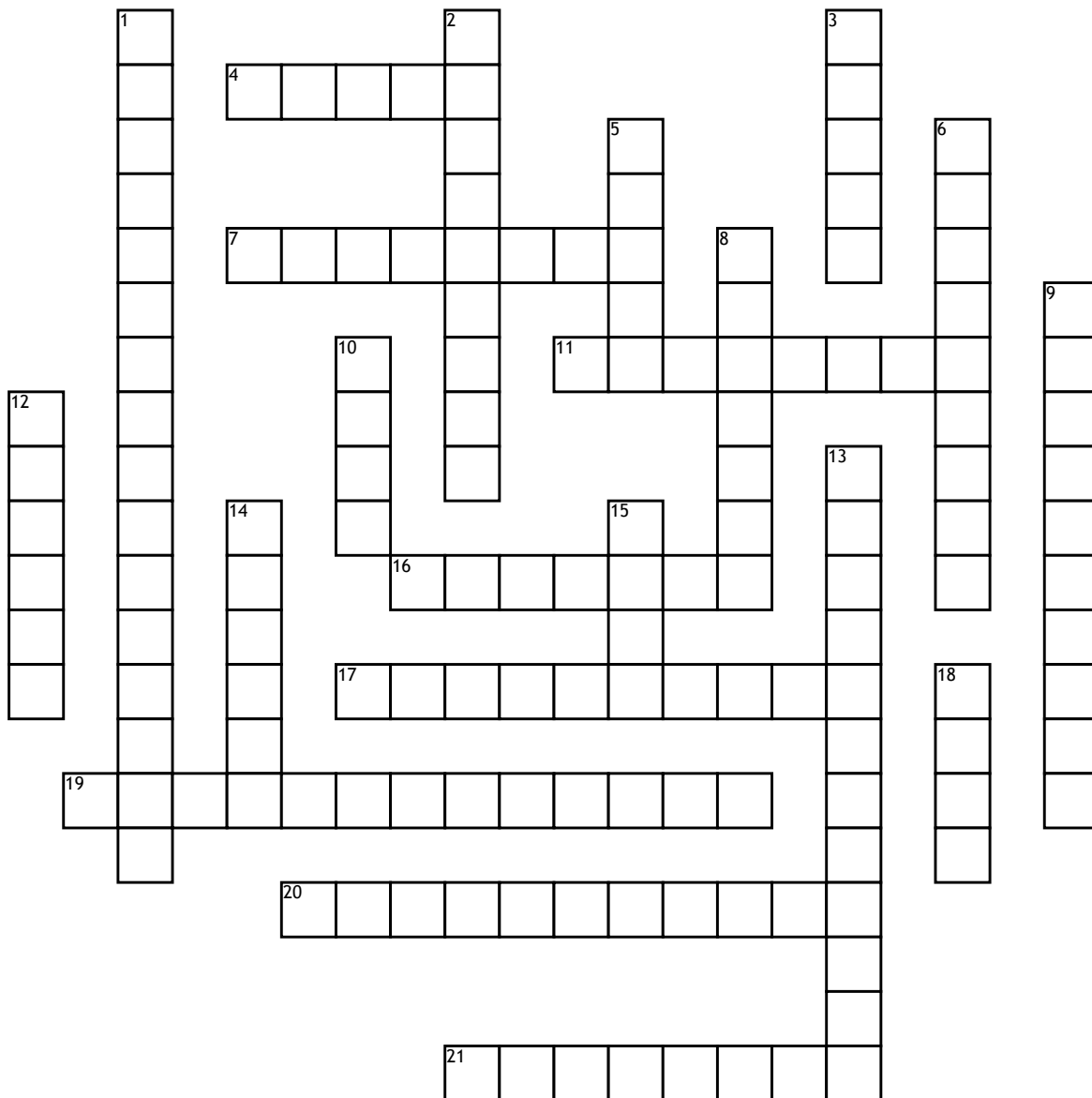


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Elements of Literature



Across

- 4. words or phrases that mean the opposite of the literal meaning
- 7. conversations among characters
- 11. comparing two things by suggesting one thing is another
- 16. a comparison of two things that are similar in some way for the purpose of explaining or clarifying
- 17. the final outcome or resolution for the main conflict of the story
- 19. hints or clues given to suggest what will happen later in the story
- 20. the main character in a literary work; hero or heroine
- 21. reference to persons or events in the past or in literature

Down

- 1. the methods used to show the personalities of the characters in a literary work
- 2. the use of symbols (word, object, or action) to represent an abstract idea
- 3. an expression that says one thing but means something else
- 5. the central idea, message, or meaning of a literary work
- 6. a statement that is deliberately exaggerated for effect
- 8. using figurative language and description to convey mental images that appeal to our senses
- 9. the character or force against which the main character struggles in a literary work
- 10. the series of events that happen in a literary work
- 12. the arrangement of words in sentences
- 13. the repetition of a consonant sound at the beginning of a series of words
- 14. comparing two things by using the words "like" or "as"
- 15. the attitude of a writer toward the subject of a composition
- 18. the atmosphere or feeling created by a work of literature