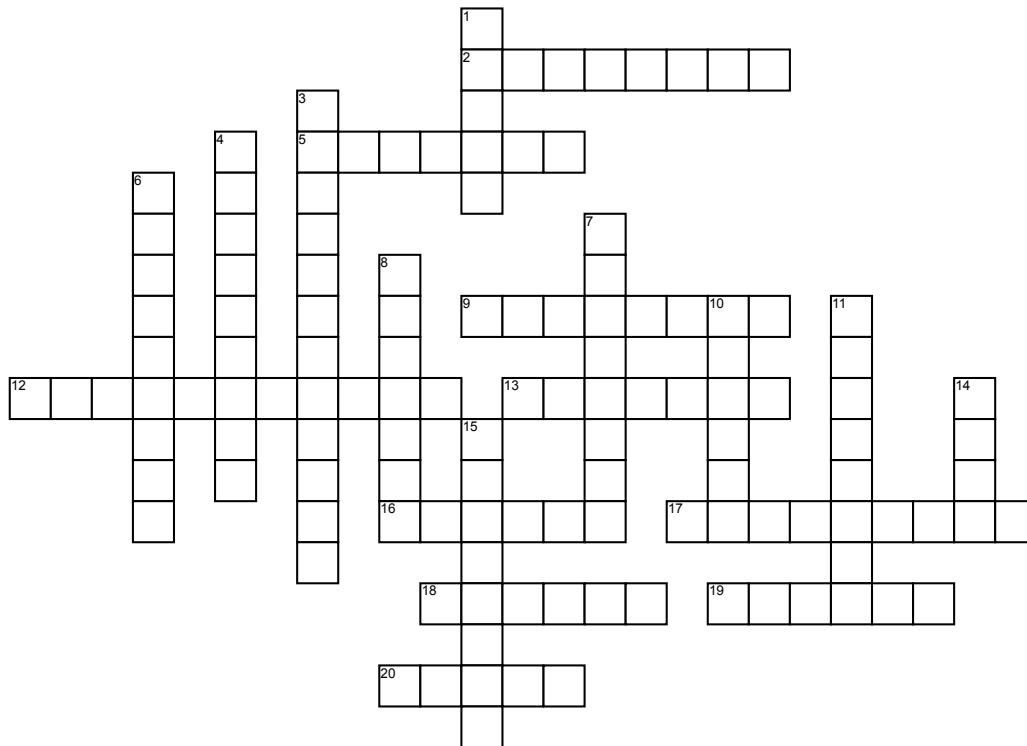


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crossword puzzle vocab unit 6



Across

- 2.** (adj.) definite, clearly stated Syn.: distinct, forthright, unambiguous, clear Ant.: vague, ambiguous, implied, implicit
5. (adj.) growing without check, running wild Syn.: widespread, unrestrained, extravagant, prevalent Ant.: controlled, restrained
9. (verb) to wave or flourish in a menacing or vigorous fashion Syn.: swing, shake
12. (adj.) coming at a bad time; not appropriate Syn.: ill-timed, inconvenient, inappropriate, unsuitable Ant.: timely, convenient, felicitous, opportune
13. (adj.) dignified, majestic Syn.: grand, magnificent, imposing Ant.: lowly, humble, servile, abject
16. (adj.) bending easily; bending with agility; readily adaptable; servile Syn.: flexible, limber, pliable, pliant Ant.: stiff, rigid, unbending, hidebound
17. (adj.) deprived of the necessities of life; lacking in Syn.: wanting, devoid, impoverished, penniless Ant.: rich, wealthy, luxurious, bountiful, full, replete

- 18.** (adj.) suggesting an incongruity between what might be expected and what actually happens; given to irony, sarcastic Syn.: incongruous, satiric, sardonic, wry Ant.: straightforward, unequivocal

- 19.** (verb) to yield to; to assume an office or dignity Syn.: consent, concur, comply, assent Ant.: demur, balk at

- 20.** (adj.) stale, moldy; out-of-date Syn.: hackneyed, antiquated Ant.: fresh, sweet-smelling, up-to-date, brand-new

Down

- 1.** (adj.) open to or marked by bribery or corruption Syn.: dishonest, bribable, corruptible, mercenary Ant.: honest, incorruptible, scrupulous

- 3.** (adj., part.) considered beforehand, deliberately planned Syn.: preplanned, rehearsed, calculated, prearranged Ant.: unplanned, spontaneous, impromptu

- 4.** (adj.) meddling; excessively forward in offering services or assuming authority Syn.: meddlesome, prying, impertinent, obtrusive Ant.: reserved, diffident, timid, aloof

- 6.** (verb) to tear up by the roots; to destroy totally Syn.: uproot, eradicate, wipe out, excise Ant.: implant, sow, foster, nourish

- 7.** (noun) a high peak or point Syn.: apex, acme, summit, apogee Ant.: nadir, perigee, low point

- 8.** (adj.) unfavorable, threatening, of bad omen Syn.: unpropitious, inauspicious, portentous Ant.: propitious, auspicious, promising

- 10.** (noun) comfort, relief; (verb) to comfort, console Syn.: (verb) soothe, reassure, cheer up Ant.: (verb) vex, aggravate, upset

- 11.** (verb) to include or contain; to be made up of Syn.: compose, constitute, encompass Ant.: exclude

- 14.** (adj.) skillful, nimble Syn.: dexterous, adroit, proficient, clever, masterful Ant.: clumsy, awkward, bungling, inept

- 15.** (verb) to stop by force, put down Syn.: subdue, crush, stifle, squelch, quash, silence Ant.: provoke, spur, arouse, incite, instigate

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brandish
comprise
stately
suppress

deft
solace
pinnacle
inopportune

extirpate
supple
destitute
ironic

accede
rampant
musty
ominous

officious
explicit
premeditated
venal