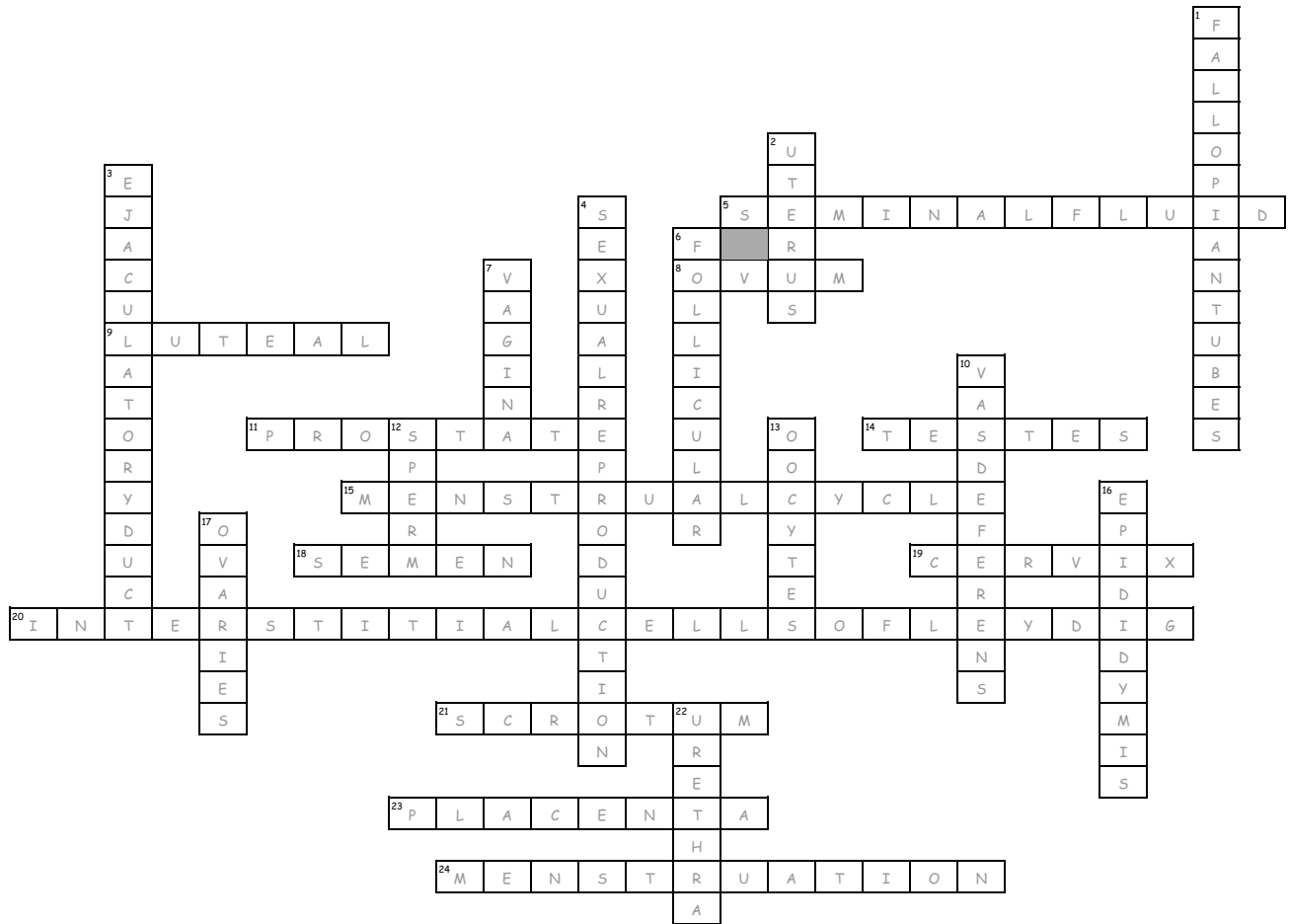


# Reproductive System



**Across**

- 5. Mixtures of fluids from the prostate and bulbourethral glands, and seminal vesicles
- 8. Mature oocyte that has been released by an ovary during ovulation
- 9. Final phase of the menstrual cycle
- 11. Gland that lies just beneath the bladder and prevents the flow of urine during ejaculation
- 14. Paired glands in the scrotum that possess both endocrine and exocrine functions
- 15. Series of hormonal events that begins during puberty, occurs approximately every 28 days, and ends during menopause
- 18. Thick, milky white substance composed of sperm and seminal fluid
- 19. Lower, narrow region of the uterus that opens into the vagina
- 20. Cells within the testes that produce testosterone
- 21. Divided pouch that surrounds the testes and supports sperm production and survival by regulating their temperature
- 23. Flattened organ in the pregnant uterus that nourishes the developing fetus
- 24. Periodic discharge of the endometrial lining from the nonpregnant uterus

**Down**

- 1. Tubes that serve as passageways for ova as they travel from the ovaries toward the uterus
- 2. Hollow pear-shaped organ that receives the fertilized ovum and from which menses flows if pregnancy does not occur
- 3. Short tube that passes through the prostate to join the urethra
- 4. Process by which male sex cells and female sex cells unite to create a new organism
- 6. First phase of the menstrual cycle
- 7. Canal that extends from the cervix to outside of the body
- 10. Tube that connects the epididymis to the ejaculatory duct
- 12. Sex cells that carry genetic information from the male that produced them
- 13. Sex cells that carry genetic information from the woman who produced them
- 16. Tightly coiled comma-shaped tube that lies behind and on top of each testicle
- 17. Paired glands located lateral to the uterus that possess both endocrine and exocrine functions
- 22. Tube located below the bladder that transports both semen and urine