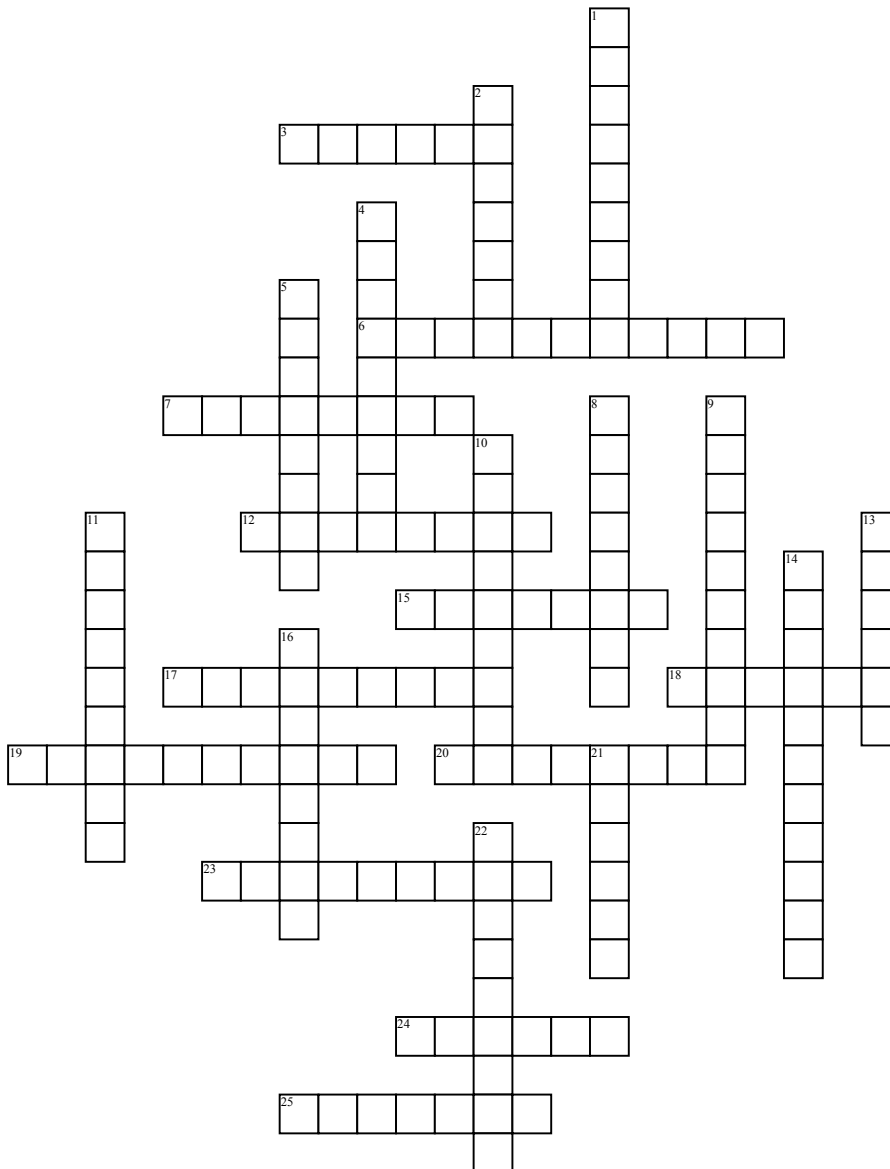


Vocab #2



Across

- 3. to laugh at in scorn or contempt; scoff or jeer at
- 6. not capable of being changed
- 7. tending or threatening to break out into open violence; explosive
- 12. harshness or sharpness of tone, temper, or manner; severity; acrimony
- 15. marked by the characteristics of an earlier period
- 17. a natural, basic, or habitual repugnance; aversion
- 18. to persuade by flattery or promises
- 19. a natural inclination or tendency
- 20. to pay off (an obligation, such as a mortgage) gradually by periodic payments of interest
- 23. kind, especially to inferiors; gracious

- 24. to utter slanderous and abusive statements against: defame
 - 25. driving force: impulse incentive, stimulus
- Down**
- 1. not forming part of or belonging to a thing: extraneous
 - 2. to be necessary or proper for, as for moral or ethical considerations
 - 4. to bring or receive into close connection as a member or branch
 - 5. a formal exposition in writing of the principles of a subject, generally longer and more detailed than an essay
 - 8. the principle or practice of unselfish concern for or devotion to the welfare of others
 - 9. to make better or more tolerable

- 10. a momentous and violent event marked by overwhelming upheaval and demolition
- 11. not meant to be taken seriously or literally
- 13. the ability to think clearly and make good decisions
- 14. the quality or condition of being incongruous
- 16. keenly watchful to detect danger
- 21. a businessperson of exceptional wealth, power, or influence
- 22. deviating from or inconsistent with the common order, form, or rule