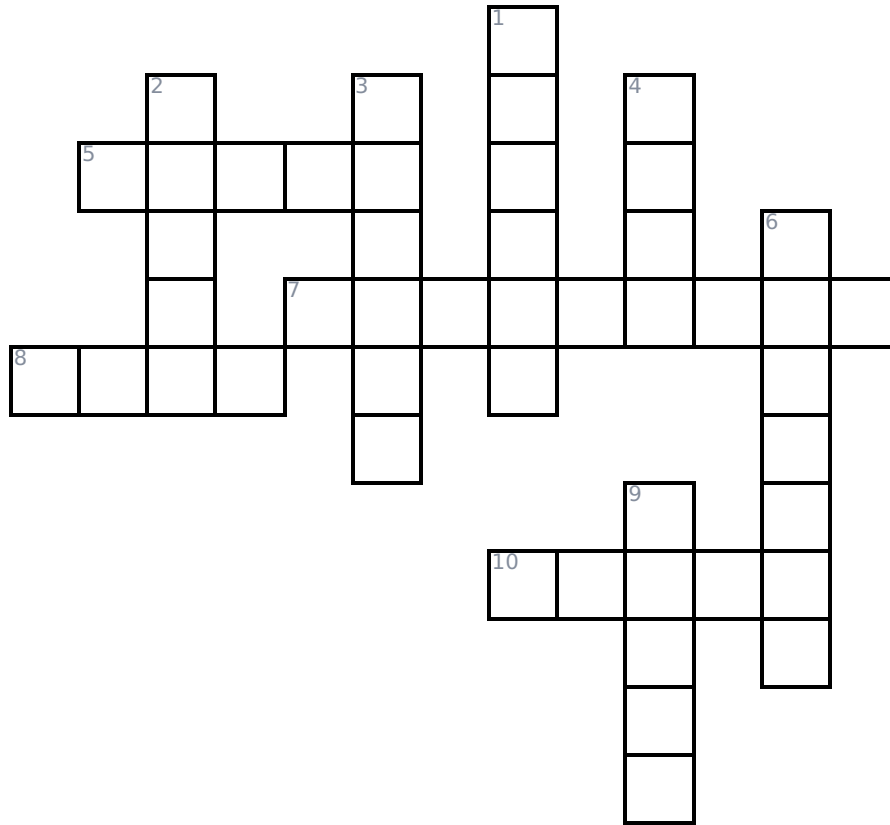


## The Story of Jumping Mouse: Criss Cross

After reading *The Story of Jumping Mouse* by John Steptoe, use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



## Across

5. Jumping Mouse couldn't swim across the \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Who gave Jumping Mouse his powerful hind legs?
8. Jumping Mouse wanted to visit the far-off \_\_\_\_\_.
10. What ate the fat old mouse?

## Down

- 1. Jumping Mouse had an unselfish \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. Which animal became Eyes-of-a-Mouse?
- 3. Jumping Mouse had only seen the far-off land in his \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4. Which animal became Nose-of-a-Mouse?
- 6. Jumping Mouse set out on his \_\_\_\_\_ one morning before the sun had risen.
- 9. In the end, Jumping Mouse turned into an \_\_\_\_\_.

## Word Bank

LAND  
BISON  
SPIRIT

JOURNEY  
WOLF  
RIVER

SNAKE  
EAGLE

DREAMS  
MAGIC FROG

