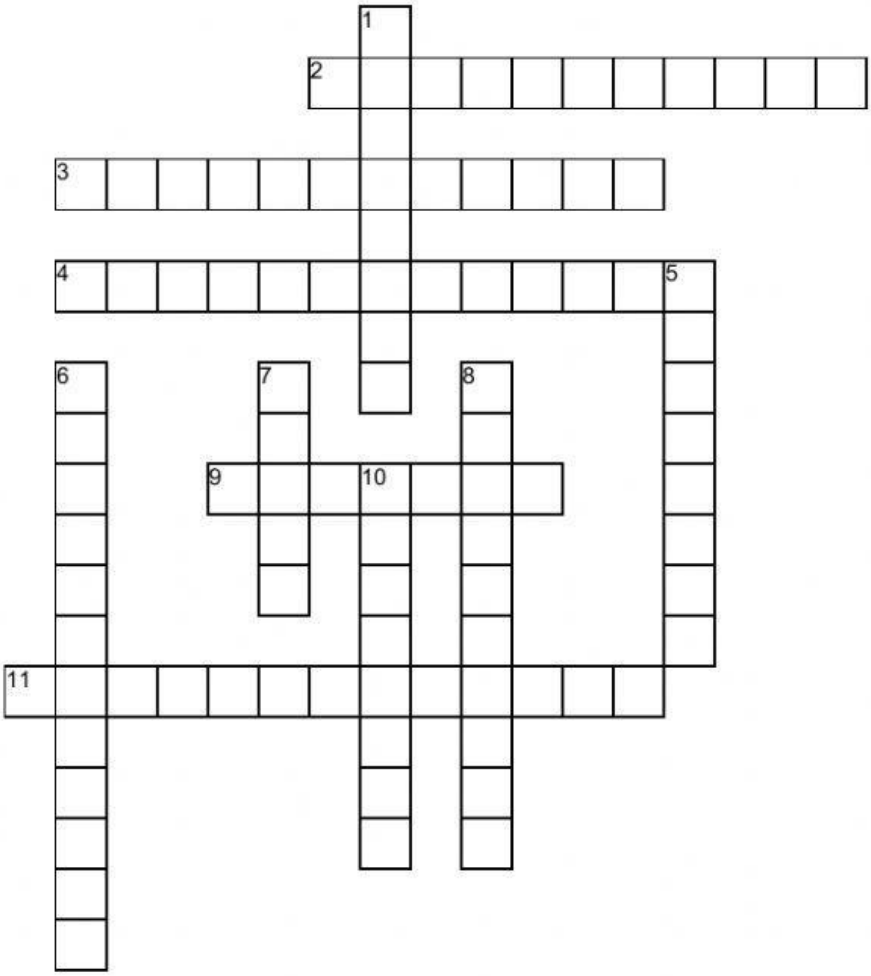
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Argument Essay Writing Terms



Across

2. words used to help readers progress from one idea to another
3. hook, basic information of topic, claim
4. introduces the topic of the paragraph
9. chain of reasoning that connects evidence to the claim
11. presents evidence to both sides of an argument

Down

1. using evidence to persuade someone to agree with you
5. facts or reasons that supports the claim: facts, statistics, examples
6. the opposite (opposing) position
7. the position that supports the argument; thesis statement
8. sum up important points, restate the claim
10. logical reasons for rejecting the counterclaim

Word Bank

introduction
evidence
argument
claim
transitions
argument essay
rebuttal
topic sentence
counterclaim
conclusion
warrant

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