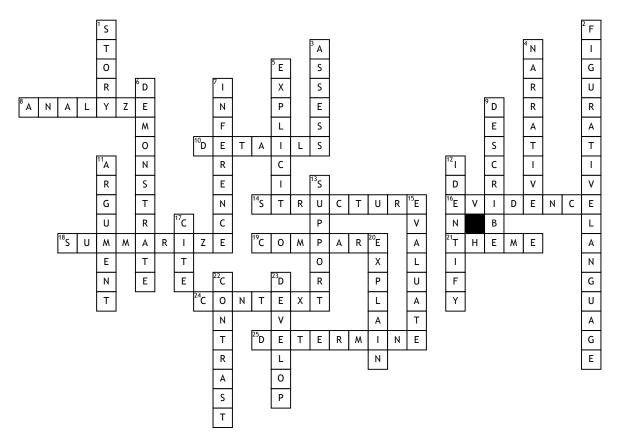
MCAS Words



<u>Across</u>

8. to break down into its constituents parts and examine them; determine meaning from10. elements that support ideas; smaller elements of structure

14. essential elements of something; the relationship or organization of component parts

16. that which proves or disproves; that which makes plan or clear. Facts.

18. to state or express in concise form the essential components of something, usually chronologically

19. examine in order to note likenesses between two things or what they have in common

21. a unifying or dominant idea or motif. Often the answer to the question, "What did I learn?" 24. the parts of a written or a spoken statement that precede or follow a specific word or passage, usually influencing its meaning or effect; the set of circumstances or facts that surround a particular event, situation, etc

 $\ensuremath{\textbf{25.}}$ to decide or conclude through reasoning or observation

<u>Down</u>

1. the plot or succession of incidents of a novel, poem, drama, etc

2. based in figures of speech, usually metaphorical; not literal; expand meaning

3. to measure, to determine the amount of **4.** a sequence of events, experiences, or the like, whether true or fictitious

5. clear, leaving no room for interpretation, leaving nothing merely implied

6. to describe, explain, display or illustrate through examples

7. to deduce, to derive by reasoning; to guess, figure out or summerize from evidence9. to tell or show with written or spoken words; point out facts or details

11. a process of reasoning, a discussion involving different points of view, a set of reasons why something is true

12. to establish as particular by noting individual features or characteristics in isolation

13. to back up, justify your answer, opinion, or claim

15. to make a judgement, to set a value on

17. to quote specifically, recall20. to make clear or understandable to

others; make plain

22. examine in order to note the significant differences between two things or what they have in common

23. expand, elaborate; add details