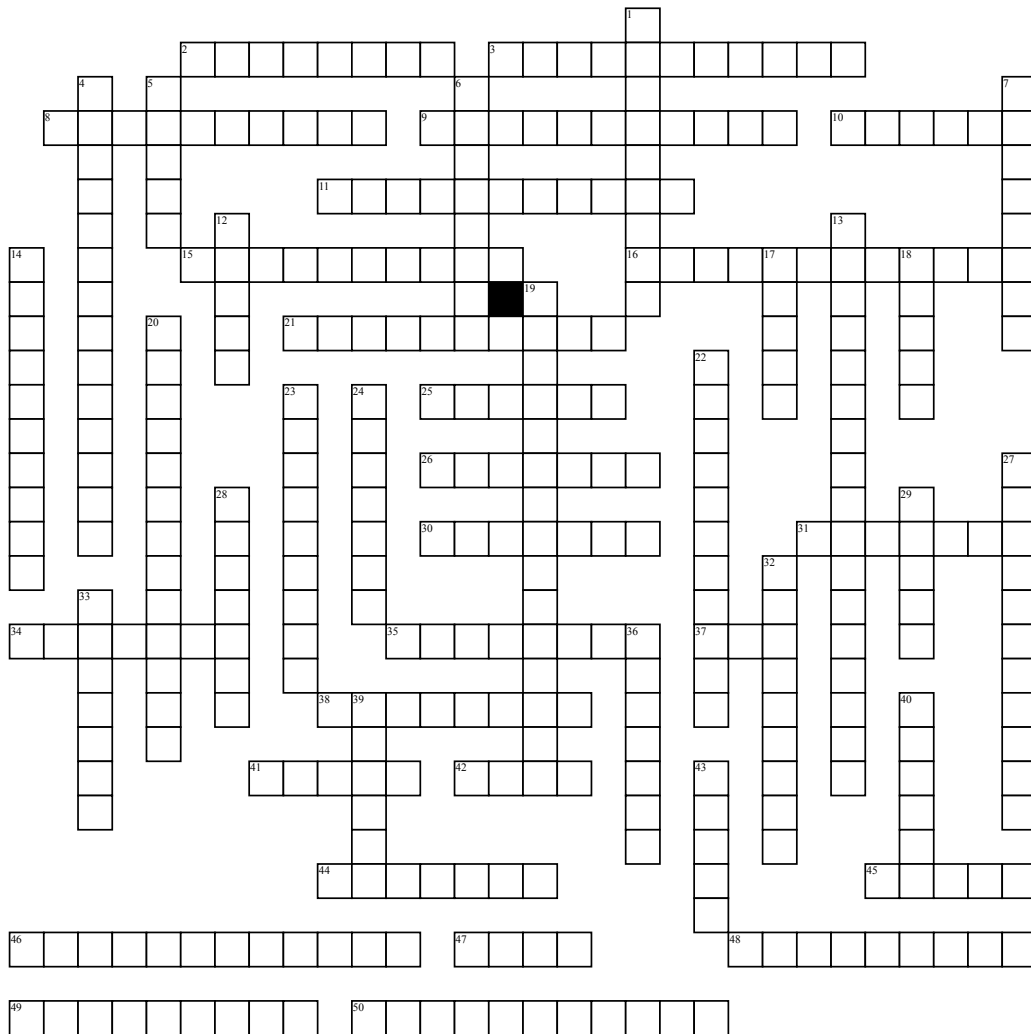


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Across

- 2. a strenuous effort; attempt
- 3. unable to see far away
- 8. cause someone to lose confidence
- 9. place where the Native Americans live
- 10. sustain
- 11. liable or subject to some influence
- 15. injury to brain
- 16. strange and unconventional behavior
- 21. inability to read suffered by many of the people on the reservation
- 25. main character in book
- 26. poor people on the reservation suffered this
- 30. cry
- 31. town where Junior goes to school
- 34. the city where Junior's reservation was located
- 35. out of proportion in shape
- 37. Teacher that told Junior to leave the reservation
- 38. Junior had too much of this fluid on his brain.
- 41. the term describing excessive drinking

- 42. speech defect
 - 44. the type of attack Junior suffered because of his brain damage
 - 45. of greater age
 - 46. the science that studies fluids in motion
 - 47. Junior's sister who leaves the reservation
 - 48. repetition with different wording
 - 49. to overwhelm
 - 50. without effort or premeditation; unplanned
- Down**
- 1. attacked violently
 - 4. symbolically
 - 5. Junior's friend from Reardan
 - 6. Junior's girlfriend who doesn't like him at first
 - 7. what reservation people felt after Junior left
 - 12. Junior's best friend
 - 13. wise and supporting grandmother
 - 14. susceptible to physical or emotional attack
 - 17. lack of experience
 - 18. person who inspires Junior to play basketball

- 19. the book describes how the Native Americans live
- 20. the disorder suffered by Junior
- 22. not normal body temperature
- 23. town on the reservation where Junior lives
- 24. treat poorly
- 27. last in a series
- 28. to hold back emotions
- 29. battle or fight
- 32. oppression of indigenous groups
- 33. moving around in search of food and land
- 36. respect
- 39. father's friend who gave him rides to Reardon
- 40. strike repeatedly
- 43. Junior felt this because of all the death in his life

Word Bank

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| vulnerable | endure | lopsided | susceptible | Eugene | repress | Penelope | crucify |
| reservation | Gordy | assaulted | nomadic | devastate | hydrodynamic | hydrocephalus | Reardan |
| tautology | elder | Rowdy | endeavor | cerebral | eccentricity | Mary | whimper |
| concussion | illiterate | betrayed | seizure | lisp | metaphorically | Spokane | binge |
| poverty | dignity | pummel | naïve | demoralize | Coach | Wellpinit | penultimate |
| hypothermic | spontaneous | nearsighted | Mr. P | Grandmother Spirit | Junior | Native Americans | grief |
| repressed | brawl | | | | | | |