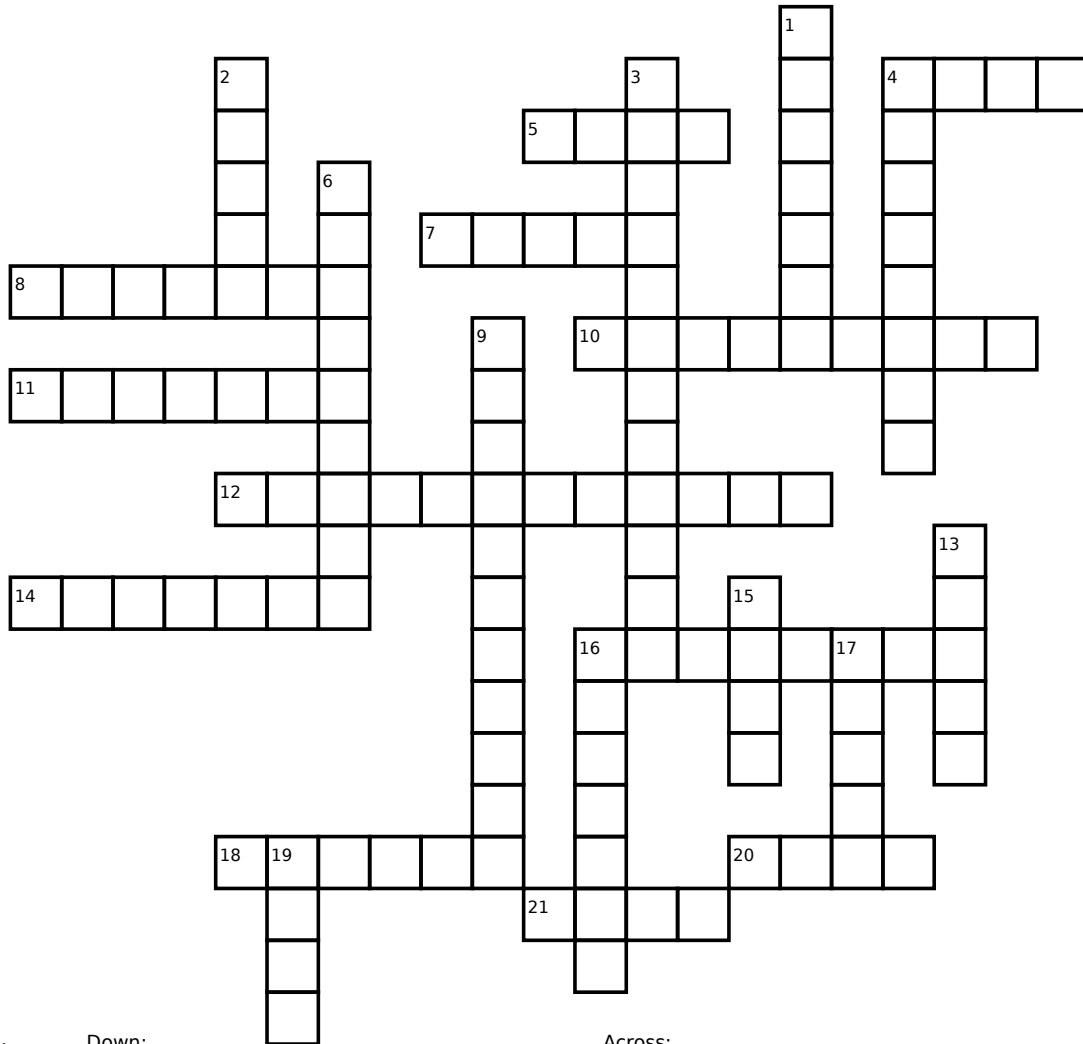


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## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



**Vocabulary Words**

- PLAYA
- CONQUISTADOR
- SWINE
- OÑATE
- MULE
- BUFFALO
- RIO GRANDE
- SETTLER
- PRAIRIE
- CROP
- COVERED WAGON
- NEW MEXICO
- AGRICULTURE
- APACHE
- PLOW
- WELL
- AQUIFER
- SHEEP
- HERD
- ANTELOPE
- OXEN
- MESQUITE
- SHEEP
- MIGRATE

**Down:**

1. to seasonally move from one region to another
2. a desert basin that can be either wet or dry
3. a common transport for the western settlers
4. a spiny tree or shrub that has edible pods
6. a river that starts in the Rocky Mountains and flows to the Gulf of Mexico
9. the practice of farming and growing crops
13. an animal with thick woolly coat
15. a large group of animals
16. an underground layer of water
17. an explorer and conquistador in New Mexico
19. a bladed farming implement used for loosing the soil to prepare for planting of seeds

**Across:**

4. the offspring of a donkey and a horse
5. a cultivated plant that is grown as food
7. a pig
8. another word for bison
10. the 47th state in the U.S.
11. a person who moves to live in a new area
12. a Spanish conqueror in New Mexico
14. a large open area of grassland
16. a swift-running deer like animal
18. a Native American living in New Mexico
20. a bovine animal used to pull wagons
21. a shaft sunk into the ground to obtain water

\*no space between two-word answers

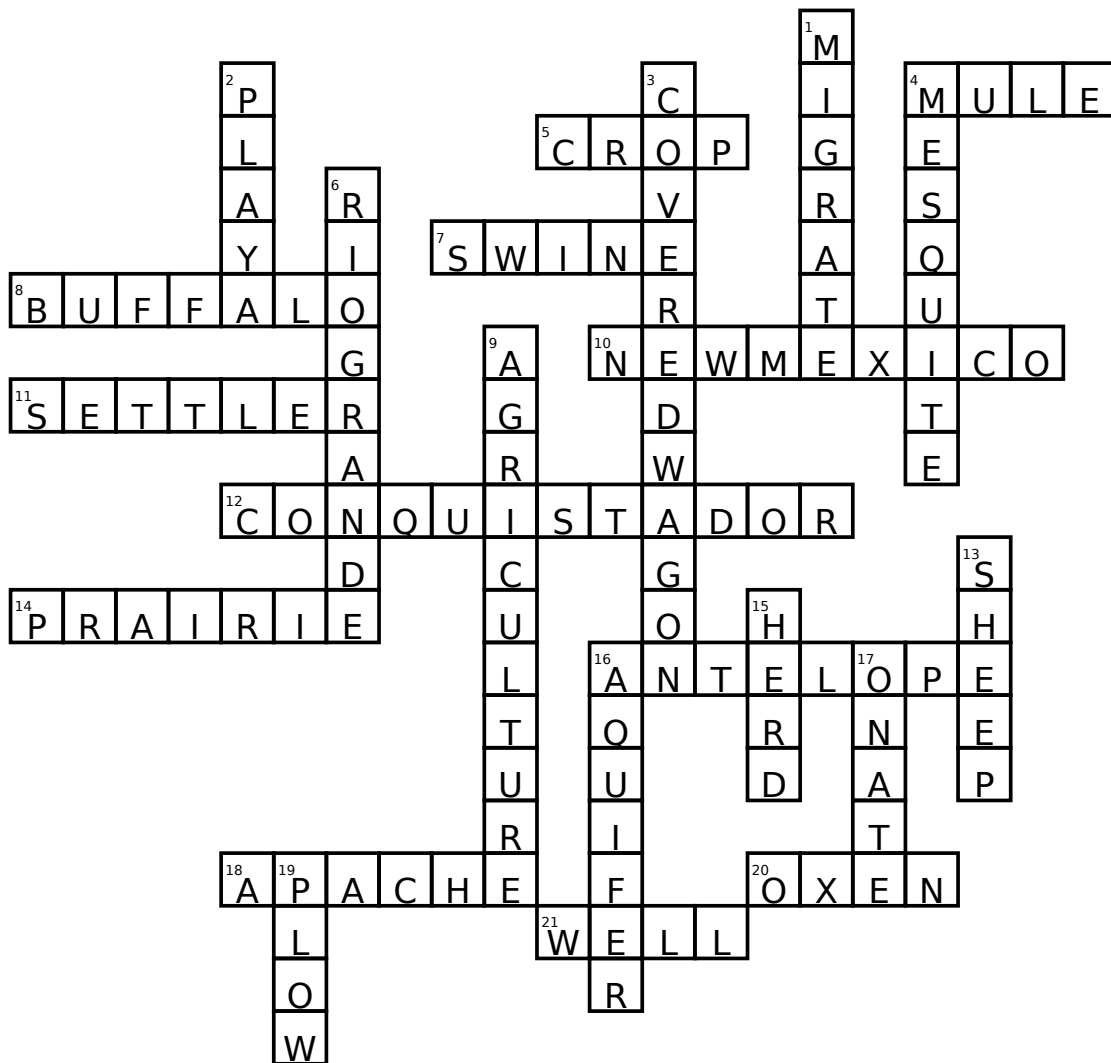


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