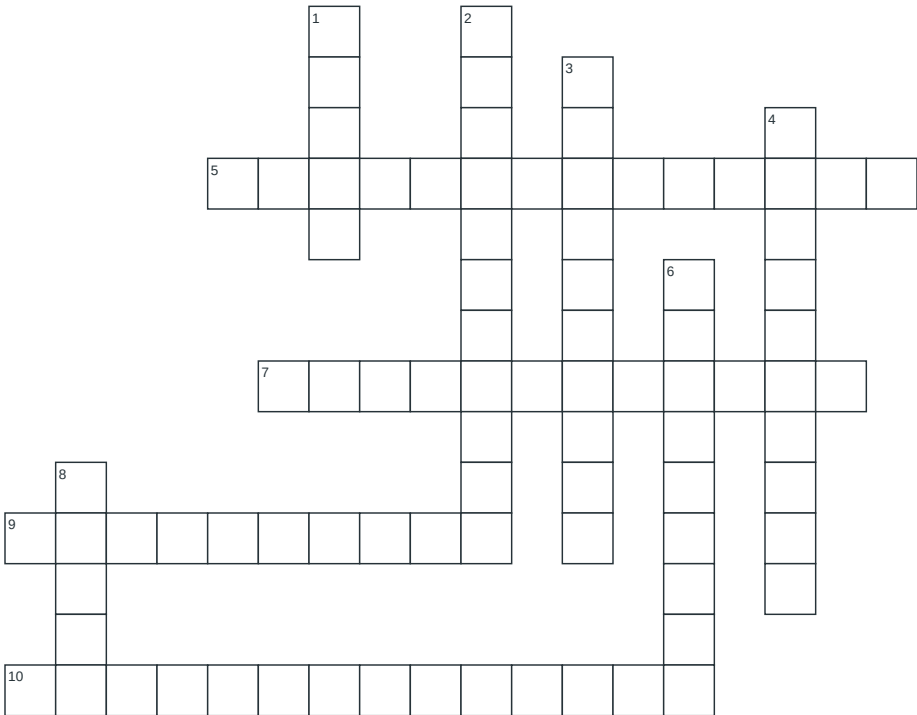


Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Easy | 10 clues | Student Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Use the clues to complete the grid. Omit spaces, punctuation, and hyphens.



ACROSS

- 5. Paired punctuation enclosing direct speech.
- 7. Punctuation normally ending a direct inquiry.
- 9. Ownership expressed by forms such as the teacher's desk.
- 10. Use of uppercase letters where standard conventions require them.

DOWN

- 1. Mark introducing a list after a complete independent clause.

DOWN (continued)

- 2. Shortened form combining words and indicating omitted letters.
- 3. Mark showing possession or omitted letters in a contraction.
- 4. Name of a particular person, place, or institution requiring an initial capital.
- 6. Mark joining related independent clauses without a coordinating conjunction.
- 8. Mark separating items in a simple series.

Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Easy | 10 clues | Teacher Answer Key

TEACHER ANSWER KEY

Completed grid and numbered answers. Spaces and punctuation are omitted in the grid.



ACROSS

5. Quotation Marks
7. Question Mark
9. Possession
10. Capitalization

DOWN

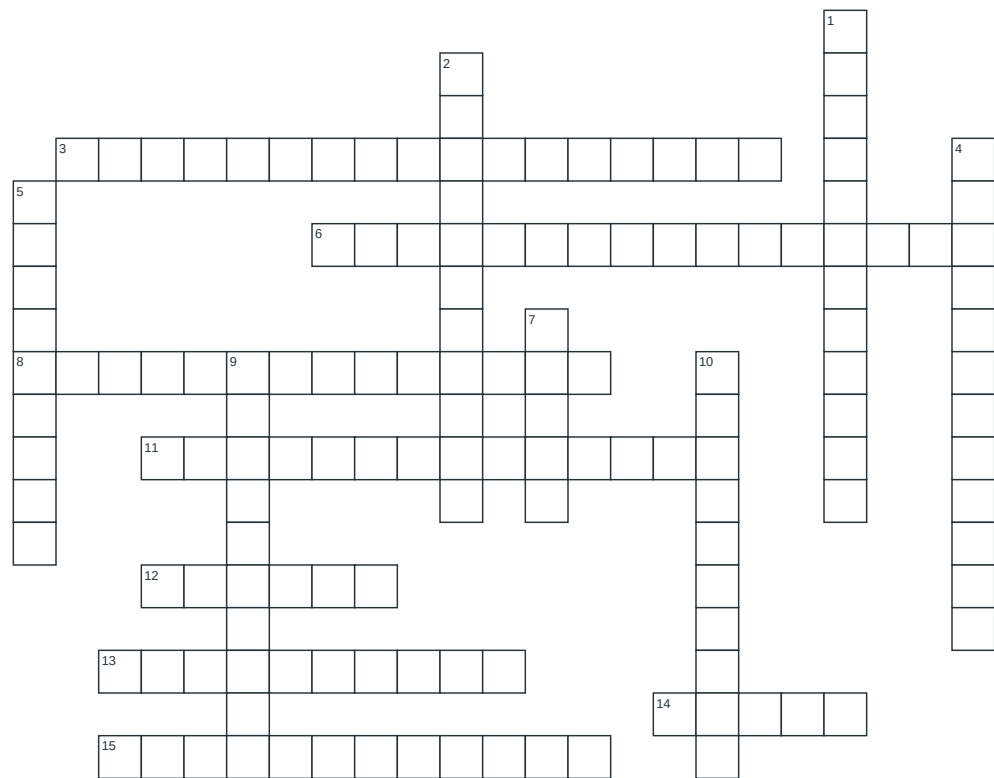
1. Colon
2. Contraction
3. Apostrophe
4. Proper Noun
6. Semicolon
8. Comma

Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Medium | 15 clues | Student Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Use the clues to complete the grid. Omit spaces, punctuation, and hyphens.



- ACROSS
- DOWN
3. Complete grammatical unit that can stand alone as a sentence.

6. Form showing that multiple people own or share something.

8. Use of uppercase letters where standard conventions require them.

11. Paired punctuation enclosing direct speech.

12. List of related items usually separated with commas.

13. Name of a particular person, place, or institution requiring an initial capital.

14. Mark introducing a list after a complete independent clause.

15. Exact spoken words marked with paired quotation punctuation.
1. Describes a removable phrase often set off with paired commas.

2. Shortened form combining words and indicating omitted letters.

4. Punctuation normally ending a direct inquiry.

5. Mark joining related independent clauses without a coordinating conjunction.

7. Mark separating items in a simple series.

9. Mark showing possession or omitted letters in a contraction.

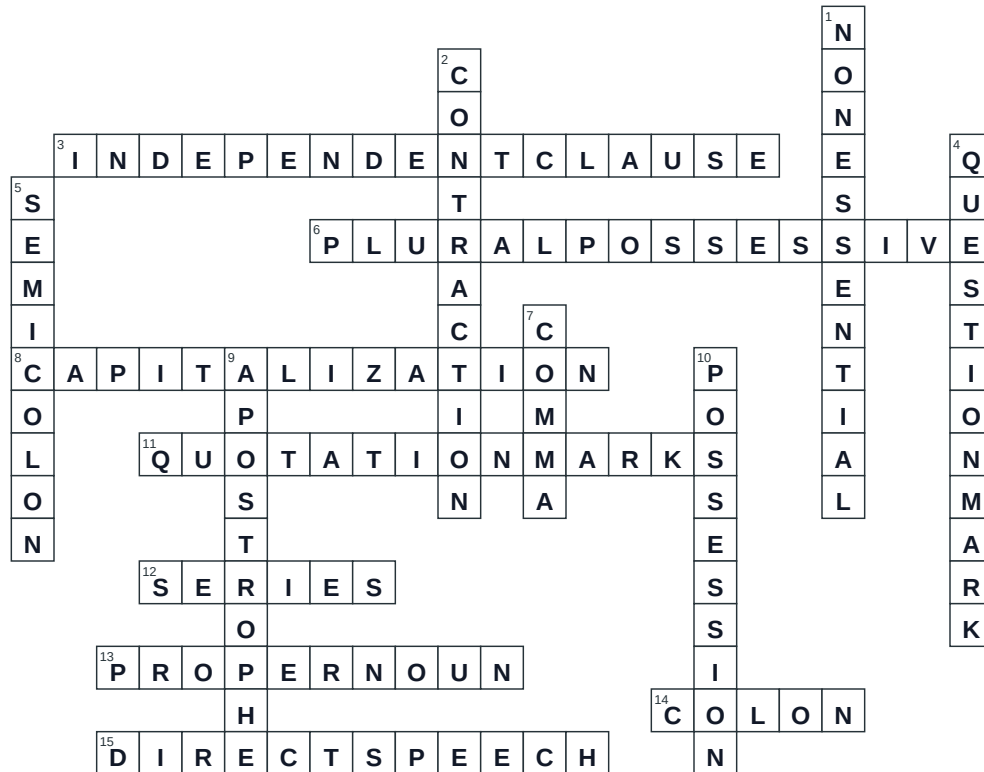
10. Ownership expressed by forms such as the teacher's desk.

Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Medium | 15 clues | Teacher Answer Key

TEACHER ANSWER KEY

Completed grid and numbered answers. Spaces and punctuation are omitted in the grid.



ACROSS

3. Independent Clause
6. Plural Possessive
8. Capitalization
11. Quotation Marks
12. Series
13. Proper Noun
14. Colon
15. Direct Speech

DOWN

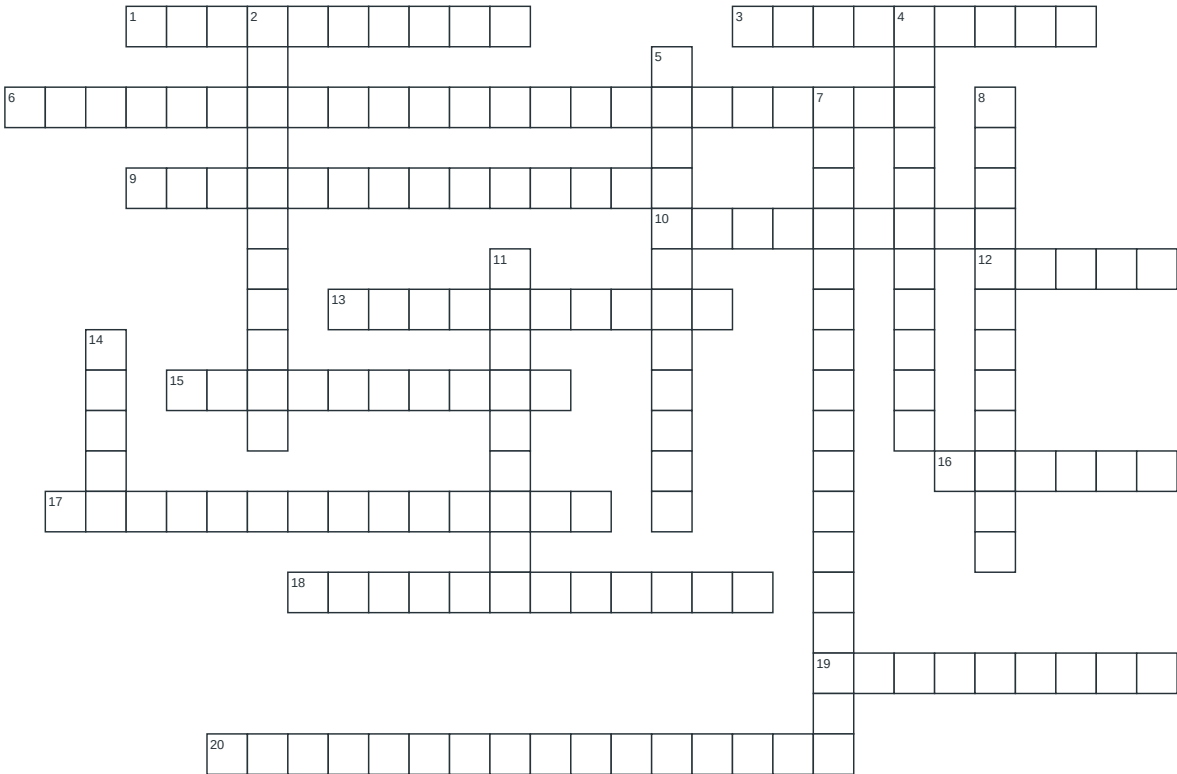
1. Nonessential
2. Contraction
4. Question Mark
5. Semicolon
7. Comma
9. Apostrophe
10. Possession

Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Hard | 20 clues | Student Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Use the clues to complete the grid. Omit spaces, punctuation, and hyphens.



ACROSS

- 1. Name of a particular person, place, or institution requiring an initial capital.
- 3. Mark joining related independent clauses without a coordinating conjunction.
- 6. Word such as but joining equal grammatical units.
- 9. Paired punctuation enclosing direct speech.
- 10. Capitalization convention often applied to headings and work names.
- 12. Mark introducing a list after a complete independent clause.
- 13. Ownership expressed by forms such as the teacher's desk.
- 15. Mark showing possession or omitted letters in a contraction.
- 16. List of related items usually separated with commas.
- 17. Use of uppercase letters where standard conventions require them.

ACROSS (continued)

- 18. Describes a removable phrase often set off with paired commas.
- 19. Letter form used at the start of a sentence or proper name.
- 20. Form showing that multiple people own or share something.

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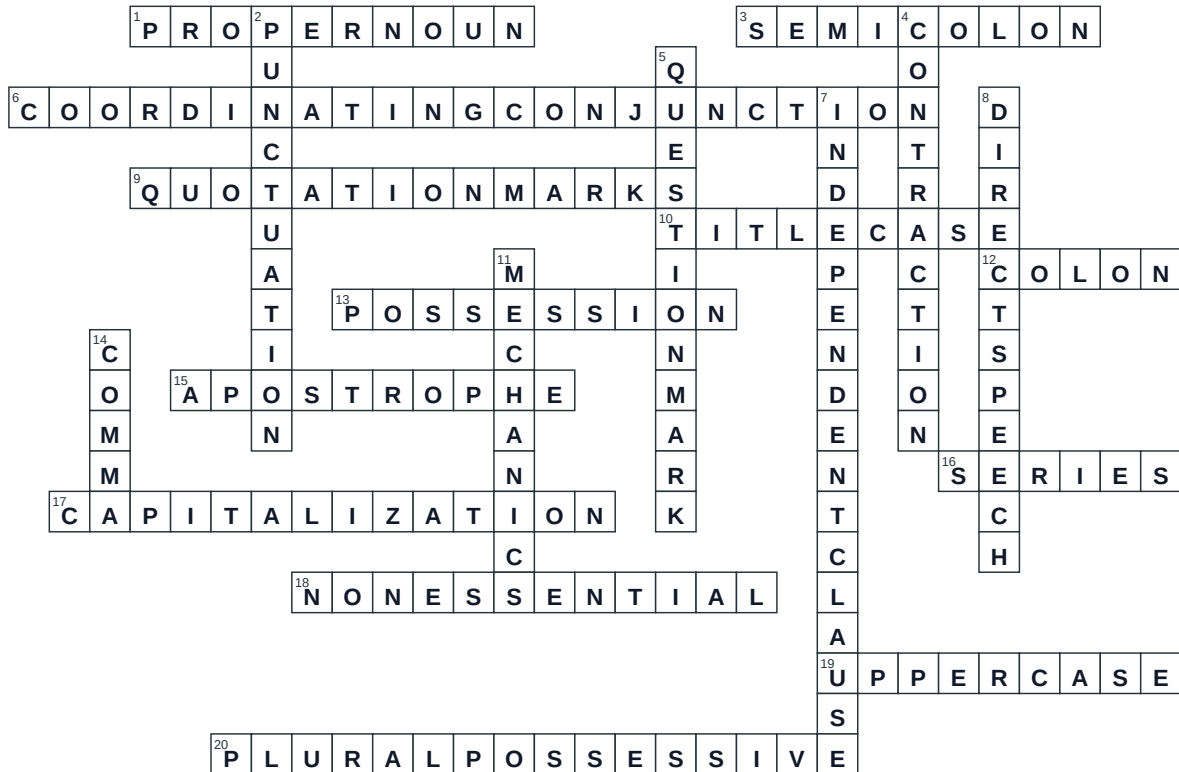
- 2. System of marks that helps organize written meaning.
- 4. Shortened form combining words and indicating omitted letters.
- 5. Punctuation normally ending a direct inquiry.
- 7. Complete grammatical unit that can stand alone as a sentence.
- 8. Exact spoken words marked with paired quotation punctuation.
- 11. Writing conventions covering spelling, capitalization, and punctuation.
- 14. Mark separating items in a simple series.

Punctuation and Capitalization Crossword

Hard | 20 clues | Teacher Answer Key

TEACHER ANSWER KEY

Completed grid and numbered answers. Spaces and punctuation are omitted in the grid.



ACROSS

1. Proper Noun
3. Semicolon
6. Coordinating Conjunction
9. Quotation Marks
10. Title Case
12. Colon
13. Possession
15. Apostrophe
16. Series
17. Capitalization
18. Nonessential

ACROSS (continued)

19. Uppercase
20. Plural Possessive

DOWN

2. Punctuation
4. Contraction
5. Question Mark
7. Independent Clause
8. Direct Speech
11. Mechanics
14. Comma