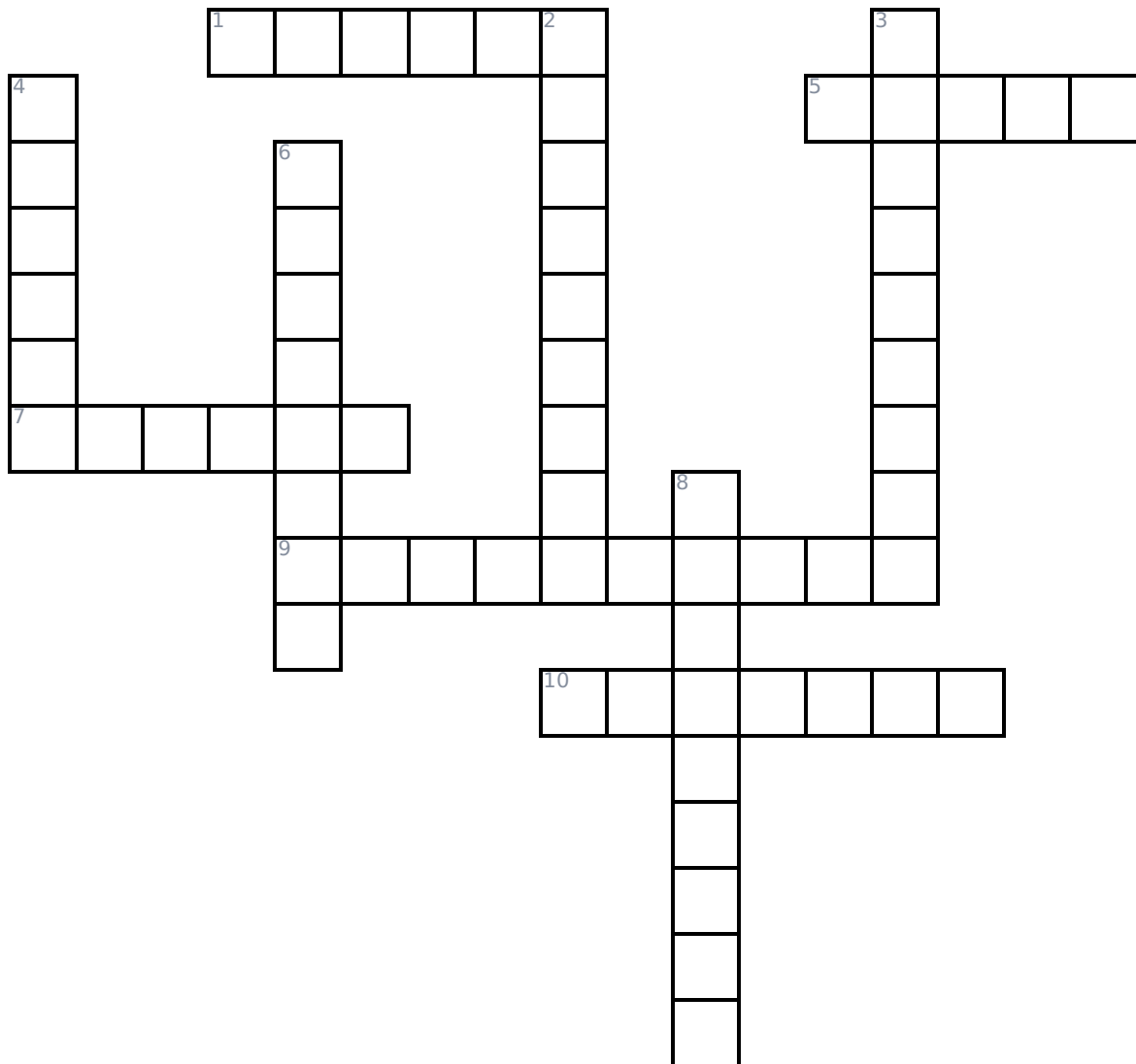


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Guts: Our Digestive System: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from Guts: Our Digestive System. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use on your tablet, phone, or computer.



Across

1. Saliva contains a substance called an ____ that helps to break down food into nutrients that the body can use.
5. Your ____ are the hardest parts of your body.
7. Teeth are covered by hard, white ____.
9. The last stops in the digestive tract, before getting rid of the undigested waste, are the small and large ____.
10. ____ crushes and mashes food and mixes it with watery saliva.

Down

- 2. The tube that leads from the throat to the stomach
- 3. Baby teeth are also called ____ teeth.
- 4. The bacteria in ____ release acids that may cause cavities.
- 6. If bits of old food and ____ build up in the mouth, they form a layer of dental plaque.
- 8. The ____ system turns the food you eat into the energy and nutrients that your body needs.

Word Bank

DIGESTIVE
DECIDUOUS
CHEWING

ESOPHAGUS
ENAMEL
ENZYME

INTESTINES
BACTERIA

TEETH
PLAQUE

Answer Key

