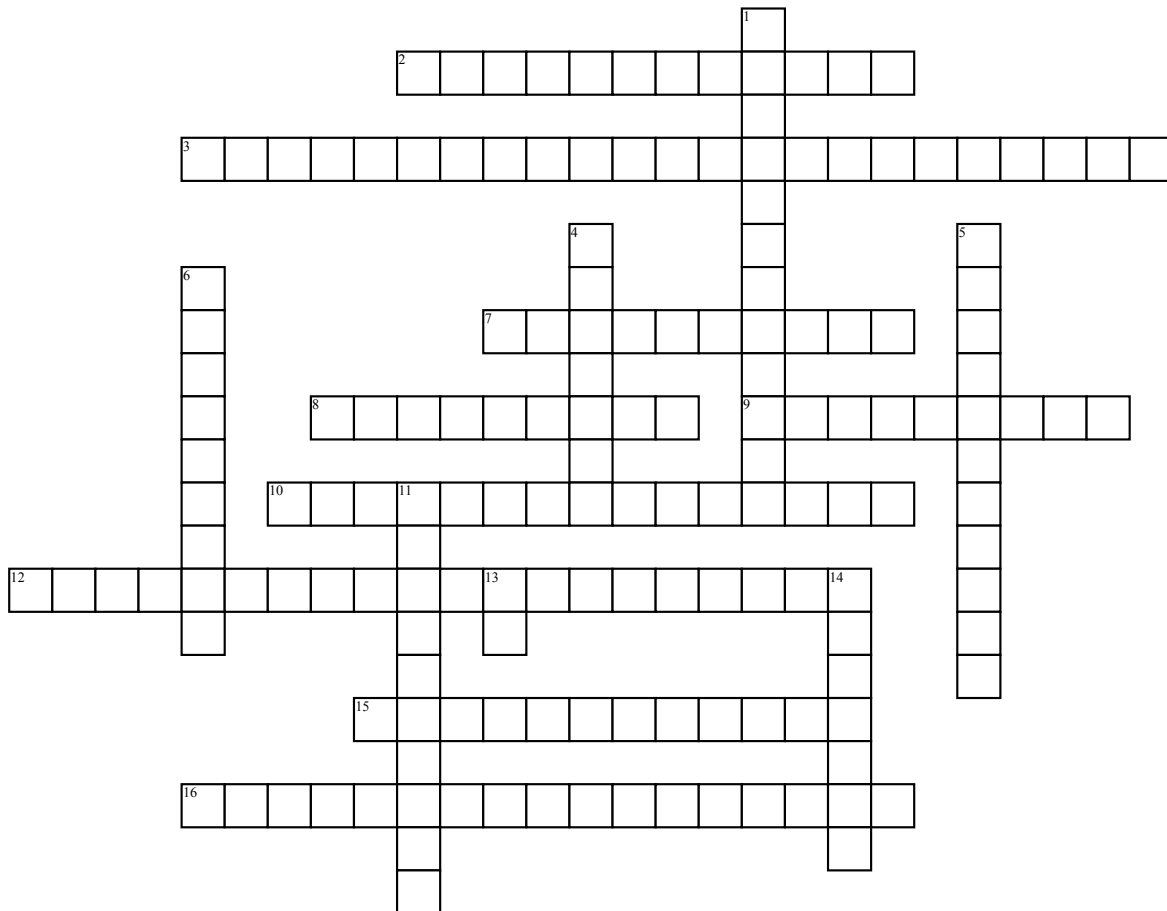


# Water Quality



## Across

2. any foreign components in a substance, for example water
3. pollution that comes from many places or sources that is not easily identified
7. water that runs into drains that may contain sewage and chemicals from homes and businesses or pollutants from industry
8. any substance or form of energy that can cause harm to the environment and make it unfit for use by organisms
9. a chemical material or solution which can be used to show (usually by a change in color)

10. measure of water quality indicating free oxygen dissolved in water

12. pollution that can be traced to a specific source such as oil that spills from a pipeline

15. Organisms or components or organisms that are used to access the health of the water system

16. small, spineless creatures that are visible with the unaided eye

## Down

1. used to describe the health of a water system

4. rating of how acidic or basic a substance is.

5. responsibility for conserving and restoring the earth's resource for future generations

6. a measure of the clarity of water (how clear it is)

11. a flat white disc lowered into the water by a rope until it is just barely visible

13. the measure of how acidic or basic a substance

14. nitrogen compounds used from growth in plants and algae