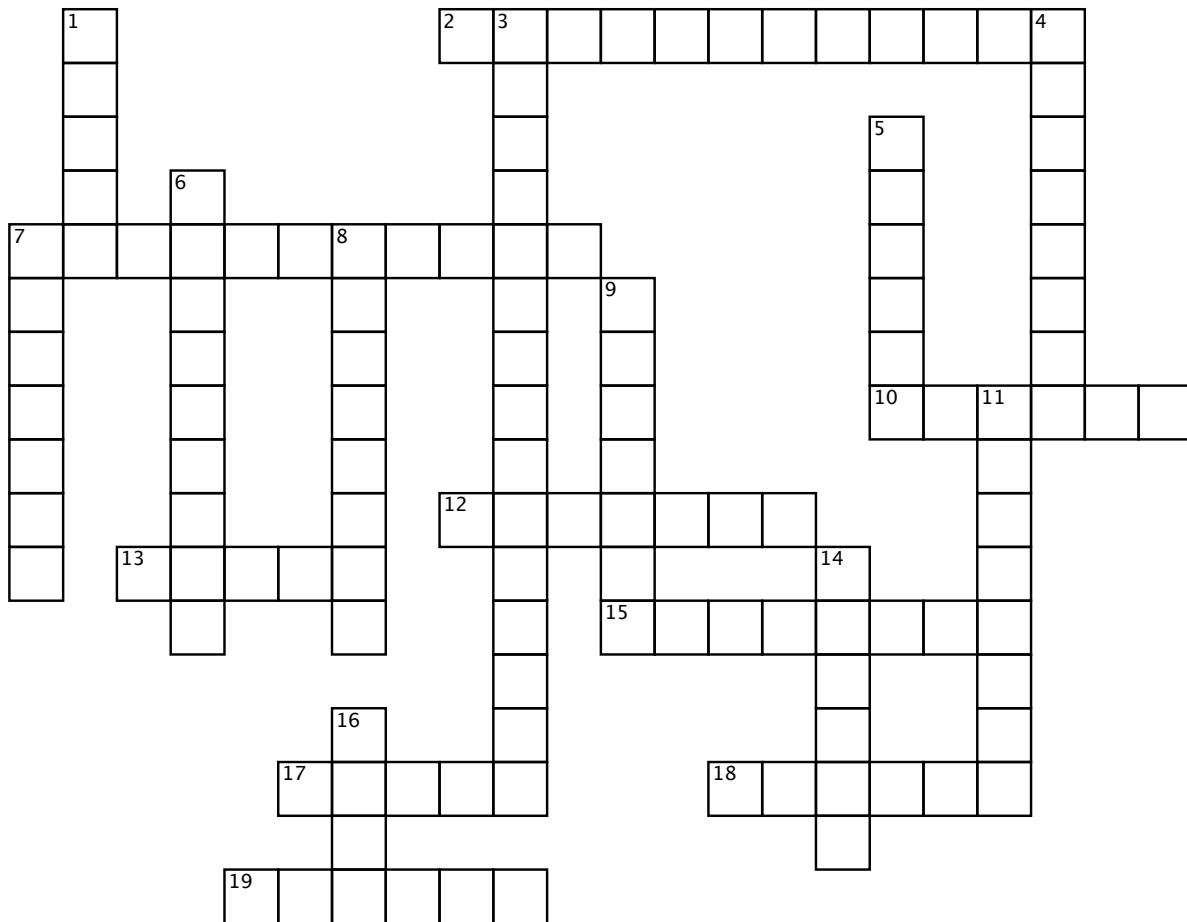


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Across

- 2. Fiona became so vain and _____ over time that her friends no longer wanted to spend time with her.
- 7. Aunt Tina became the _____ of Uncle Bob's estate.
- 10. Having a bad taste or smell; spoiled
- 12. Antonym for *abundance*
- 13. Slyness and cunning in dealing with others
- 15. To become weak or feeble; to lose strength
- 17. New Jersey's coastal towns took years to recover after the _____ wreaked by Hurricane Sandy.
- 18. Noah's wet trouble
- 19. Antonym for *awkwardness*

Down

- 1. Ghosts, and vampires, and boogeymen, oh my!
- 3. Attributing human characteristics or qualities to objects, animals, or gods
- 4. Universal; wide ranging
- 5. To grow worse over time; to rot
- 6. Very wicked; notorious
- 7. Tanya consistently shows a(n) _____ disregard for her sister's feelings.
- 8. Fred _____ through traffic to avoid being late on his first day.
- 9. This means war!
- 11. A beginner
- 14. Don't bother! It's pointless.
- 16. A(n) _____ of fear fell across Kristin's face as she realized what had happened.

Answer Key

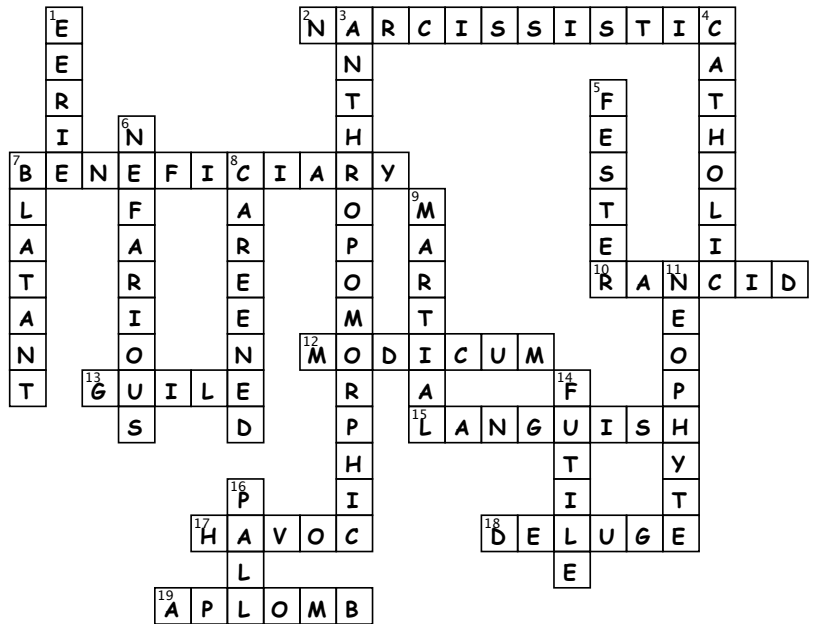
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Across

2. Fiona became so vain and _____ over time that her friends no longer wanted to spend time with her. [NARCISSISTIC]
7. Aunt Tina became the _____ of Uncle Bob's estate. [BENEFICIARY]
10. Having a bad taste or smell; spoiled [RANCID]
12. Antonym for *abundance* [MODICUM]
13. Slyness and cunning in dealing with others [GUILE]
15. To become weak or feeble; to lose strength [LANGUISH]
17. New Jersey's coastal towns took years to recover after the _____ wreaked by Hurricane Sandy. [HAVOC]
18. Noah's wet trouble [DELUGE]
19. Antonym for *awkwardness* [PLOMB]

Down

1. Ghosts, and vampires, and boogeymen, oh my! [EERIE]
3. Attributing human characteristics or qualities to objects, animals, or gods [ANTHROPOMORPHIC]
4. Universal; wide ranging [CATHOLIC]
5. To grow worse over time; to rot [FESTER]
6. Very wicked; notorious [NEFARIOUS]
7. Tanya consistently shows a(n) _____ disregard for her sister's feelings. [BLATANT]
8. Fred _____ through traffic to avoid being late on his first day. [CAREENED]
9. This means war! [MARTIAL]
11. A beginner [NEOPHYTE]
14. Don't bother! It's pointless. [FUTILE]
16. A(n) _____ of fear fell across Kristin's face as she realized what had happened. [PALL]



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