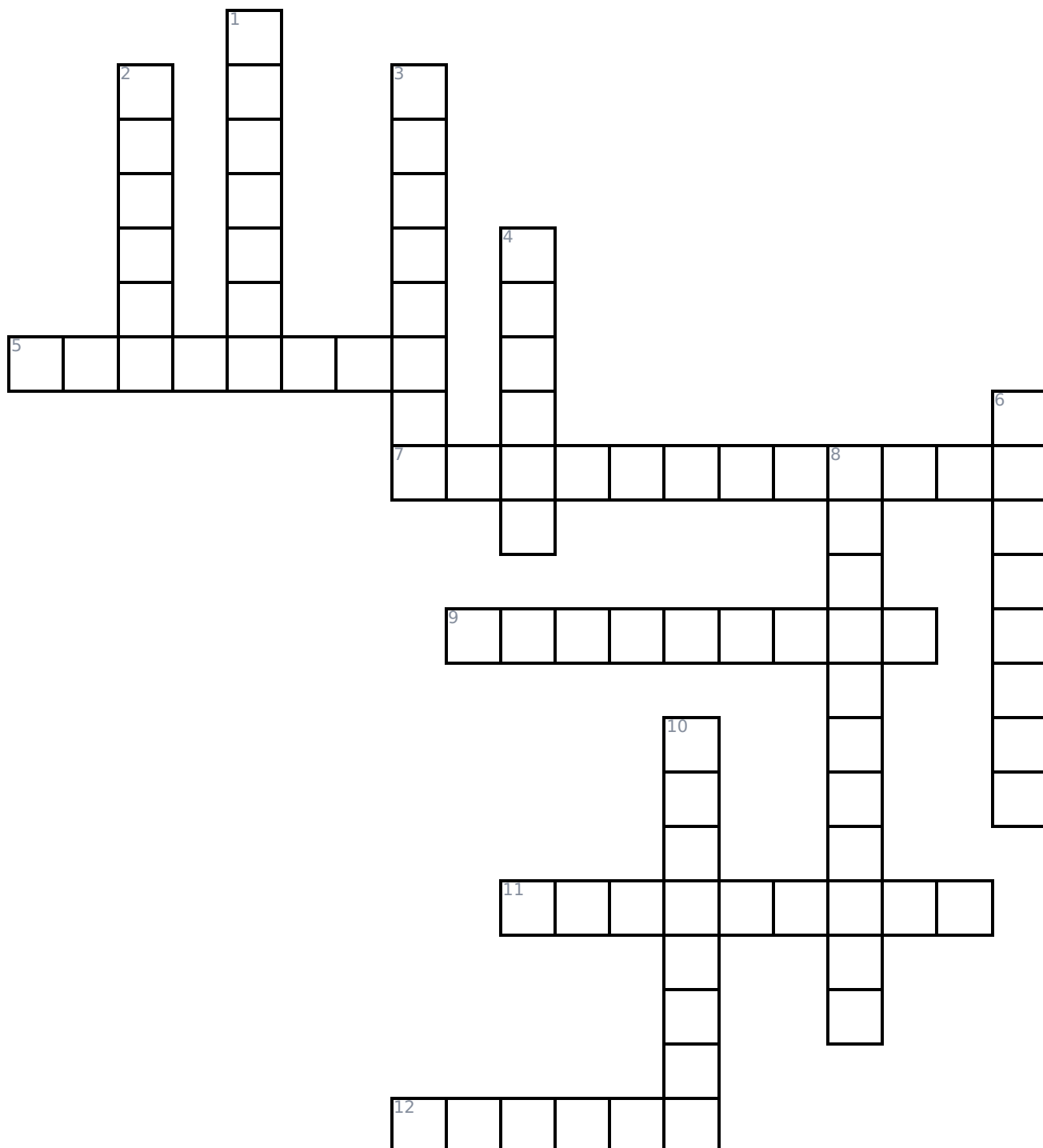


Wild River: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from *Wild River* by Rodman Philbrick. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use it on your tablet, phone, or computer.



Across

- 5. When you have to deal with something difficult or face it directly
- 7. When you give out or share things with others
- 9. When you don't really want to do something and hold back
- 11. When strong feelings or movements slowly become calmer
- 12. When you jump around in a happy or excited way

Down

- 1. When you climb awkwardly or with effort, usually using your hands and feet
- 2. When you use something only in small amounts so it lasts longer
- 3. When you feel nervous or upset and can't stay calm
- 4. When you act a little naughty or playful in a sneaky way
- 6. When something is very, very big
- 8. When everything feels calm, quiet, and peaceful
- 10. When you keep something safe or in good condition

Word Bank

IMPISH
ENORMOUS
RATION

PRESERVE
SUBSIDING
CONFRONT

TRANQUILITY
DISTRIBUTION
CLAMBER

RELUCTANT
AGITATED
PRANCE

Answer Key

