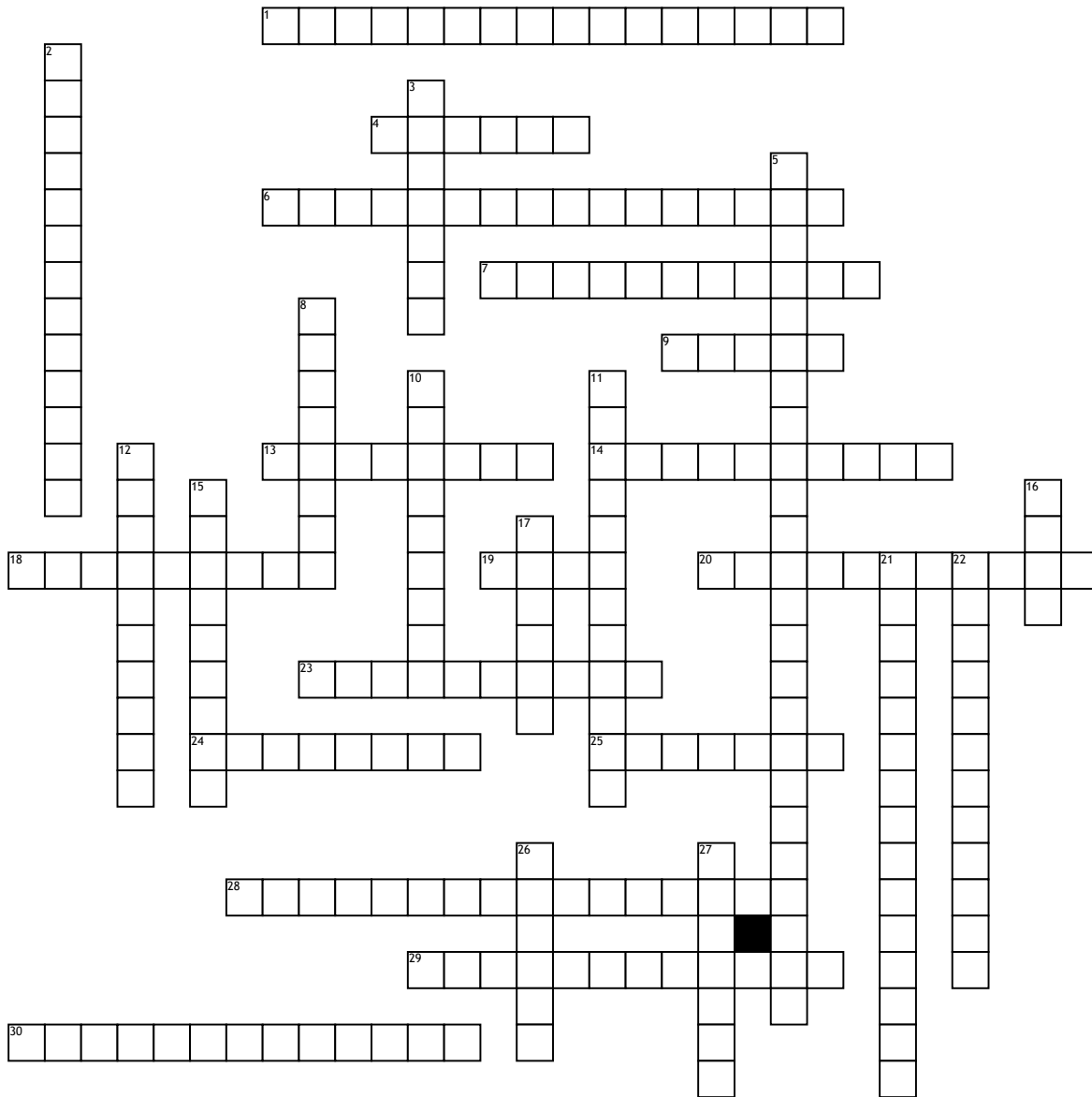


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Elements of Literature



Across

1. method an author uses to reveal a character's traits
4. an object that has its own meaning but also represents abstract ideas
6. when what happens is the opposite of what is expected
7. who is telling the story
9. a lengthy work of fiction
13. comparison where one thing becomes another
14. all-knowing; the person telling the story knows thoughts and feelings of everyone
18. repetition of the same vowel sound in words near each other
19. the actions of the story
20. person telling the story uses "I"

23. hints the author gives the reader about events to come
24. clash of thoughts, feelings, actions, or people in the story
25. language that appeals to the senses
28. the event that causes the problem in the story to begin
29. repeated consonant sounds at the beginning of words, usually in order
30. the events that happen because of how the climax occurs

Down

2. when the audience knows something the characters do not
3. a character that changes throughout the story
5. an author shows character traits through actions, feelings, sayings, thoughts, and other methods

8. uncertainty or anxiety about what we think is going to happen next
10. a wild exaggeration
11. use of words that imitate sounds
12. the background and introduction to the characters
15. time sequence of a plot that moves backwards in time to earlier events
16. emotional quality of a story that can affect a reader's attitude
17. the point of highest tension in the story
21. giving something that is not alive that is given characteristics of a human
22. the events that lead up to the climax
26. comparison using like or as
27. time, place, and atmosphere of a story