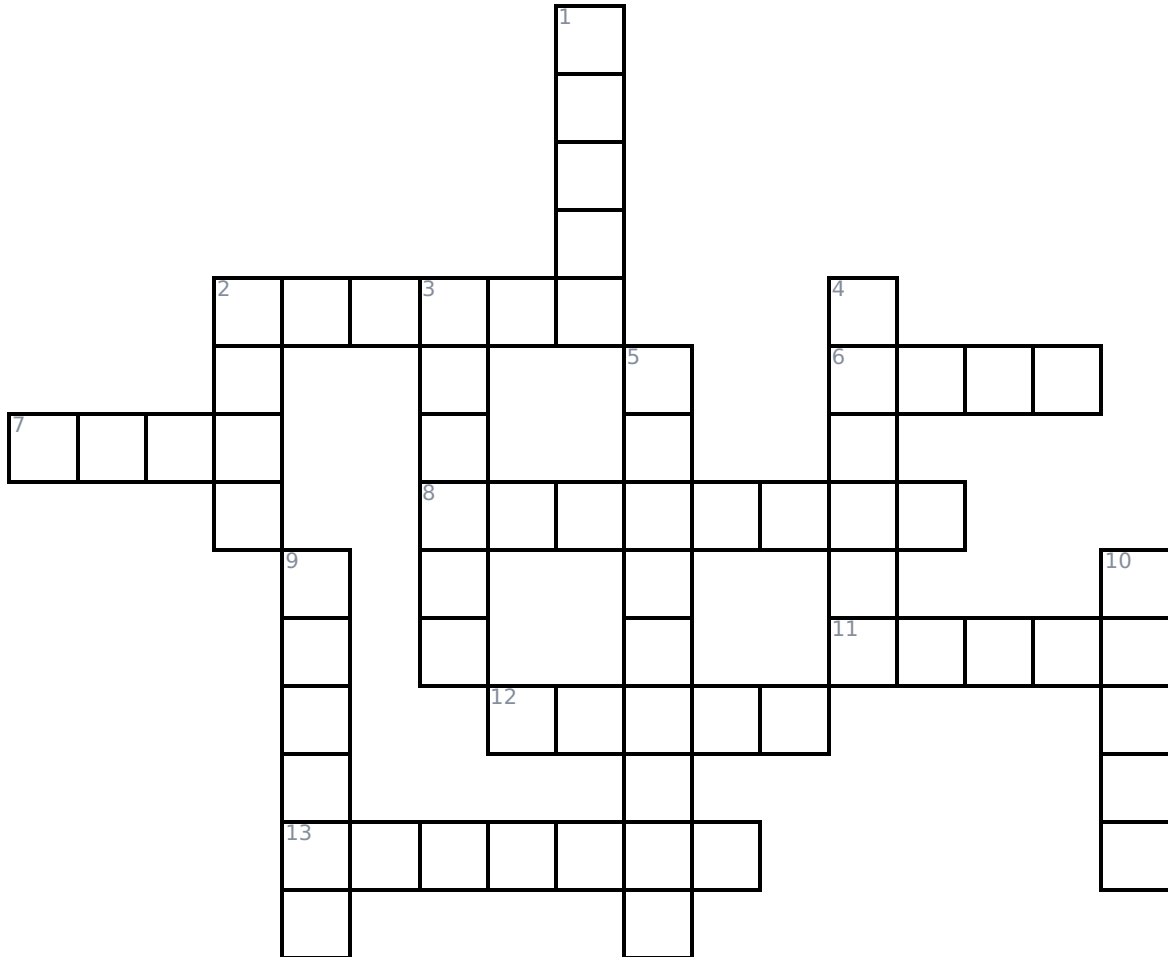


Baba Yaga and Vasilisa the Brave: Criss Cross

After reading *Baba Yaga and Vasilisa the Brave* by Marianna Mayer, use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



Across

2. Vasilisa's stepmother and stepsisters were consumed by _____.
6. Vasilisa's stepsisters were cruel and _____.
7. Who did Vasilisa marry in the end?
8. Suddenly a pale white _____ appeared in the forest in front of Vasilisa.
11. Baba Yaga sent Vasilisa home with a light that was inside a _____.
12. Vasilisa began to _____ fabric in her spare time.
13. Vasilisa moved to a new village where an _____ woman took her in.

Down

- 1. What is Baba Yaga's crooked hut made out of?
- 2. What did the stepmother send Vasilisa out for in the middle of the night?
- 3. What did Vasilisa's _____ made her a doll before she died.
- 4. What is Baba Yaga's favorite food?
- 5. Her stepmother and stepsisters tried to make Vasilisa's life as _____ as possible.
- 9. Vasilisa's doll cleaned the house while Vasilisa _____ for Baba Yaga.
- 10. The most surprising thing about Vasilisa's doll was that it was _____.

Word Bank

HUMANS

BONES

UGLY

MISERABLE

MOTHER

ALIVE

FIRE

HORSEMAN

COOKED

SKULL

FLAMES

ELDERLY

WEAVE

TZAR

Answer Key

