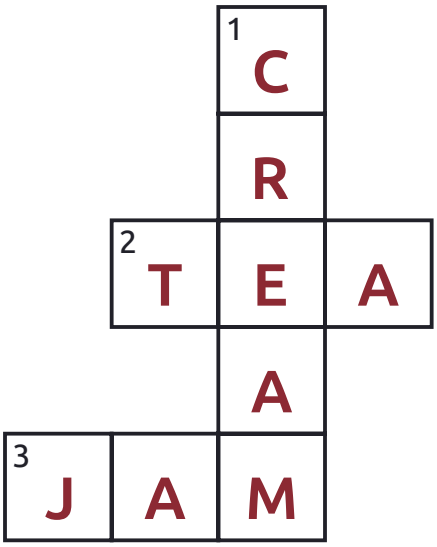
THREE FREE PUZZLES

How to Solve

- Each puzzle takes two pages: the grid, then its clues on the next page.
- Every answer starts in the square that carries its number. Across answers run left to right. Down answers run from top to bottom.
- Where two answers cross they share one letter, so each word you solve gives you a letter in another.
- A clue marked (2 words) or (3 words) fills the boxes without spaces: ICED TEA is written ICEDTEA.
- Start with the clues you know. Use a pencil. The answers are on the last three pages.

A SOLVED EXAMPLE



ACROSS

2. Hot drink with milk and sugar
3. Sweet fruit spread

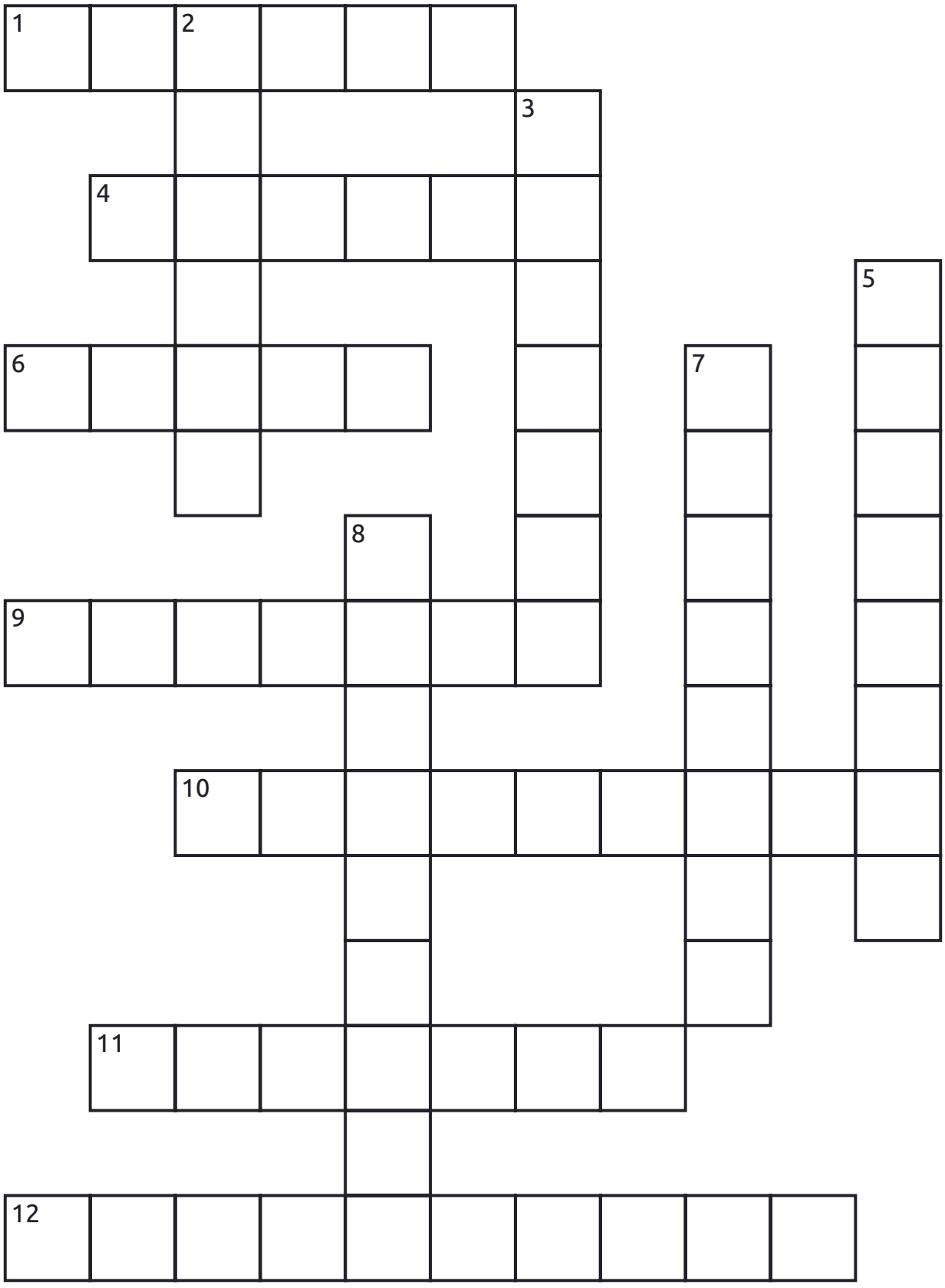
DOWN

1. Rich top of the milk

These three come from our Large Print Crosswords, 20 puzzles. More is coming.

PUZZLE 1

Tea Time



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Tea Time

ACROSS

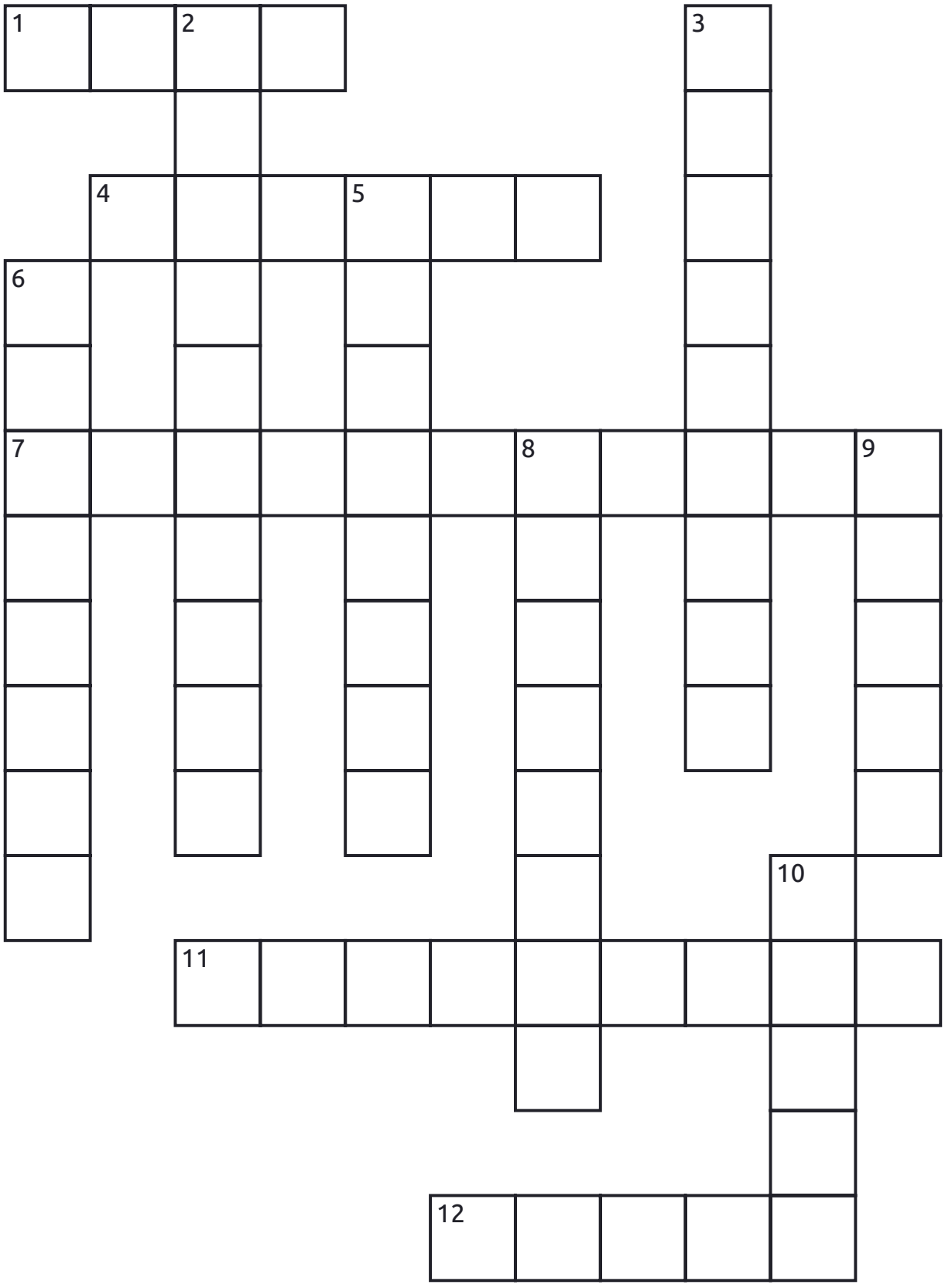
1. It whistles when the water boils
4. Small dish that sits under a cup
6. Small baked bun served with jam and clotted cream
9. British word for a cookie
10. Herbal brew made from small daisy-like flowers
11. Mesh ball that holds loose leaves as they steep
12. Tea grown in the Himalayan foothills of India

DOWN

2. Lidded vessel with a spout, for brewing leaves
3. Griddle cake full of holes, toasted and buttered
5. Black tea flavoured with oil of bergamot (2 words)
7. Cucumber ___, with the crusts cut off
8. Sweet lump lifted into the cup with tongs (2 words)

PUZZLE 2

Flower Garden



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Flower Garden

ACROSS

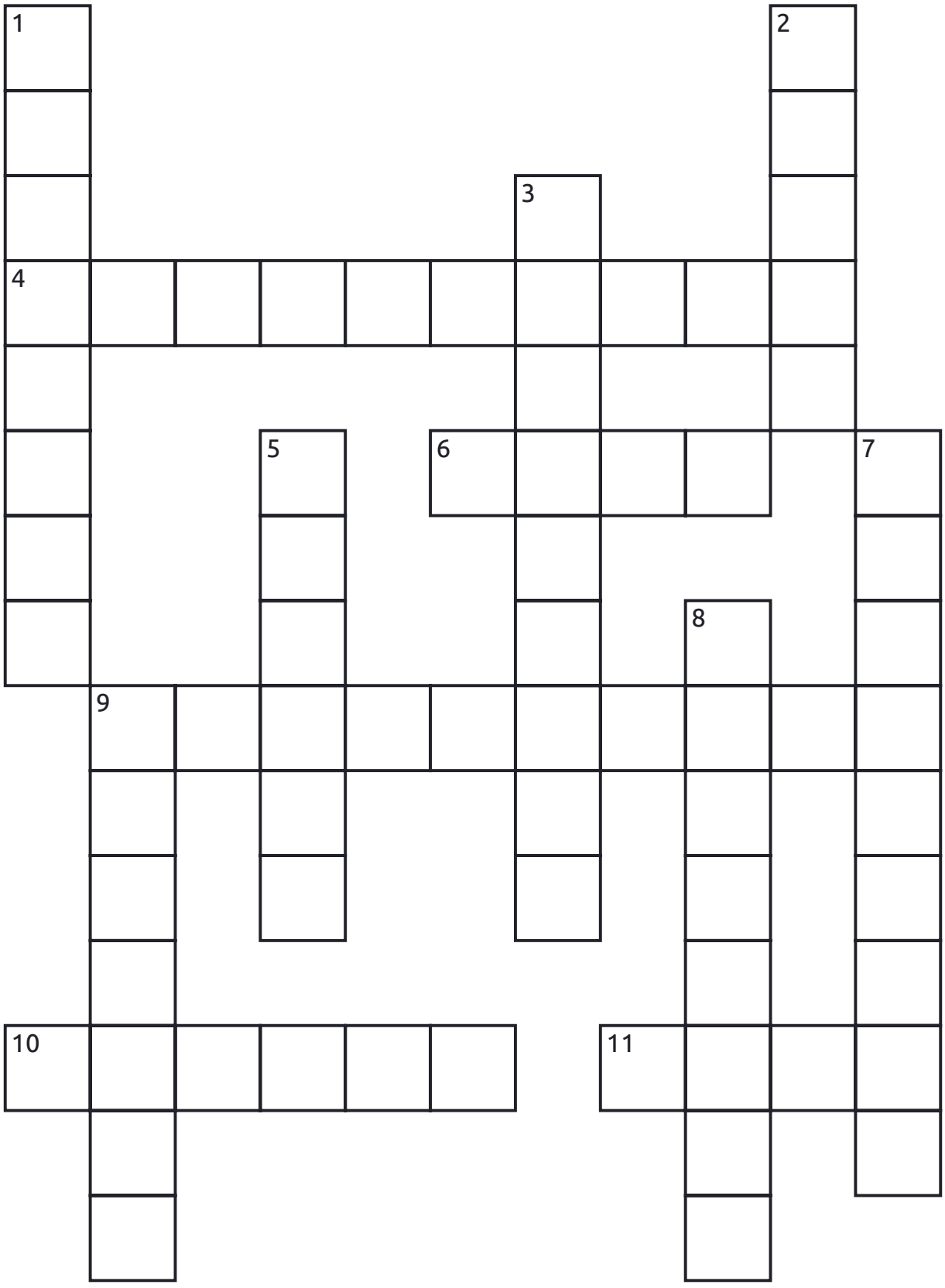
1. Thorny bush prized for its fragrant blooms
4. Late-summer bloom grown from tubers
7. Tiny blue flower whose name asks to be remembered (3 words)
11. Tall bloom whose seeds birds and people eat
12. Red flower worn on Remembrance Day

DOWN

2. Bloom that opens like a mouth when squeezed
3. Shrub whose blooms can turn blue in acid soil
5. Purple, fragrant herb dried for sachets
6. Yellow trumpet flower of early spring
8. Orange or yellow bloom often planted by vegetables
9. Cup-shaped spring bloom, famous in Holland
10. Big ruffled bloom whose buds often draw ants

PUZZLE 3

At the Seaside



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At the Seaside

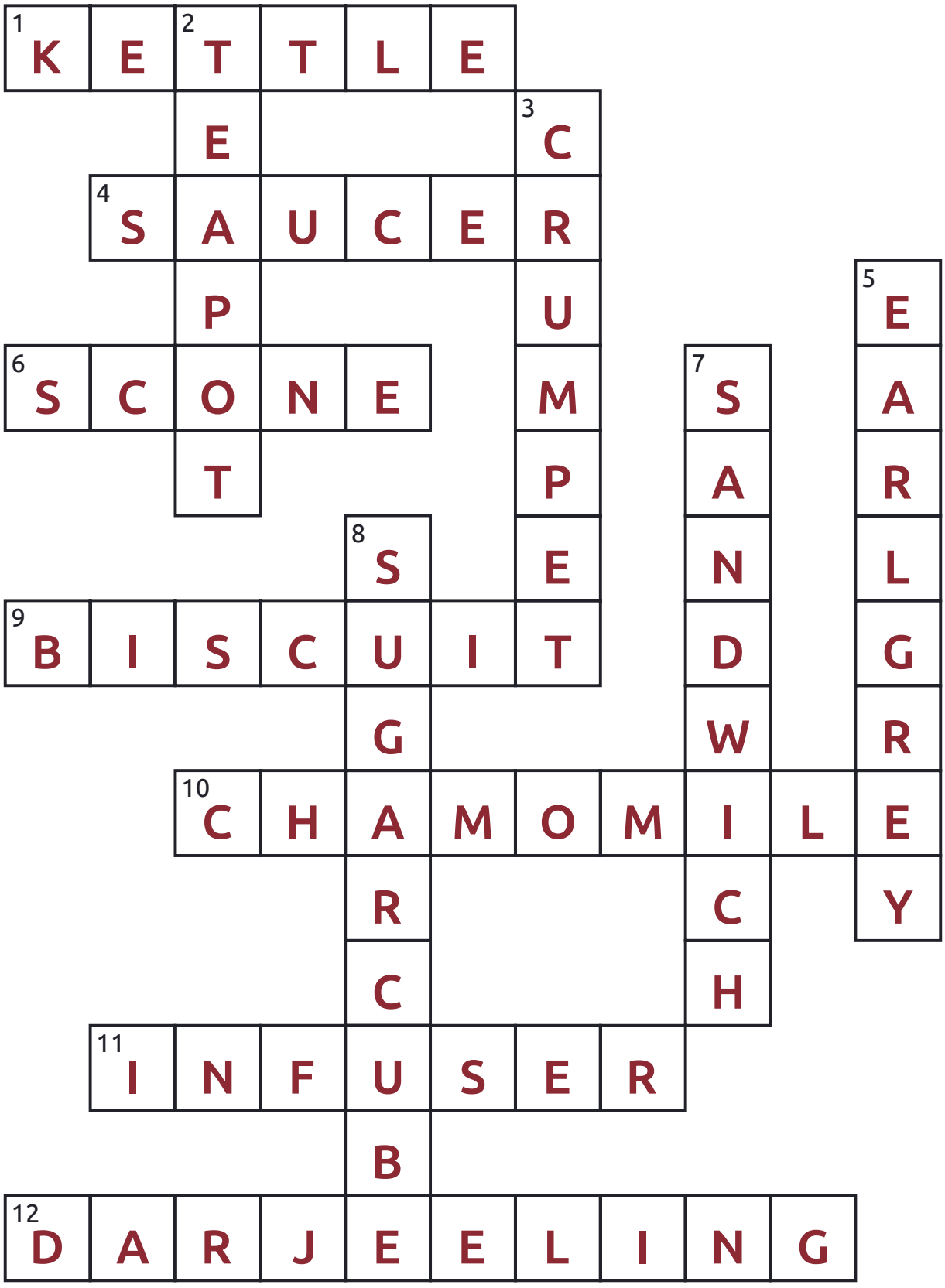
ACROSS

4. Tower whose beam warns ships off the rocks
6. It scuttles sideways on the shore
9. Beach building with a moat
10. Pail the children fill with sand
11. Walkway built out over the water

DOWN

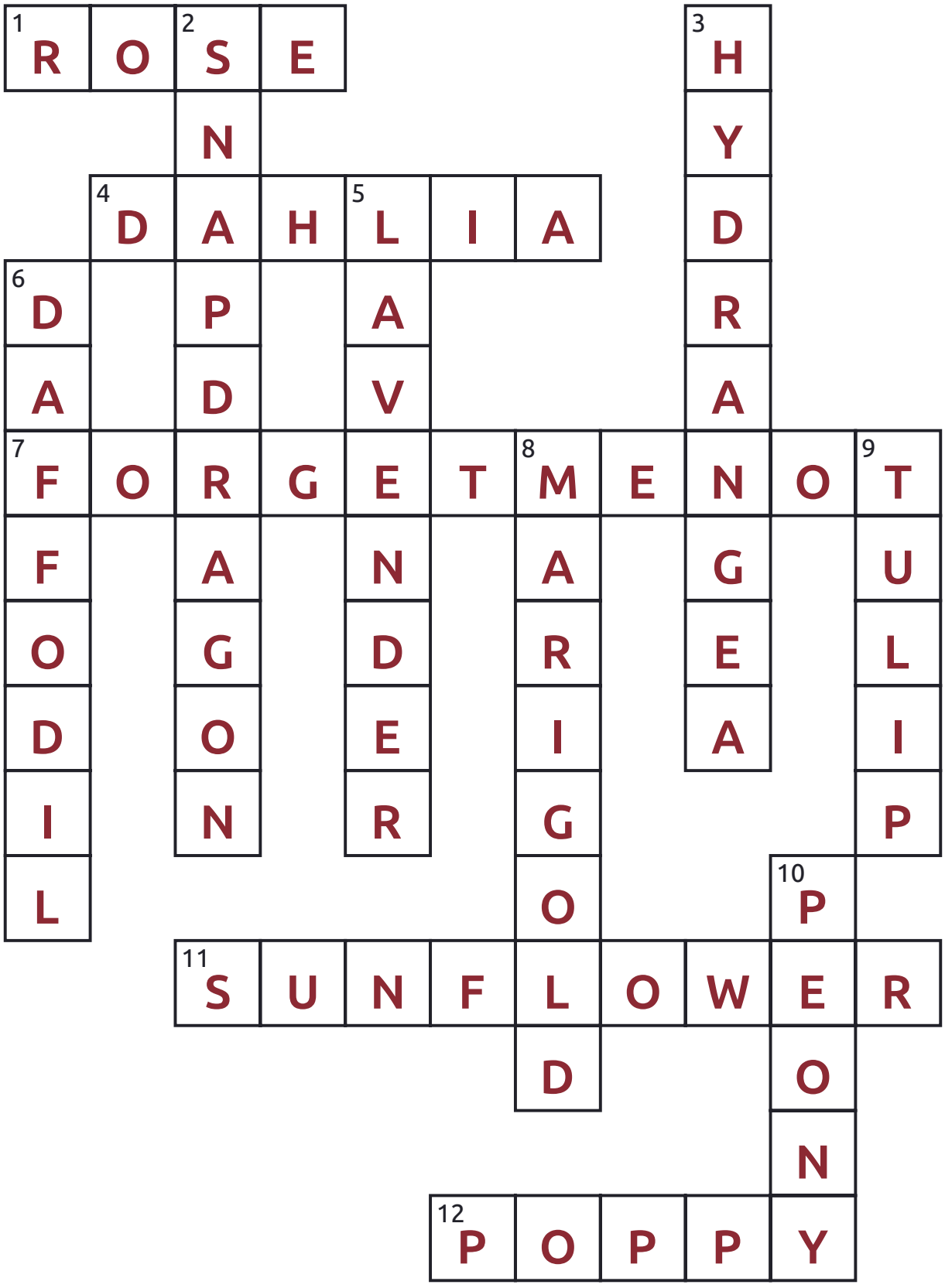
1. Vessel driven by the wind
2. Grassy sand hills behind the shore
3. Wooden promenade along the beach
5. Basket lunch on a blanket
7. Watches the swimmers from a tall chair
8. Five-armed creature of the tide pool
9. Noisy bird that steals your chips

Tea Time


1 KETTLE
2 TEA
3 CUP
4 SAUCER
5 EARL GREY
6 SCONE
7 SANDWICH
8 SPOON
9 BISCUIT
10 CHAMOMILE
11 INFUSER
12 DARJEELING

ANSWERS | PUZZLE 2

Flower Garden



ANSWERS | PUZZLE 3

At the Seaside