

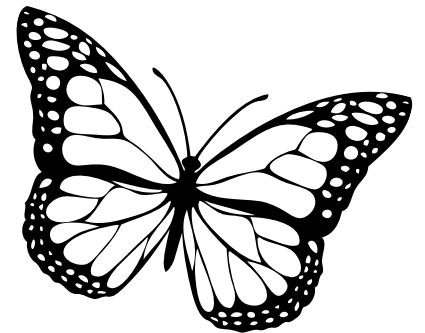
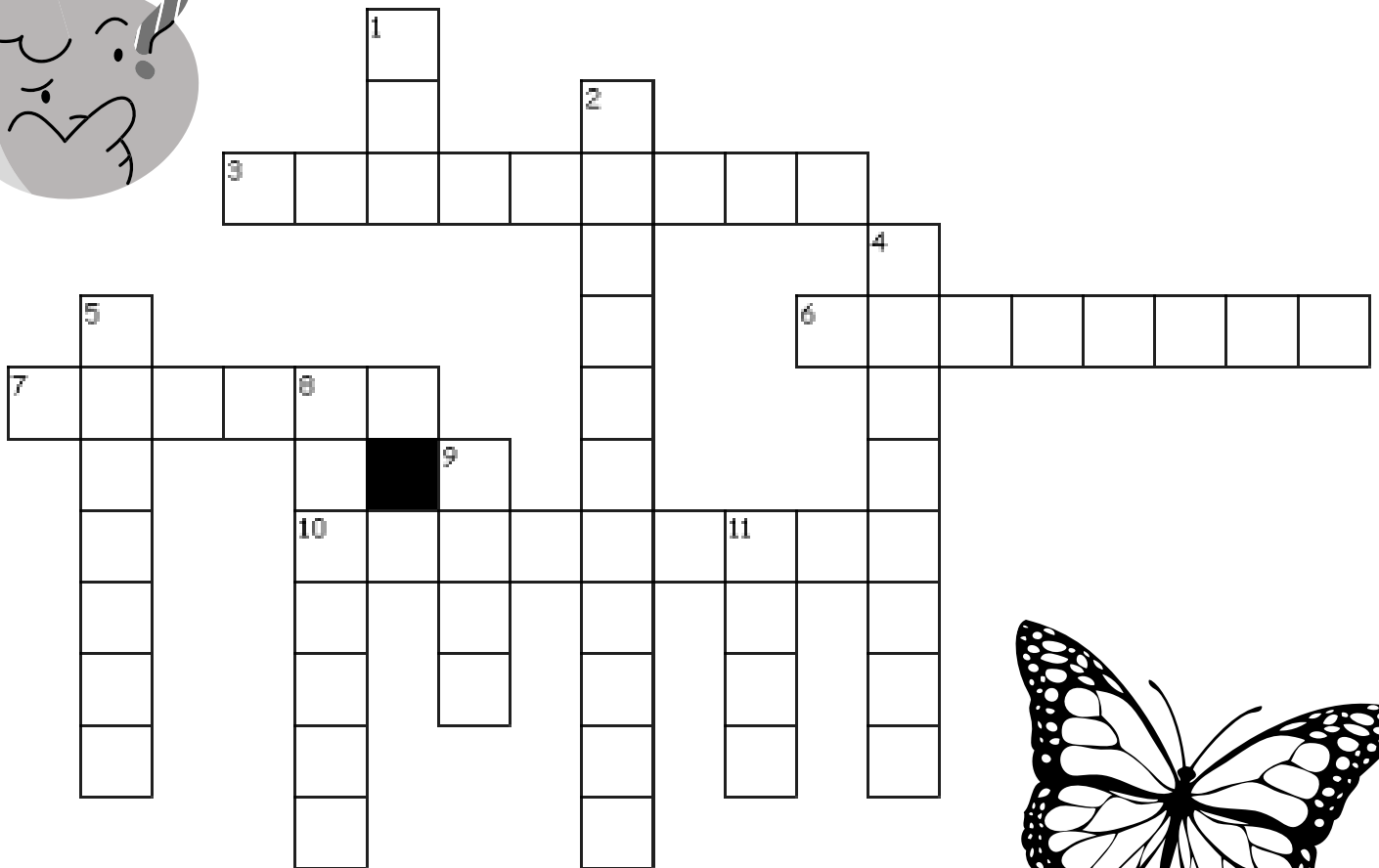


MAJESTIC VIEW

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Insect Investigations

Use the clues to name all the insects



Across

3. My wings can be gorgeous colors or well camouflaged for a pollinator!
6. I get a bad reputation for spreading diseases, but I'm a great food source for many other animals!
7. My wings are often a hard shell over my thorax and abdomen, even if I'm small or several inches big.
10. My name might imply I breathe fire, but I prefer to fly over water in lakes or ponds.

Down

1. I'm never invited to picnics, but my colony can have their own party in a hill.
2. Hopping through tall grass is my favorite thing to do!
4. My black and yellow colony makes sweet food to store over winter.
5. Wooden trees, fallen logs, and even houses are options on my diet, which makes me classified as a pest often.
8. My red wings and black spots are easily recognizable, but I can be toxic to some animals if they try to eat me.
9. In my hive, we can use our stingers many times to protect our young.
11. My jumping skills rival those at a circus for my size (which is small), and I can typically be found on mammal fur.