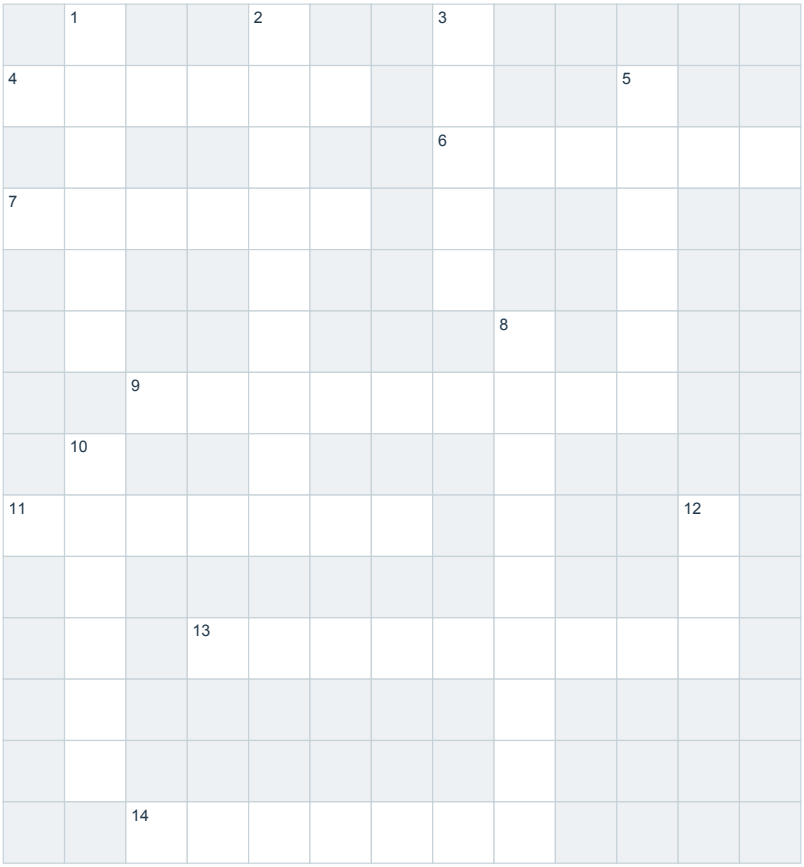
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CROSSWORD

A2 | Thanksgiving vocabulary | 20-30 minutes

Read the clues and complete the crossword. Write **one capital letter** in each white square.



ACROSS

4. To come together in one place as a group. **(6)**

6. The season between summer and winter; called fall in American English. **(6)**

7. The main meal of the day, often eaten in the evening. **(6)**

9. A small red fruit often used to make a sauce served with turkey. **(9)**

11. The time when crops are collected from fields. **(7)**

13. The feeling of being thankful for something. **(9)**

14. A large orange vegetable often used to make a sweet Thanksgiving pie. **(7)**

DOWN

1. People related to you, such as parents, children and grandparents. **(6)**

2. To do something special because an event is important or enjoyable. **(9)**

3. A large, special meal with plenty of food. **(5)**

5. A large bird often served as the main food at a Thanksgiving dinner. **(6)**

8. A custom passed from one generation to the next. **(9)**

10. A public procession of people, bands or decorated vehicles. **(6)**

12. A dish with a pastry base or covering, often filled with fruit. **(3)**

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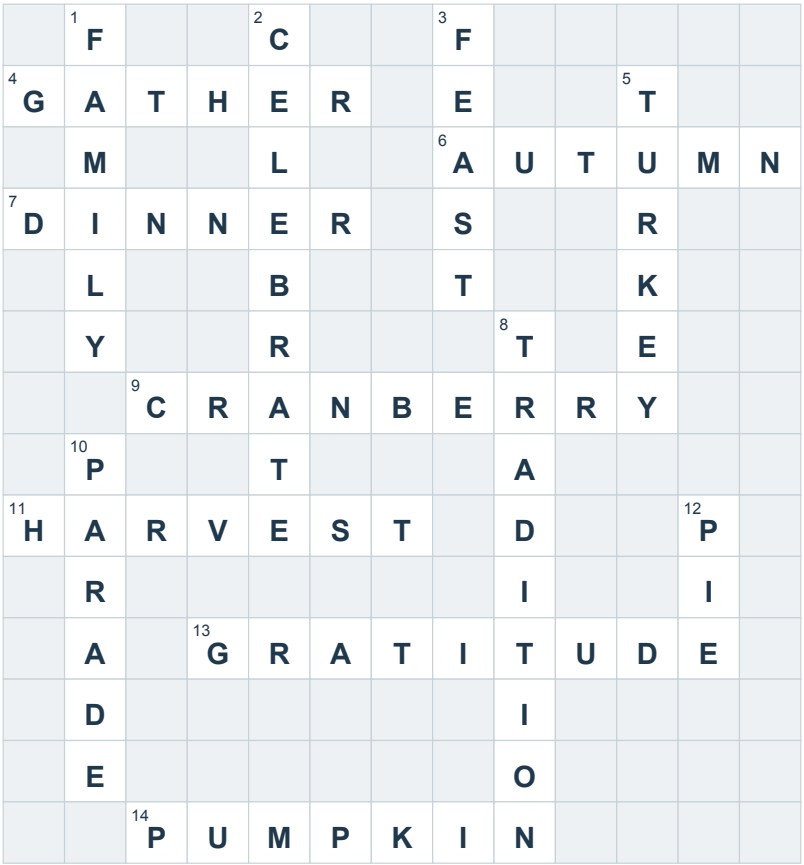
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ANSWER KEY

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Use the completed grid and numbered answers to check the puzzle.



ACROSS

4. GATHER

6. AUTUMN

7. DINNER

9. CRANBERRY

11. HARVEST

13. GRATITUDE

14. PUMPKIN

DOWN

1. FAMILY

2. CELEBRATE

3. FEAST

5. TURKEY

8. TRADITION

10. PARADE

12. PIE

Support: Write the answer words on the board as a word bank if needed.
Follow-up: In pairs, choose three words and make a sentence for each. Use a real or imagined celebration.
Theme note: This puzzle focuses on food, gratitude and gathering. Thanksgiving is observed on different dates in the United States and Canada; traditions vary between families.

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