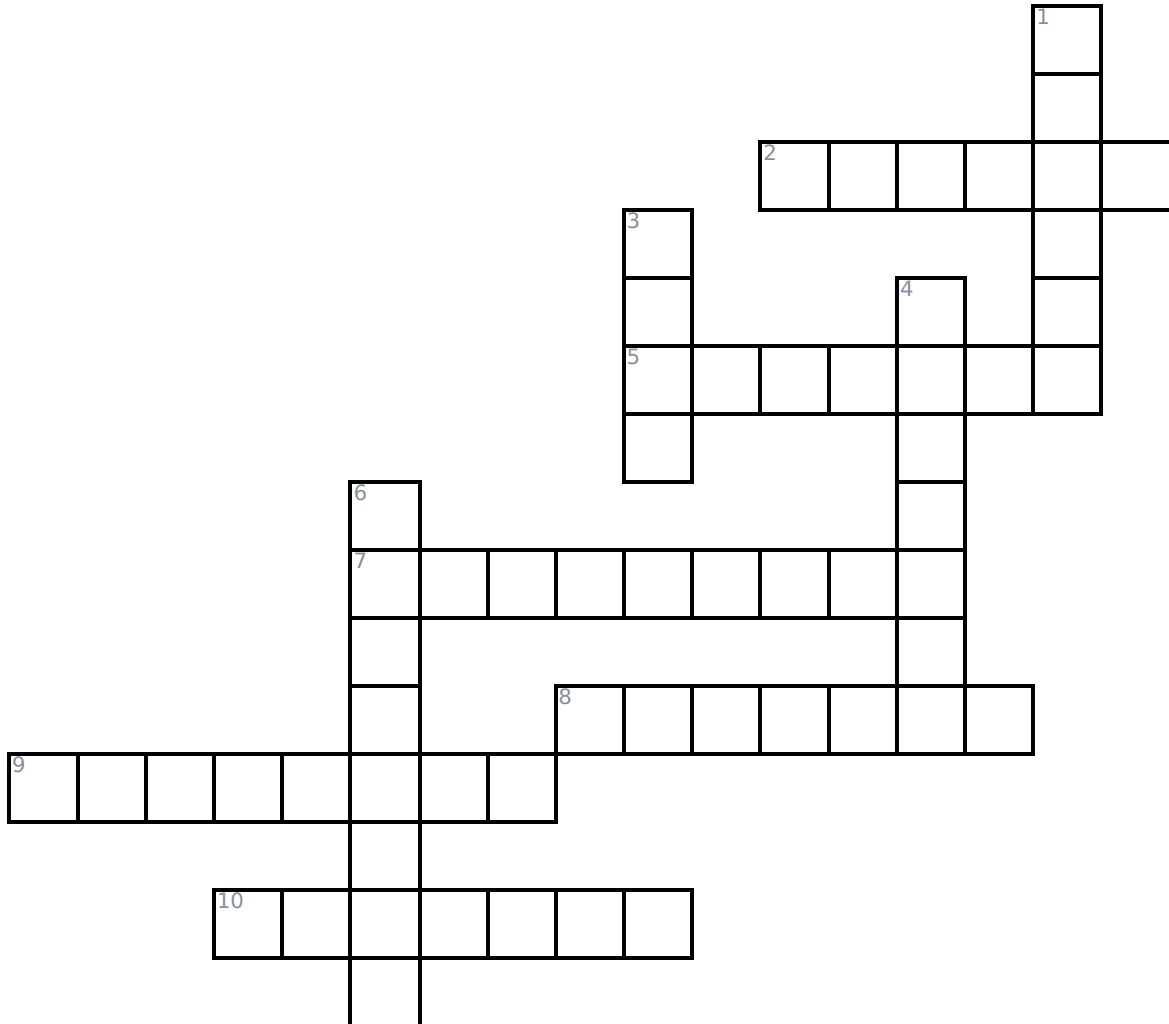


## Finding Perfect: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from Finding Perfect. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use on your tablet, phone, or computer.



## Across

2. Molly learned that keeping her struggle a \_\_\_ was not a healthy way to deal with her anxiety.
5. Obsessive compulsive disorder is an \_\_\_ disorder in which people have unwanted and repeated thoughts, feelings, images, and sensations and engage in behaviors or mental acts in response to these thoughts.
7. As she advances to the next levels of the poetry contest, Molly's \_\_\_ tendencies worsen.
8. Molly's mom left home for a job in \_\_\_.
9. Even though she has a strong support group, Molly often feels \_\_\_ by her own thoughts and behavior.
10. Molly hopes that winning her school's poetry slam \_\_\_, will bring her mom home from Canada.

## Down

- 1. Molly is great at writing \_\_\_.
- 3. Molly experiences intense \_\_\_.
- 4. Twelve-year-old Molly Nathans is good at appearing to be \_\_\_.
- 6. Molly finds comfort for her fear and anxiety through obsessive \_\_\_.

## Word Bank

PERFECT  
ISOLATED  
SECRET

TORONTO  
POETRY  
ANXIETY

FEAR  
CONTEST

COUNTING  
OBSESSIVE

# Answer Key

