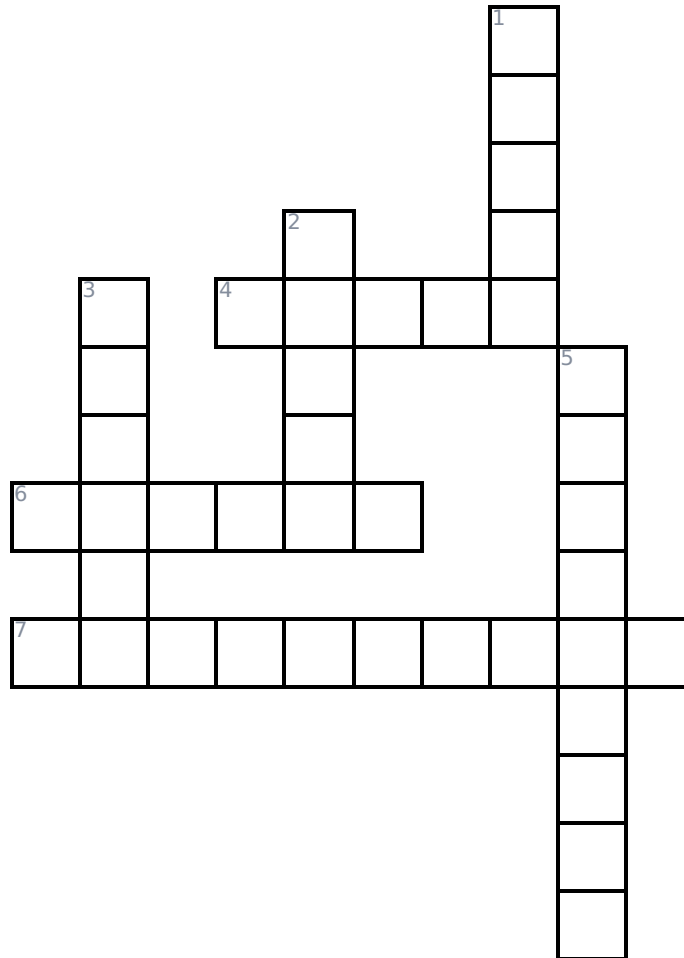


## Rickshaw Girl: Criss Cross

After reading *Rickshaw Girl* by Mitali Perkins use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



## Across

4. How many years could Namia's parents afford for her to attend school? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Naima's \_\_\_\_\_ is the only person in the family allowed to drive the rickshaw.
7. Where are Naima and her family from? \_\_\_\_\_

## Down

- 1. What is the name of the outfit girls and women wear when they come of age?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. What color handkerchief did Saleem use to signal when he wanted to play with Naima? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. What does Naima win awards for painting? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. What does Naima begin to learn how to paint in exchange for her father's repairs? \_\_\_\_\_

## Word Bank

WHITE  
FATHER

THREE  
BANGLADESH

SAREE  
RICKSHAWS

ALPANA

# Answer Key

