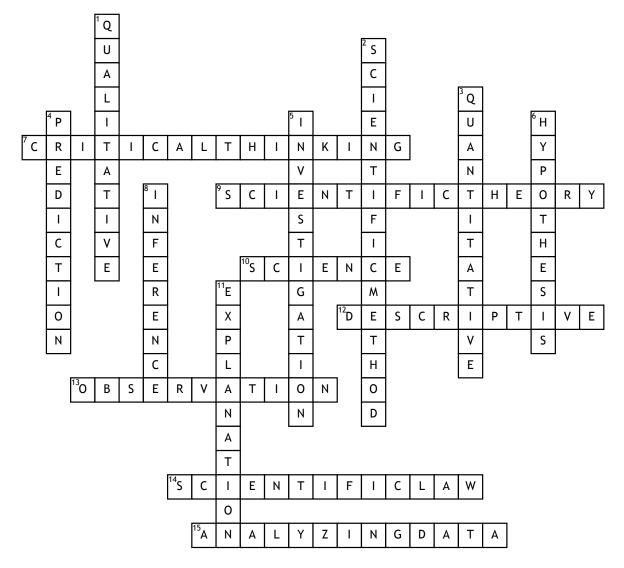
## Vocabulary Scientific Method



## <u>Across</u>

7. comparing what you already know with the information you are giving in order to decide whether you agree with it.

**9.** an explanation of observations or events that is based on knowledge gained from many observations and investigations.

**10.** the investigation and exploration of natural events and the new information that results from those investigations.

**12.** a spoken or written summary of observations.

**13.** the act of using one or more of your senses to gather information and taking notes of what occurs.

**14.** a rule that describes a pattern in nature.

**15.** a process of inspecting, cleaning, transforming and modeling data with the goal of discovering useful information suggesting conclusions.

information, suggesting conclusions, and decision-making

## <u>Down</u>

1. Observation using your senses .

**2.** a process that uses a set of skills to answer questions or to test ideas about the natural world. (an inquiry)

**3.** observation using numbers or measurements.

**4.** a statement of what will happen next in a sequence of events.

**5.** The action of investigating something or someone; formal or systematic examination or research.

6. a possible explanation for an observation that can be tested by scientific investigations.

**8.** a logical explanation of an observation that is drawn from prior knowledge and or explanation.

**11.** an interpretation of observations.