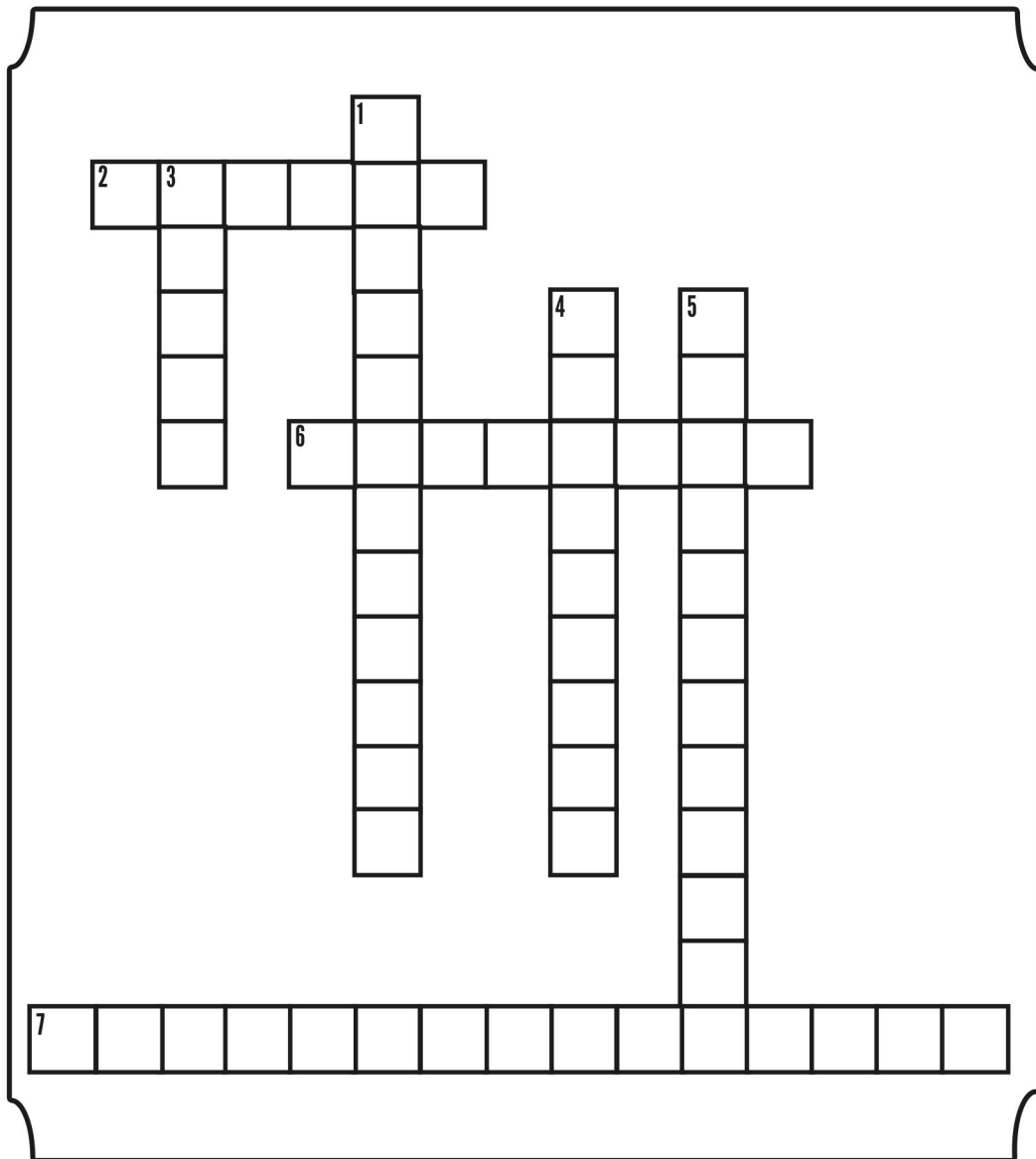


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# Figurative Language Crossword Puzzle

Can you work out the clues to this crossword puzzle? Each one has an example of figurative language in *italics*.



## Across

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6. Clothes are all she's interested in- *every day is a fashion show* for her.

7. The moon *peeped* out from behind the clouds.

## Down

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3. She's so clever at *reading between the lines*; she always gets top marks in reading activities.

4. Waiting on the hot beach for our turn to surf, we *boiled* in our thick wetsuits.

5. *Crash!* All the plates slid to the floor and smashed.



# Answers

## Across

2. No wonder your plants are wilting- *the soil is as dry as a bone!* (simile)
6. Clothes are all she's interested in- *every day is a fashion show* for her. (metaphor)
7. The moon *peeped* out from behind the clouds. (personification)

## Down

1. *Best button* up your *blazers* everyone- you want to look *perfect* in the *picture!*  
(alliteration)
3. She's so clever at *reading between the lines*; she always gets top marks in reading activities. (idiom)
4. Waiting on the hot beach for our turn to surf, we *boiled* in our thick wetsuits.  
(hyperbole)
5. *Crash!* All the plates slid to the floor and smashed. (onomatopoeia)