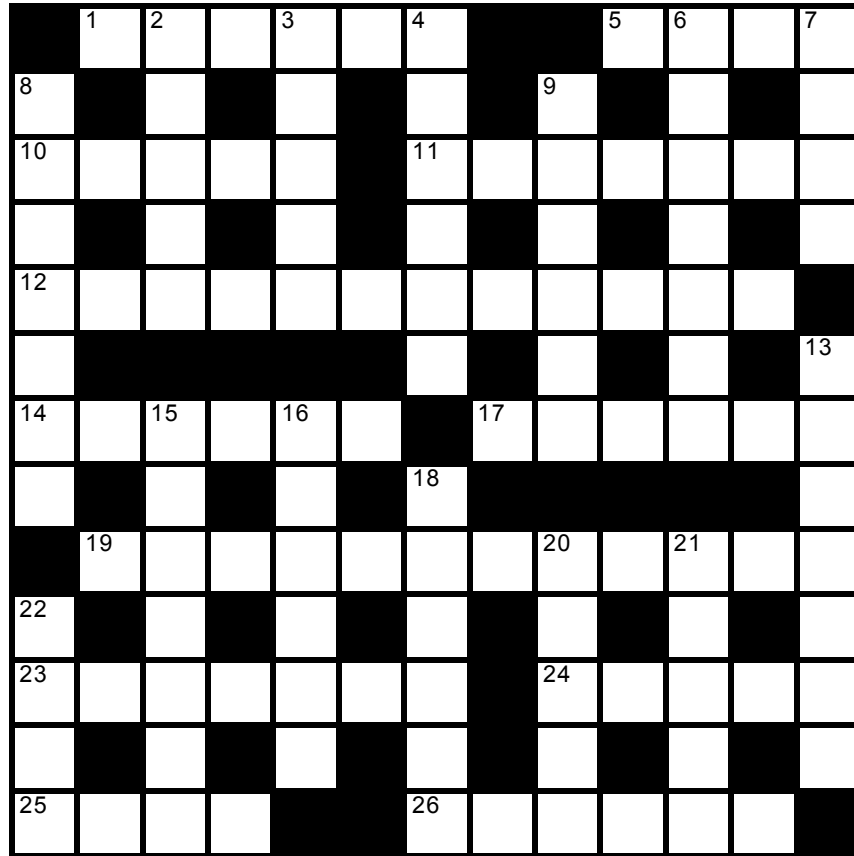


FROM A TO Z

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This crossword variety has 26 clues, each of which begins with a different letter of the alphabet. These letters have been removed and replaced by blanks. Transfer these letters into the correspondingly numbered squares in the grid which will help you know where to place the answers. Note that each of the 26 answers begins with a different letter of the alphabet, and it's never the same letter as the initial letter of its clue.



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| 1 ___rame of reference | 10 ___fficial on a gridiron, in slang | 19 ___oardgame that dabbles in the occult |
| 2 ___ong drink | 11 “___oker Face” singer Lady | 20 ___2 hit that was 2001’s Song and Record of the Year (2 wds.) |
| 3 ___ot as a group | 12 ___ake off, as a windbreaker | 21 ___ashboard counter (2 wds.) |
| 4 ___onorable, decent guy | 13 ___irkuk’s country | 22 ___uper Bowl XVIII winners |
| 5 ___nscribed | 14 ___zibit’s genre (hyph.) | 23 ___ake event |
| 6 ___ubaiyat poet Omar | 15 ___ideo game plumber | 24 “___OMG!,” in the ‘50s |
| 7 ___uiver | 16 ___mirate on the Persian Gulf | 25 ___oulash seasoning |
| 8 ___ab/bus hybrid vehicle | 17 ___oney invested in an account, e.g. | 26 ___ale yard |
| 9 ___mbitious city-dweller | 18 ___esuit missionary St. Francis | |