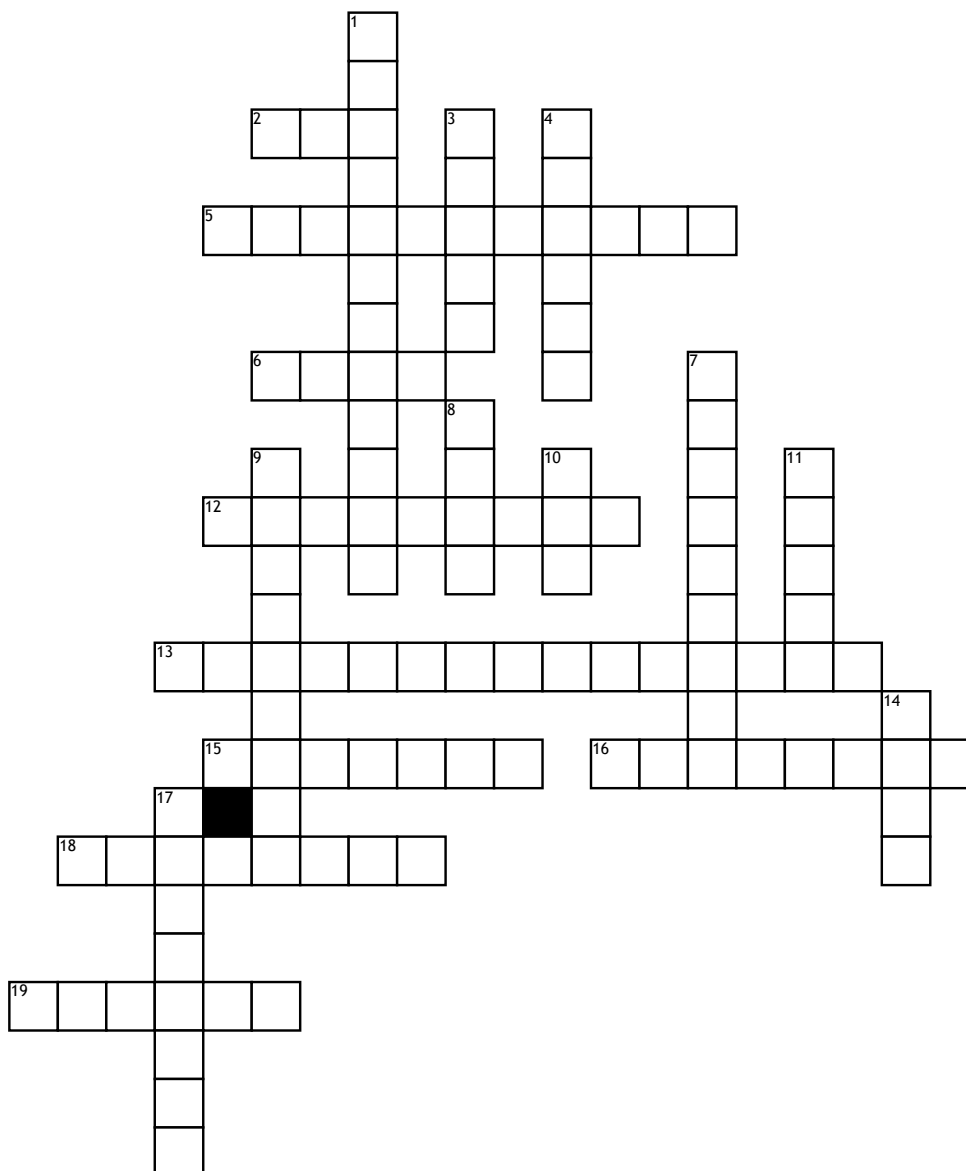


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Theatre Vocabulary



Across

2. A nickname for where the orchestra plays
 5. To block out a dance, or complicated action sequence (ex. swordfight)
 6. The team of actors and actresses performing in a production
 12. A long section of speech where just one person is speaking, commonly used in auditions
 13. Right or left according to the performer's position while facing the audience, UP STAGE is away from the audience and DOWN STAGE is towards them
 15. Giving actors/actresses their roles in a production

16. The first song that is played, it is all instrumental and includes melodies from later songs

18. Named after a street in New York City, this is a league of professional productions

19. Often used in auditions, where an actor/actress is given a prompt and they act out a scene, making it up as they go along

Down

1. A break that is approximately in the middle of the show that lasts anywhere from 5-20 minutes

3. To specify where performers should stand, move, and act while speaking their lines

4. A booklet that contains actor's/actresses' lines and actions as well as stage and set notes

7. An author who has written plays/musicals

8. An item for the actors/actresses to interact with on stage

9. a prestigious award given to professional plays, similar to the Grammys or an Oscar

10. The line before your line

11. A piece of the stage that extends over the pit

14. Anyone who helps with the production that is not performing

17. A type of audition where an actor/actress is given the script right before the audition, and is given a few minutes to prepare