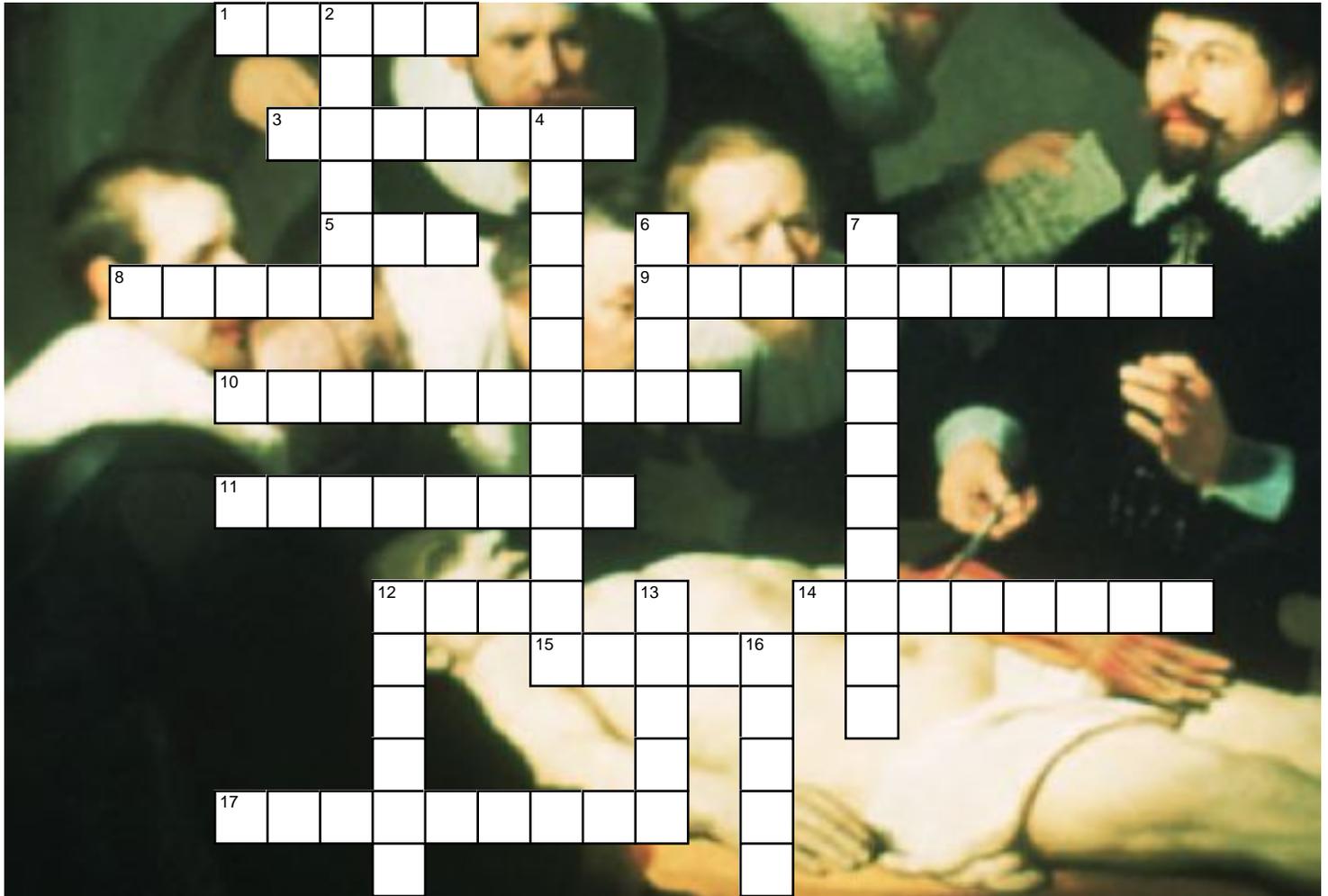


# 1.1 Living Things and Cell Theory



## Across

1. \_\_\_\_\_ are the basic units of all living things.
3. The background picture of this puzzle painted in the Netherlands in 1632 shows an early \_\_\_\_\_ lesson.
5. The ostrich \_\_\_\_\_ is the largest cell in the world.
8. When light passes through a curved surface it \_\_\_\_\_ slightly.
9. An organism can be as simple as one cell (\_\_\_\_\_). An example is a paramecium.
10. Lenses for \_\_\_\_\_ became available around the end of the 13th century.
11. All cells are created from existing cells through a process called cell \_\_\_\_\_.
12. A simple definition of \_\_\_\_\_ does not exist in the scientific community.
14. A \_\_\_\_\_ light microscope uses light focused through several different lenses to form a magnified image of an object.
15. The prefix "micro" comes from the ancient Greek word "mikros," which means "\_\_\_\_\_."
17. There are written references to the use of some type of \_\_\_\_\_ almost 2000 years ago.

## Down

2. Van Leeuwenhoek taught himself how to grind and polish \_\_\_\_\_ in order to make his own magnifiers.
4. Until the first \_\_\_\_\_ were built scientists had no way of seeing the smallest most basic unit of living things, the cell.
6. The earliest microscope was a \_\_\_\_\_ with a single lens at one end and a plate for the object at the other.
7. Before they developed \_\_\_\_\_ scientists believed in spontaneous generation.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ things are made of cells.
13. A large drop of \_\_\_\_\_ on a microscope slide can be used as a magnifier.
16. Antony van Leeuwenhoek (1632–1723) built what is thought to be the first successful \_\_\_\_\_ microscope.