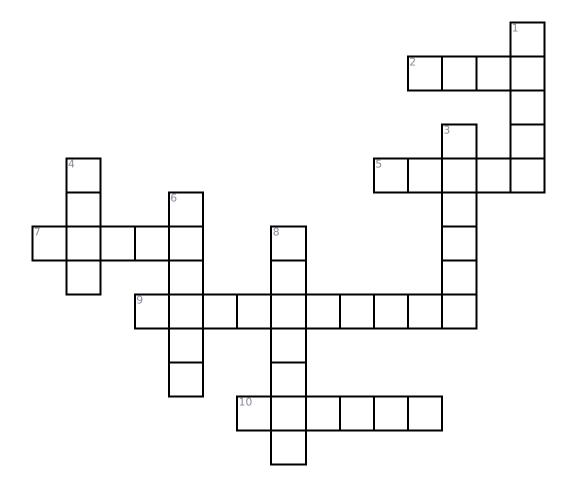


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The Boy Who Loved Words: Criss Cross

After reading The Boy Who Loved Words by Roni Schotter, use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



Across

- 2. Selig asked the genie to grant him a _____.
- 5. What did Selig collect?
- 7. One night, Selig had a dream about a _____.
- 9. What nickname did the other kids call Selig?
- 10. Being called an oddball made Selig feel _____.

Down

- 1. What did Selig's father sell?
- **3.** Selig hung each of his words on a separate _____ of the tree.
- **4.** Selig's words flew into the hands of a wandering _____.
- 6. Name of the girl Selig fell in love with
- 8. Selig realized that his _____ in life was to share his words with others.

Word Bank

WORDS	SHOES	WORDSWORTH	LONELY
GENIE	WISH	BRANCH	POET
MISSION	MELODY		

Answer Key

