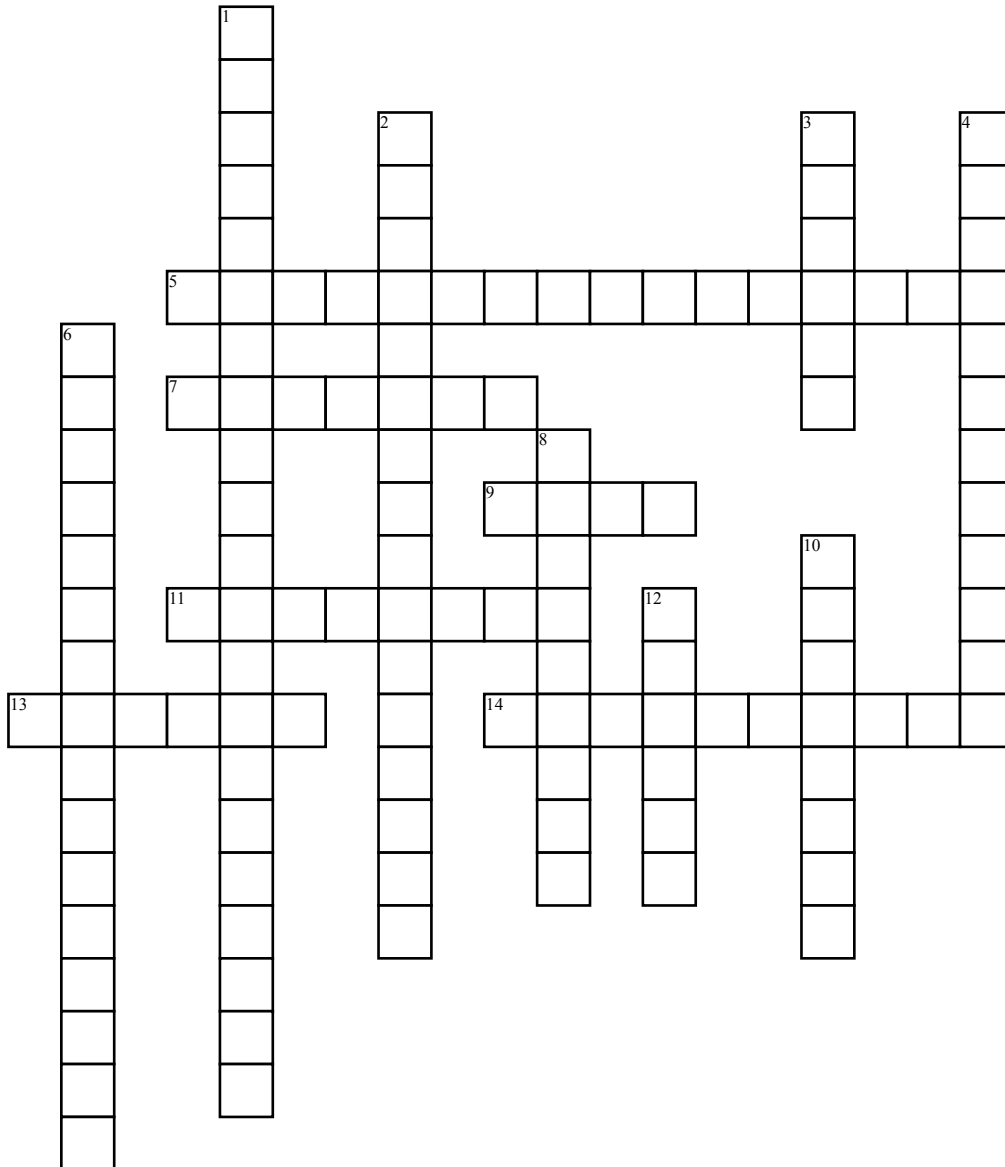


The Circulatory System



Across

5. the supporting framework of the body and its organs

7. relating to the heart

9. a blood vessel that carries blood back to the heart

11. a tiny piece of cell that helps form clots

13. a blood vessel that carries blood away from the heart

14. a protein in the platelets that forms into threads, creating a clot

Down

1. a disease of the heart and blood vessels

2. a large vein that carries blood from the trunk and legs to the heart

3. the liquid part of blood

4. high blood pressure

6. a large vein that carries blood from the head, neck and arms to the heart

8. a heart chamber that pumps blood out of the heart

10. a clot of blood formed within a blood vessel

12. a heart chamber that receives blood returning to the heart