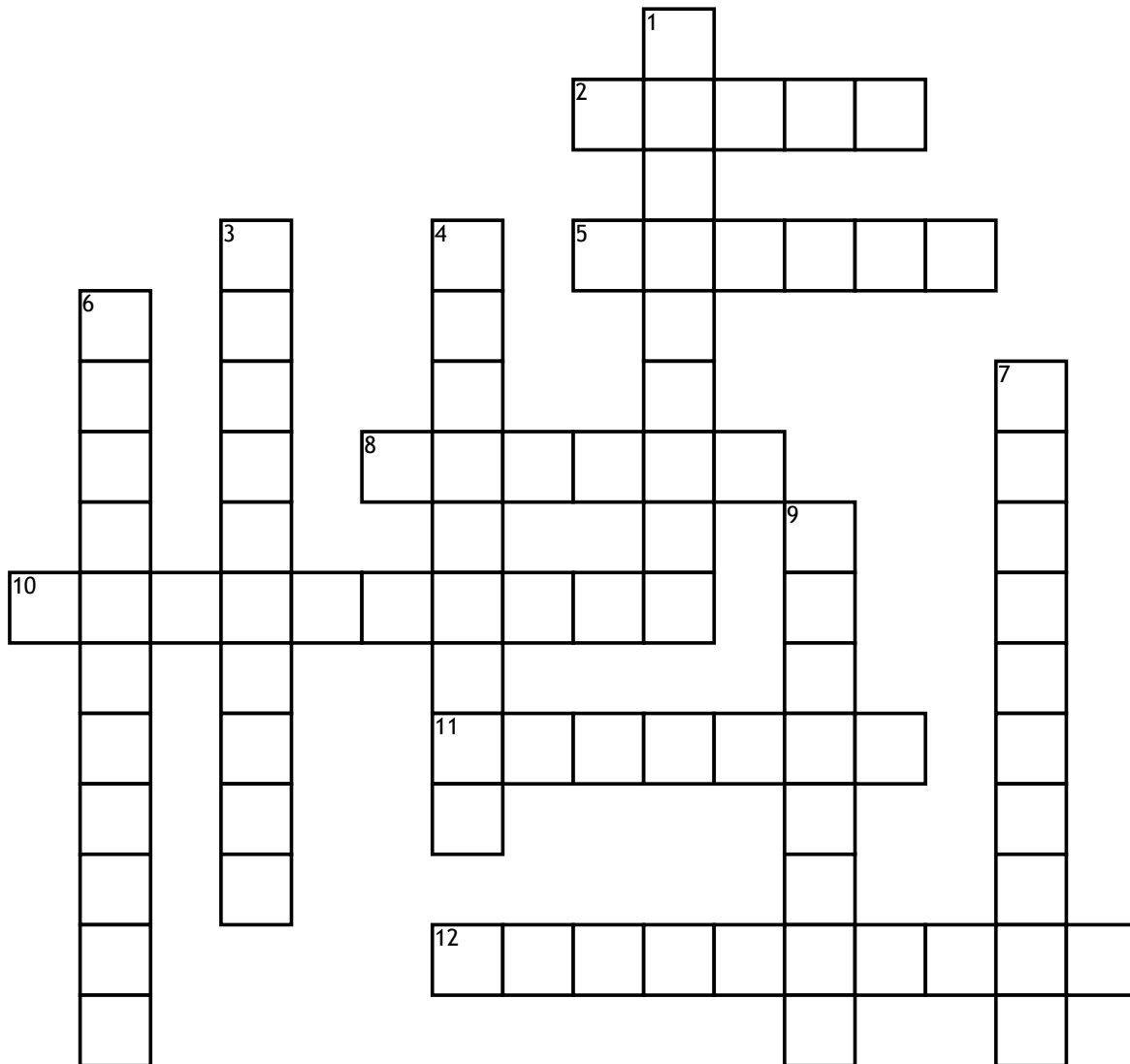


# The Digestive System



## Across

2. The body's largest gland.

5. Stores feces until elimination.

8. Originates as pepsinogen before being activated by:

10. The uptake of nutrient molecules into the epithelial cells and into the blood and lymph.

11. Water is absorbed by this process in the compaction process of the digestive system.

12. The elimination of feces.

## Down

1. The mechanical and chemical breakdown of food into a form usable by the body.

3. One of the most prominent functions of ingestion, comprises 3 phases.

4. The selective intake of food.

6. Stores and concentrates bile.

7. Absorbing water and consolidating the indigestible residue in feces.

9. Type of cell found mostly in gastric glands, secrete hydrochloric acid and intrinsic factor.