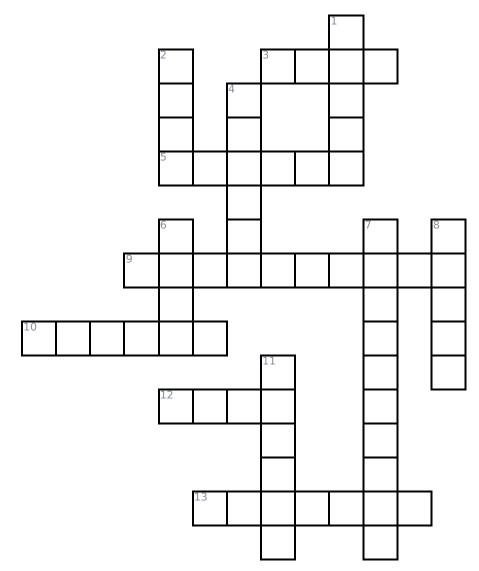


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## Hansel and Gretel: Criss Cross

After reading Hansel and Gretel by Rika Lesser, use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



#### Across

- **3.** The family doesn't have enough \_\_\_\_\_ to eat.
- 5. Hansel and Gretel \_\_\_\_\_ from the witch's house and go home.
- **9.** Hansel's and Gretel's father is a \_\_\_\_\_.
- **10.** The witch puts him there to \_\_\_\_\_ him up.
- **12.** The family is very \_\_\_\_\_.
- 13. What does Hansel fill his pocket with?

#### Down

- 1. "Nibble, nibble, little \_\_\_\_\_. Who is nibbling at my house?
- 2. Where does the witch put Hansel?
- **4.** A \_\_\_\_\_ witch opens the door to the house.
- 6. Instead of sticking out his finger, Hansel sticks out a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. Hansel and Gretel overhear what their \_\_\_\_\_ said.
- 8. The stepmother gives both children a small piece of \_\_\_\_\_.
- **11.** Hansel leaves \_\_\_\_\_ of bread behind to find his way home.

### **Word Bank**

WOODCUTTER	POOR	FOOD	STEPMOTHER
PEBBLES	BREAD	CRUMBS	MOUSE
WICKED	CAGE	FATTEN	BONE
ESCAPE			

# **Answer Key**

