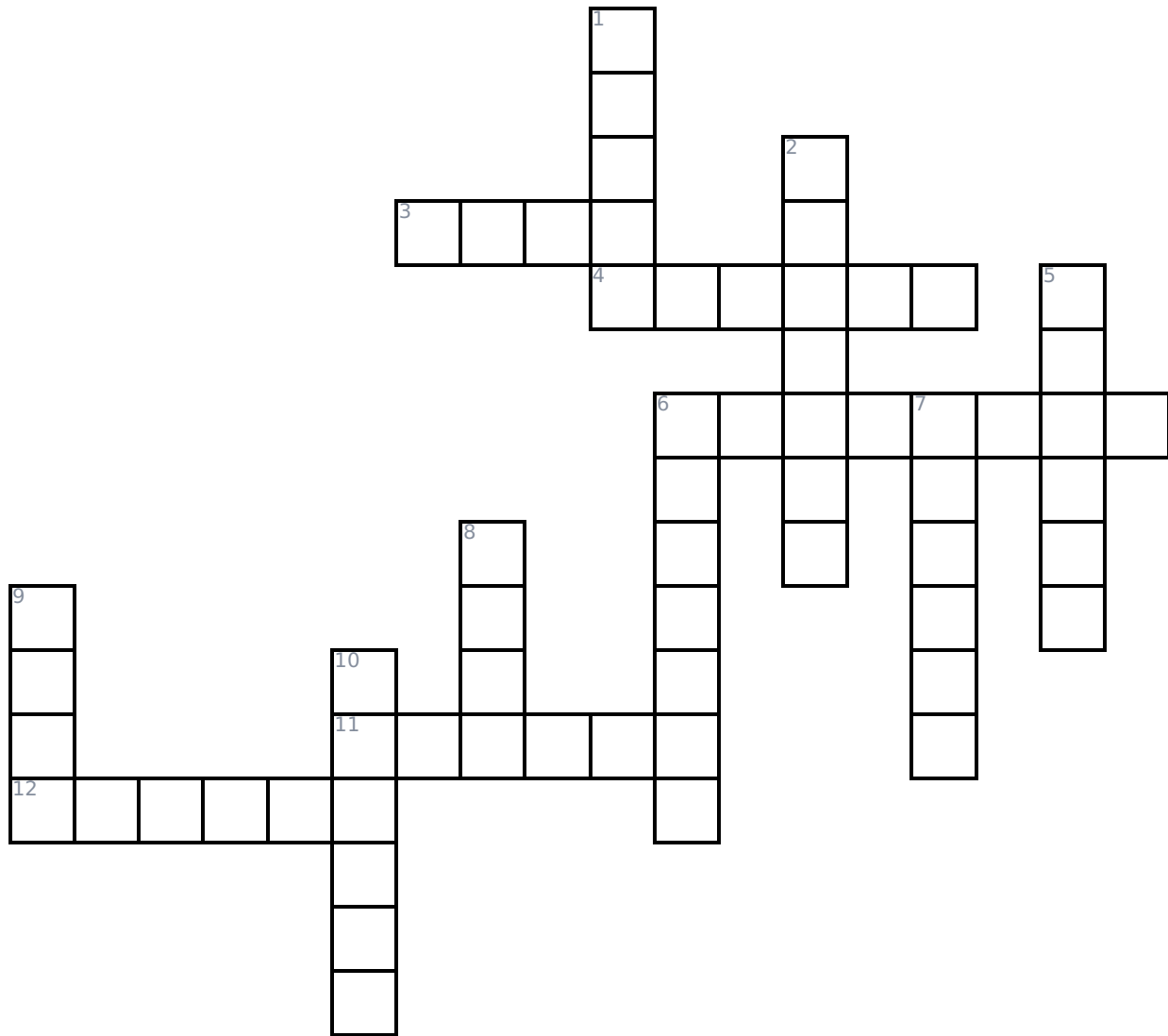


## From Seed to Maple Tree: Criss Cross

After reading *From Seed to Maple Tree* by Laura Purdie Salas use this printable and interactive Criss Cross puzzle. All clues relate to the content of the story.



## Across

3. This blows the pollen into the air.
4. Another word for germinate.
6. A very young tree is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Sticky yellow powder from inside flowers.
12. The hottest season of the year.

## Down

- 1. All trees grow from these.
- 2. Sugar maples grow yellow \_\_\_\_\_ in spring.
- 5. The coldest month of the year.
- 6. A young tree with a thin trunk is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. The trees \_\_\_\_\_ turn from green to yellow and red in the fall.
- 8. The season in which leaves fall from trees.
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ help pollinate the flowers.
- 10. The season after winter and before summer.

## Word Bank

SEEDS  
FLOWERS  
LEAVES  
SUMMER

SPROUT  
BEES  
WINTER

SEEDLING  
POLLEN  
SPRING

SAPLING  
WIND  
FALL

# Answer Key

