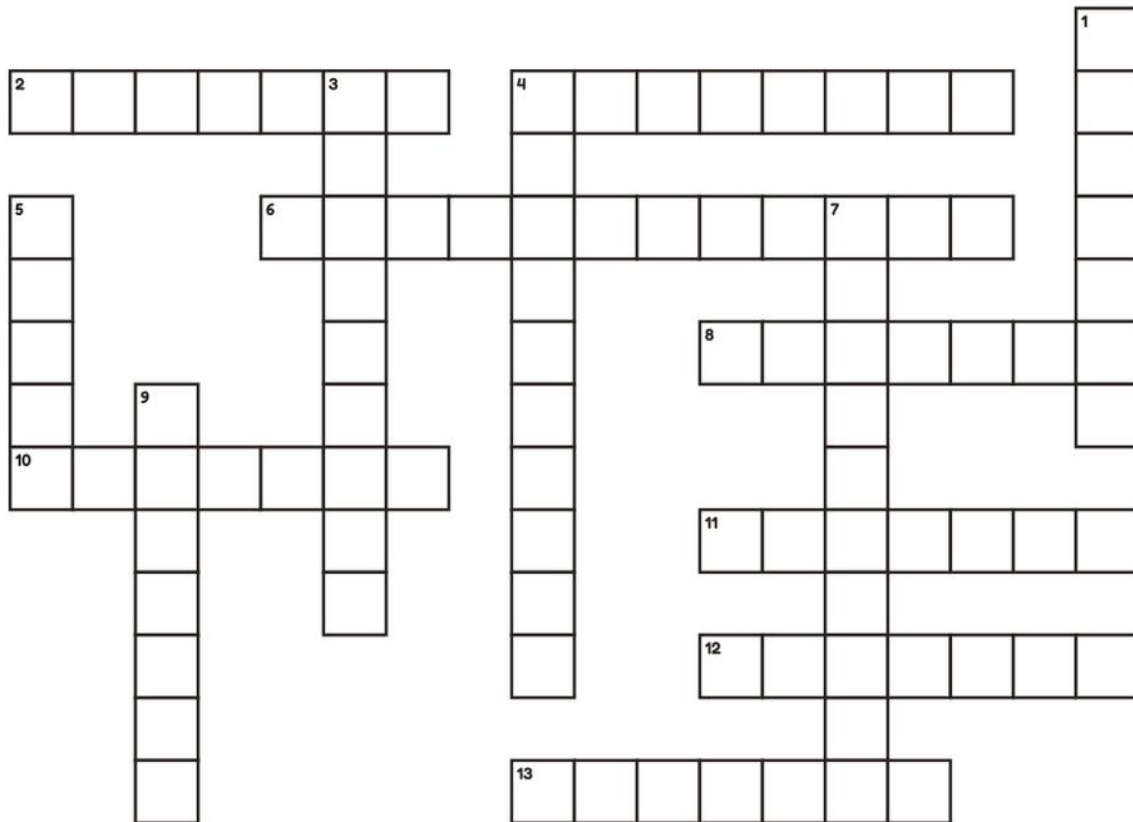


HALLOWEEN CROSSWORD

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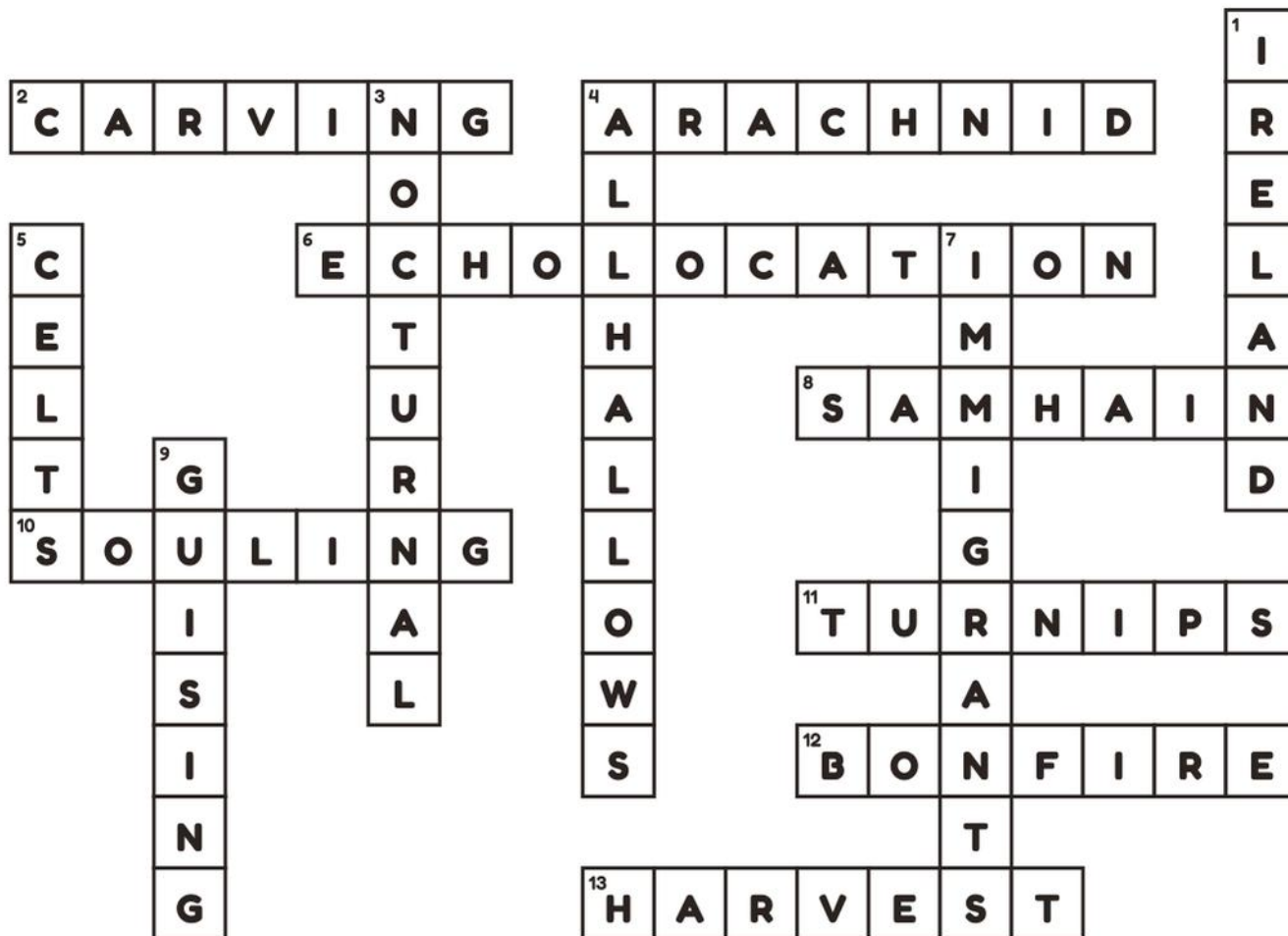
2. Cutting a face into a pumpkin
4. Spiders belong to this eight-legged animal group
6. How bats find insects in the dark using sound
8. Ancient Celtic festival that Halloween grew out of
10. Old custom of going door to door for "soul cakes"
11. Vegetables carved into lanterns in Ireland before pumpkins
12. Large outdoor fire lit during Samhain
13. Samhain marked the end of this season of gathering crops

DOWN

1. Country where many Halloween customs began
3. Describes animals, like bats and owls, that are active at night
4. ____ Eve, the old name that became "Halloween" (two words)
5. Ancient people of Ireland and Britain who celebrated Samhain
7. Irish ____ brought Halloween customs to America in the 1800s
9. Scottish custom of visiting homes in disguise, an early form of trick-or-treating

Answer Key

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- 2. CARVING
- 4. ARACHNID
- 6. ECHOLOCATION
- 8. SAMHAIN
- 10. SOULING
- 11. TURNIPS
- 12. BONFIRE
- 13. HARVEST

DOWN

- 1. IRELAND
- 3. NOCTURNAL
- 4. ALLHALLOWS
- 5. CELTS
- 7. IMMIGRANTS
- 9. GUISING