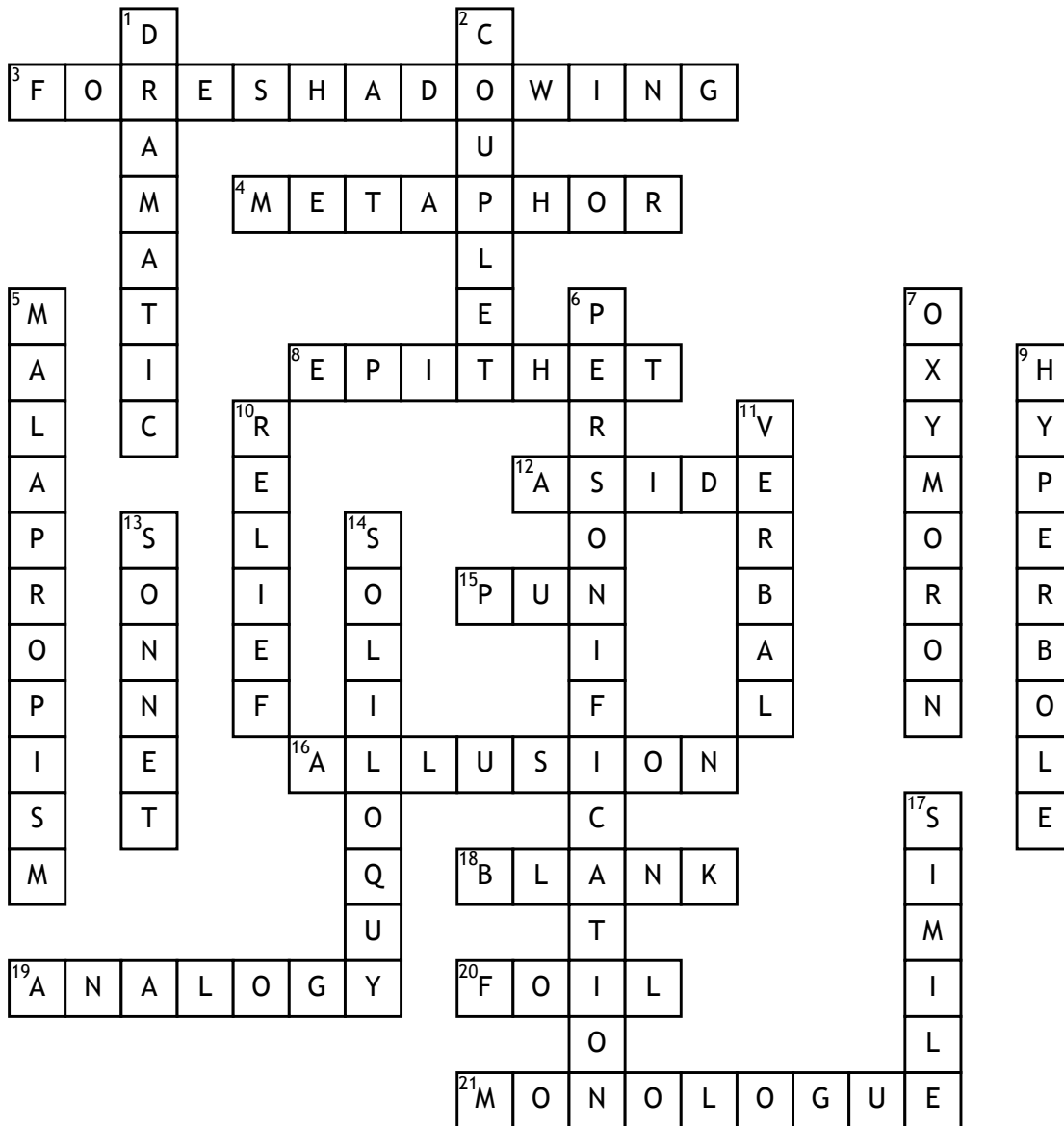


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Across

3. The use of hints or clues to suggest what is to come
4. Comparison between two unlike things; does NOT use like or as
8. A descriptive adjective or phrase used to characterize a person
12. A short speech made by a character to others on the stage or to the audience
15. A play on words
16. a reference in one work of literature to a person, place, or event in another work of literature or in history, art, or music
18. unrhymed iambic pentameter: _____ Verse

19. an extended comparison showing the similarities between two things

20. Opposite characters

21. A long speech by a character to other characters on the stage

Down

1. contrast between what the audience knows and what a character does not know: _____ irony
2. 2 consecutive lines of poetry that rhyme
5. The mistaken use of a word in place of a similar sounding one;
6. Giving human characteristics to a non-human thing

7. Combination of contradictory terms

9. Exaggeration

10. Humor in a tragedy that is intended to break the tension; comic

11. Contrast between what is said and what is meant: _____ irony

13. A 14 lined poem written in iambic pentameter

14. A long speech by a character who is alone on stage; tells the characters innermost thoughts

17. a comparison between two unlike thing; uses "like" or "as" to compare