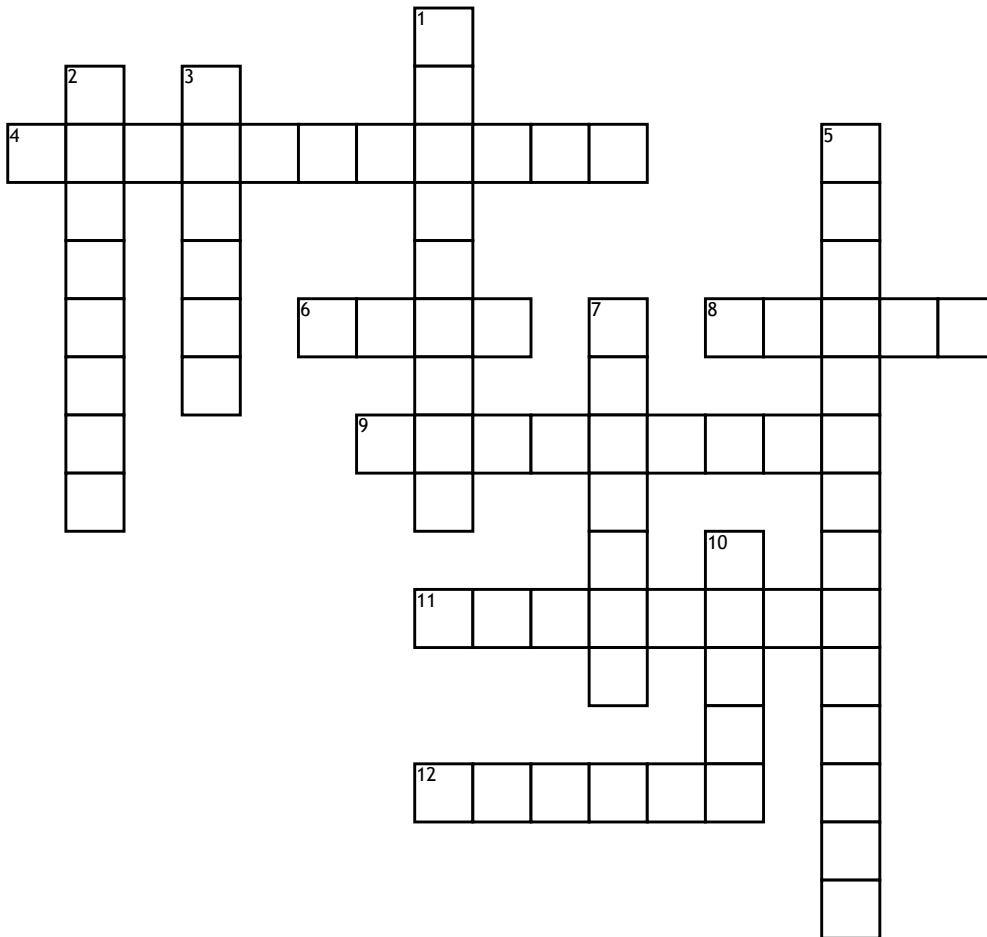


# Seed and Plant Growth



## Across

4. the stage of a plant's life in which the seed first begins to grow

6. the supporting structure that connects roots and leaves and carries water and nutrients between them

8. a colorful leaf like structure of some flowers

9. from a higher place to a lower place

11. the layer that goes on the outside of a plant seed to protect it from drying out

12. flat, green parts of a plant that collect light

## Down

1. leaves contained inside a seed

2. the part of a seed that a plant uses to survive before it is above the ground

3. the part of a seed that contains roots, stems, and leaves

5. process by which plants make their own food by collecting energy from the sun

7. from a lower place to a higher place

10. absorb water and minerals from the ground