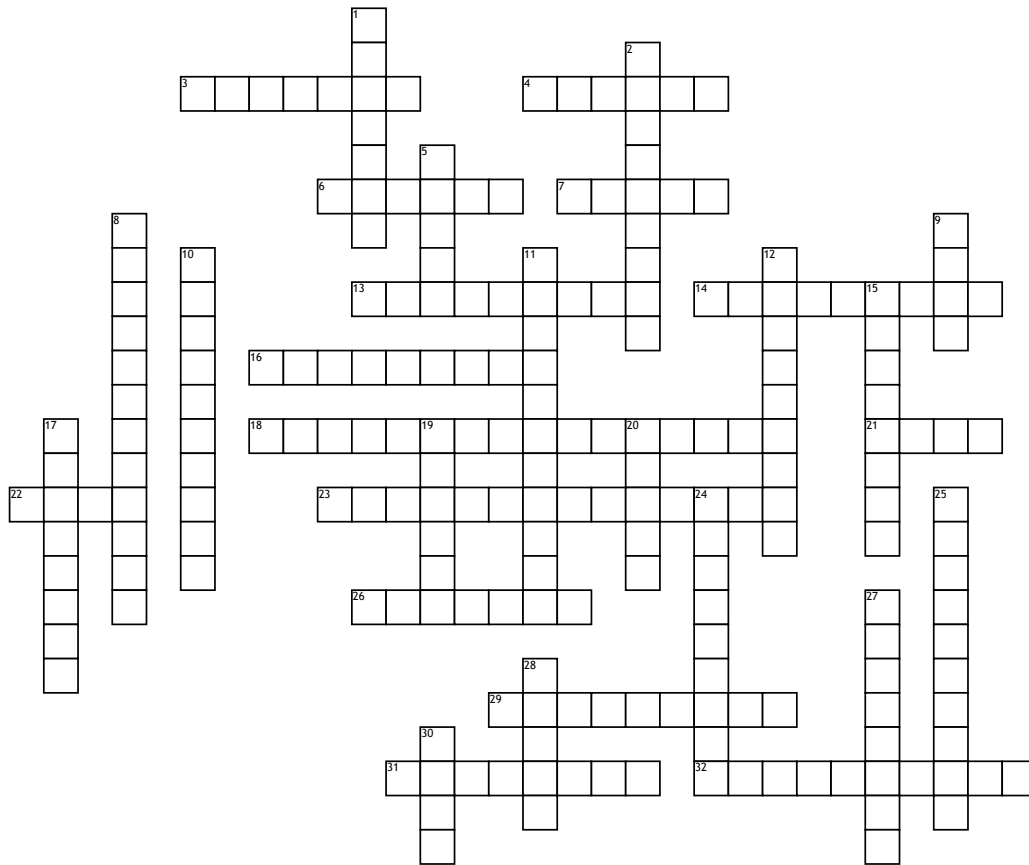


# Seasonal Forest



- Across**
- There are more trees in it than in all the rainforests combined, the taiga forest \_\_\_\_\_ the Earth, and these forests contain 1/3 of all the world's trees.
  - The Cross-bills special beaks allow them to "\_\_\_\_\_" the seeds of the cones from between their armor-like plates.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Pudu are 30 centimeters high and babies are as small as kittens.
  - What is one animal equipped to eat cones?
  - The South American equivalent to the large conifers of North America are the \_\_\_\_\_ trees.
  - The taiga forests effect the air supply of the world by \_\_\_\_\_ so much oxygen that they refresh the world's oxygen supply.
  - Life is described as a world of \_\_\_\_\_ creatures in the Valdivian forests of Chile.
  - Where in the food chain do you find a lynx?
  - The Lynx travel hundreds of miles, sometimes never seeing the same place twice to find \_\_\_\_\_.
  - World's smallest deer?
  - The nickname for the Giant Sequoia?
- Down**
- \_\_\_\_\_Billed Parakeets are the South American equivalent to the Crossbills of North America.
  - What is one type of "miniature" predator hunts the Pudu?
  - The closest area south of the North Pole that trees can grow is the \_\_\_\_\_ forest.
  - The largest living thing in the world is the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - What type of rare cat lives in the taigas?
  - The araucaria trees are different from their North American relatives because they have \_\_\_\_\_ scales instead of needles.
  - What bird surfaces in the spring and fights other males of its species in order to attract a mate.
  - What animal is able to live in this harsh environment year round? The \_\_\_\_\_
  - What is the primary type of tree found in this area?
  - Few animals are \_\_\_\_\_ to eat the cones of the trees.
  - The redwoods of the south are \_\_\_\_\_ trees.
  - The Matterhorn does not hold snow because it is too \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Highest point in Western Europe?
  - Moose can tolerate the \_\_\_\_\_ taste of the resin found in the cones.
  - Some of the larger \_\_\_\_\_ are about 100 meter high, which is bigger than a 30 story building.
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ found in cones keeps them from losing moisture.
  - General Sherman is the weight of ten \_\_\_\_\_ whales.

**Word Bank**

Pudu	Resistant	California	Circles	Producing	Taiga
Lynx	Female	Tertiary consumer	Freezes	Glaciers	Redwoods
Giant Sequoia	Miniature	Waterproof	Food	Mont Blanc	Steep
General Sherman	Conifers	Resin	Araucaria	Alerce	Equipped
Blue	Slender	Pry Out	Moose	Capercallie	Wolverine
Unpleasant	KodKod Cat				