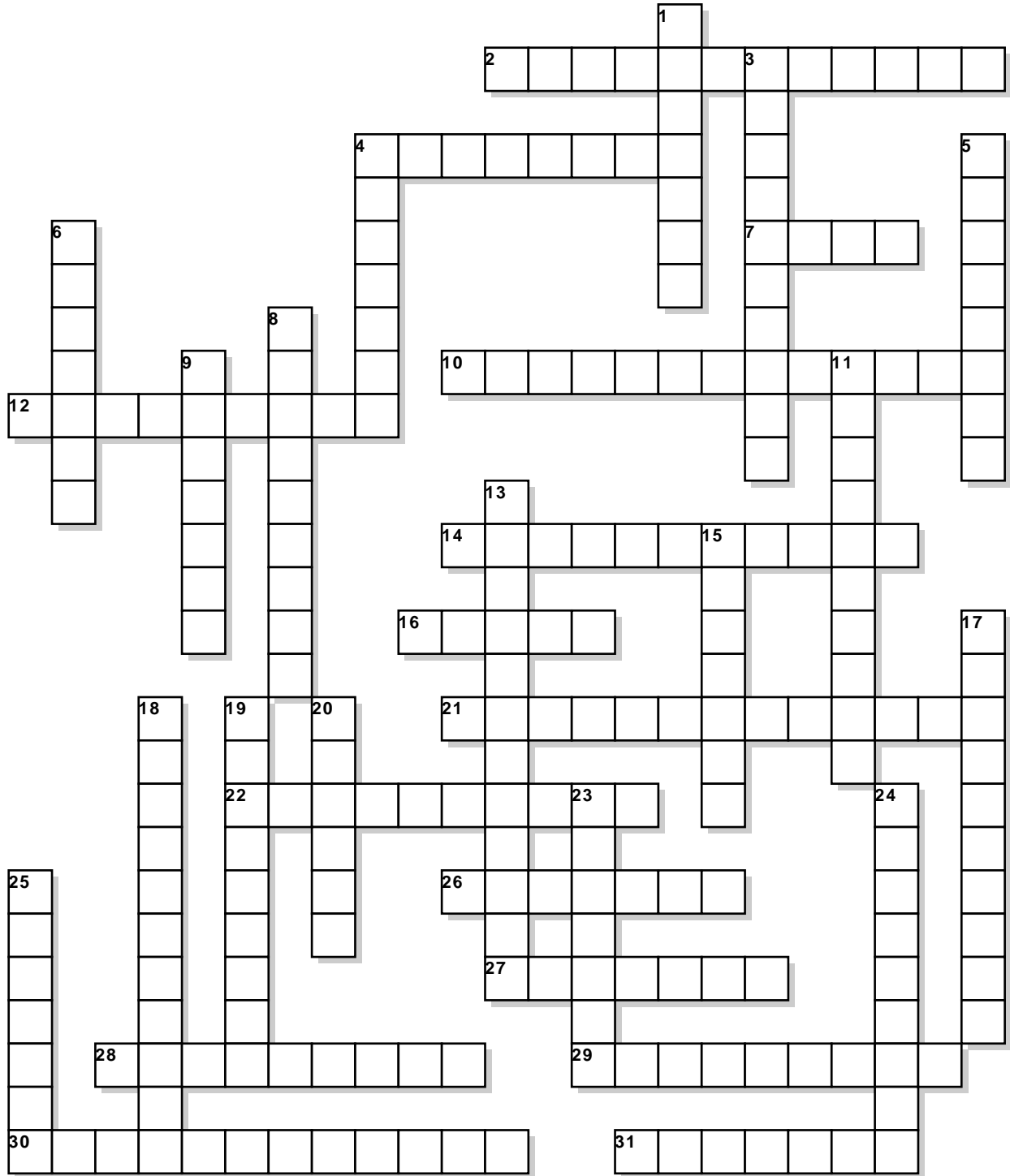


# SAT Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle #5



**Across**

- 2 adj. disobedient, stubborn, defiant.  
4 n. person who lives for pleasure.  
7 v. to make fun of.  
10 adj. sharp-minded; using wise judgement.  
12 adj. sociable, especially when pertaining to eating and drinking; outgoing.  
14 adj. generous in overlooking insult or injury by others.  
16 v. to praise highly.  
21 adj. hardly noticeable.  
22 adj. only marginally connected to what is truly important.  
26 v. to strengthen; to support.  
27 adj. slave-like; involving very hard work.  
28 adj. having to do with sitting around a lot.  
29 adj. overflowing with good spirits and vitality.  
30 adj. relating to the same time period; modern.  
31 n. a collapse, failure, or breakdown that is often nonsensical.

**Down**

- 1 n. one who overindulges in drink and food.  
3 v. to frighten.  
4 adj. paying careful attention to.  
5 v. converge; fuse; to have different opinions join together.  
6 n. pleasing sound.  
8 adj. still; inactive; quiet.  
9 adj. overly careful with how money is spent.  
11 adj. vicious; wicked; showing a lack of fairness.  
13 adj. quarrelsome; bad-tempered.  
15 adj. unexciting; lacking taste and flavor.  
17 adj. full of bitter scorn.  
18 adj. showing little or no care or concern; apathetic.  
19 v. to show mild disapproval.  
20 adj. countless; a very large number.  
23 v. to lessen pain or conflict; pacify; to alleviate.  
24 n. artful ease with speaking.  
25 adj. wandering from place to place.

**Possible Answers:**

assuage, bolster, cantankerous, coalesce, contemporary, convivial, debacle, deprecate, disdainful, eloquence, euphony, extol, exuberant, glutton, hedonist, heedful, inconspicuous, indifferent, iniquitous, insipid, intimidate, magnanimous, miserly, mock, myriad, nomadic, peripheral, perspicacious, quiescent, recalcitrant, sedentary, slavish