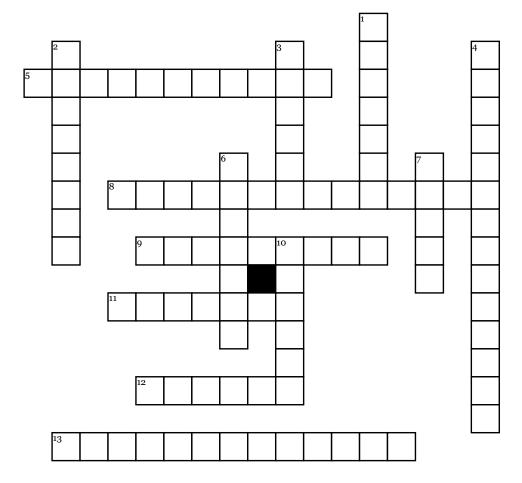
Endocrine System

Across

- **5.** causes bones to release calcium into the blood stream
- **8.** inner portion of a gland that synthesizes, stores and releases specific hormones
- **9.** known as master gland and sends signals to organs and other glands
- **11.** holds the eggs in women
- **12.** stimulates development to help prevent disease and only active until puberty
- **13.** outer portion of a gland tht produces steroid hormones

Down

- 1. helps regulate metabolism, brain development, muscle control, calcium and more
- **2.** organ that regulates blood sugar
- **3.** understands body's biological time



- **4.** These systems maintain conditions so homeostasis can happen and can be negative or positive
- **6.** a substance to regulate blood sugar
- 7. an organ that secretes chemical substances for use in the body
- 10. holds the sperm in men

