piece of land used for burying the
- 7. colleague - n. a fellow
- 12. colloquial - adj. having the style and content of everyday
- 17. physician - n. a person specially trained in healing human medical
- 19. extinguish - v. to cause to cease
- 20. narrate - v. to give an oral or written account of in some
- 23. triathlon - n. an athletic contest that is a long-distance race consisting of three phases -as swimming and bicycling and
- 25. aberrant - adj. departing from some accepted standard of what is
- 26. affirmative - adj. answering yes to a question at

- 27. buffoon - n. a person who is always clowning and trying to be
  - 28. thermometer - n. an instrument for measuring
  - 29. accomplice - n. one associated with another in
  - 30. stationery - n. materials -as paper and pens and ink- for writing or
- Down**
- 1. inoculate - v. to introduce material -as a vaccine- into the body especially by injection to protect against or treat a
  - 2. compel - v. to cause a person to give in to
  - 4. vignette - n. a brief literary description; decorative design -as of vine leaves- put on or just before a title page or at the beginning or end of a
  - 8. barracuda - n. any of several large fierce marine fishes of warm seas that have strong jaws and sharp teeth and that include some used for

- 9. vacuum - n. a space with nothing at all in
- 10. society - n. a group of persons formally joined together for some common
- 11. accommodate - v. to furnish something as a kindness or
- 13. motivate - v. to provide with a reason for doing
- 14. belligerent - adj. feeling or displaying eagerness to
- 15. perceptible - adj. able to be perceived by a sense or by the
- 16. gazelle - n. any of numerous small graceful swift antelopes of Africa and
- 18. astronomer - n. an expert in the science of the heavenly bodies and of their sizes and motions and
- 21. acquittal - n. the state of being found not
- 22. poinsettia - n. a showy Mexican and Central American plant with large scarlet bracts that grow like petals about its small yellow
- 24. surveillance - n. supervision or