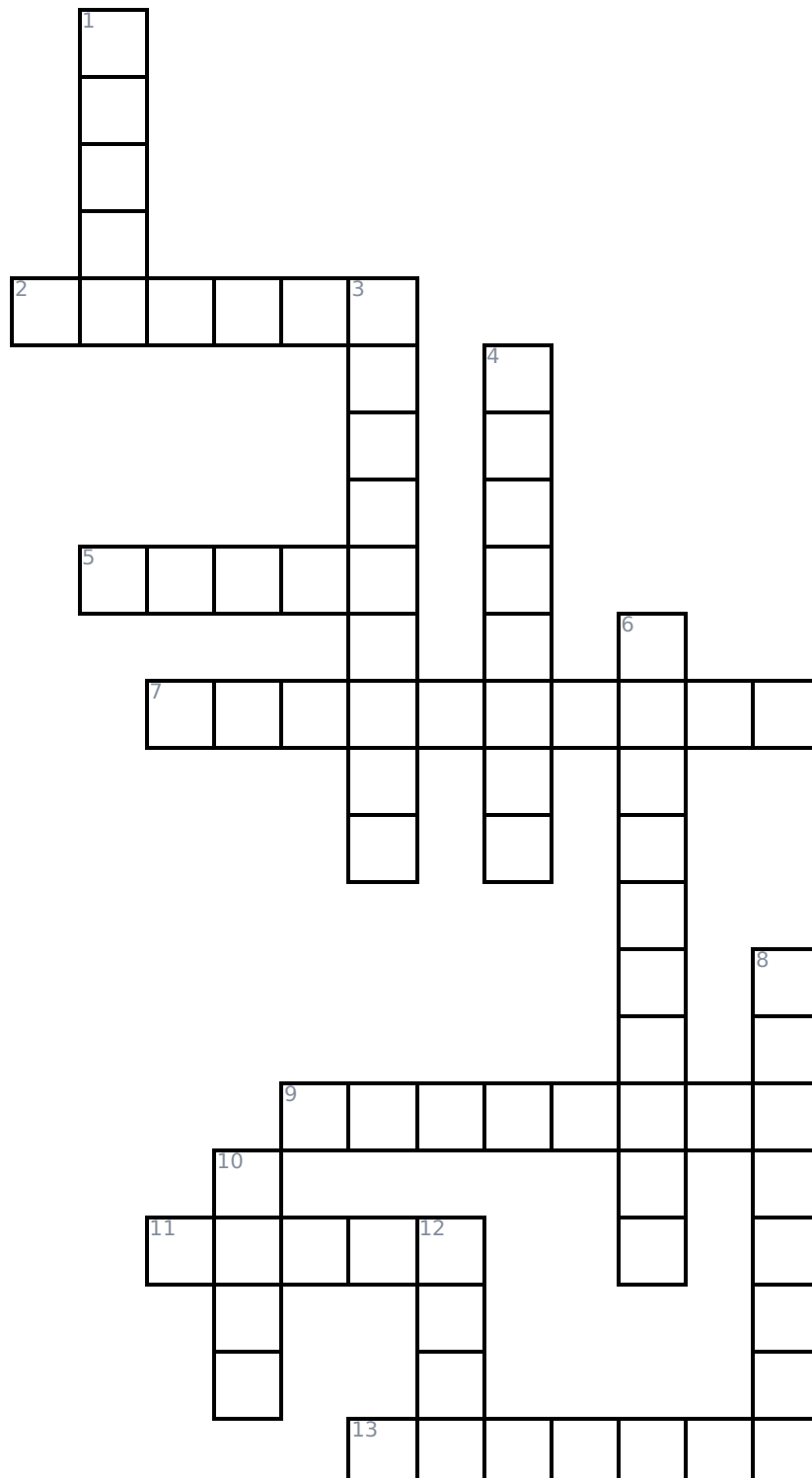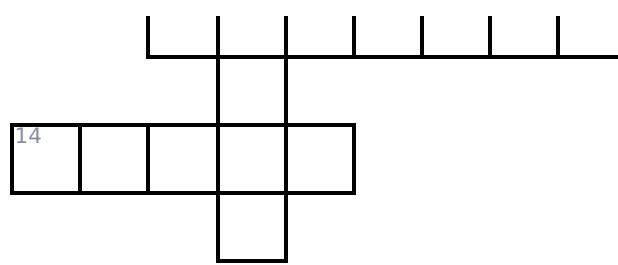Name: _____

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Air Traffic Controller (21st Century Skills Library: Cool Vocational Careers): Criss Cross

After reading Air Traffic Controller (21st Century Skills Library: Cool Vocational Careers) by Ellen Labrecque, use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the book.

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Across

2. The _____ controller is responsible for ground traffic at the airport, the aircraft, and vehicles.

5. The _____ controller works at an airport and manages all the aircraft taking off from and landing there.

7. _____ are models used for training and practice.

9. _____ is the practice and science of building and flying an aircraft.

11. The first commercial flight flew from St. Petersburg, Florida to _____, Florida.

13. Invisible flight paths are called _____.

14. The _____ controller in the tower advises the pilot when it is safe for the airplane to enter the runway.

Down

- **1.** _____ can be used to identify the location, altitude, direction of movement, and speed of moving objects.
- **3.** The _____ controller organizes all the airborne airplanes leaving the airport area.
- **4.** The _____ controller works in a dark radar room.
- **6.** The Air Traffic Control System Command Center plans ways to prevent _____ problems before they even happen.
- **8.** _____ were the first step toward today's modern system of airways.
- **10.** Good reading, _____, and science skills are important in becoming an air traffic controller.
- **12.** The _____ controller lines up the airplanes approaching or heading toward the airport.

Word Bank

AVIATION	AIRWAYS	TOWER	GROUND
LOCAL	APPROACH	DEPARTURE	ARRIVAL
TAMPA	BONFIRES	SIMULATORS	RADAR
CONGESTION	MATH		

Answer Key

1 radar
2 ground
3 departart (departure)
4 approach
5 tower
6 controls (congestion)
7 simulators
8 bonfire
9 aviation
10 math
11 tamp
12 arrival
13 airways
14 local