

## Lesson Plan

### Classroom Crossword

**Book:** *Back to School*

**Series:** Fall Is Here

**Level:** Scout

### Objective

To help students practice using context clues to match words to their meanings.

### Supplies

- *Back to School* book
- Classroom Crossword (attached)

### Before the Activity

Print a copy of the Classroom Crossword for each student. Then read *Back to School* out loud to students.

### Activity

Give each student a copy of the Classroom Crossword. Explain that each clue is a sentence that is missing a word. Students can use the page number at the end of each clue to find where this word is used in the book. Then, students should write the missing term in the numbered space in the crossword, putting one letter in each square. For terms that are two words long, students can skip the space between words when writing their letters.

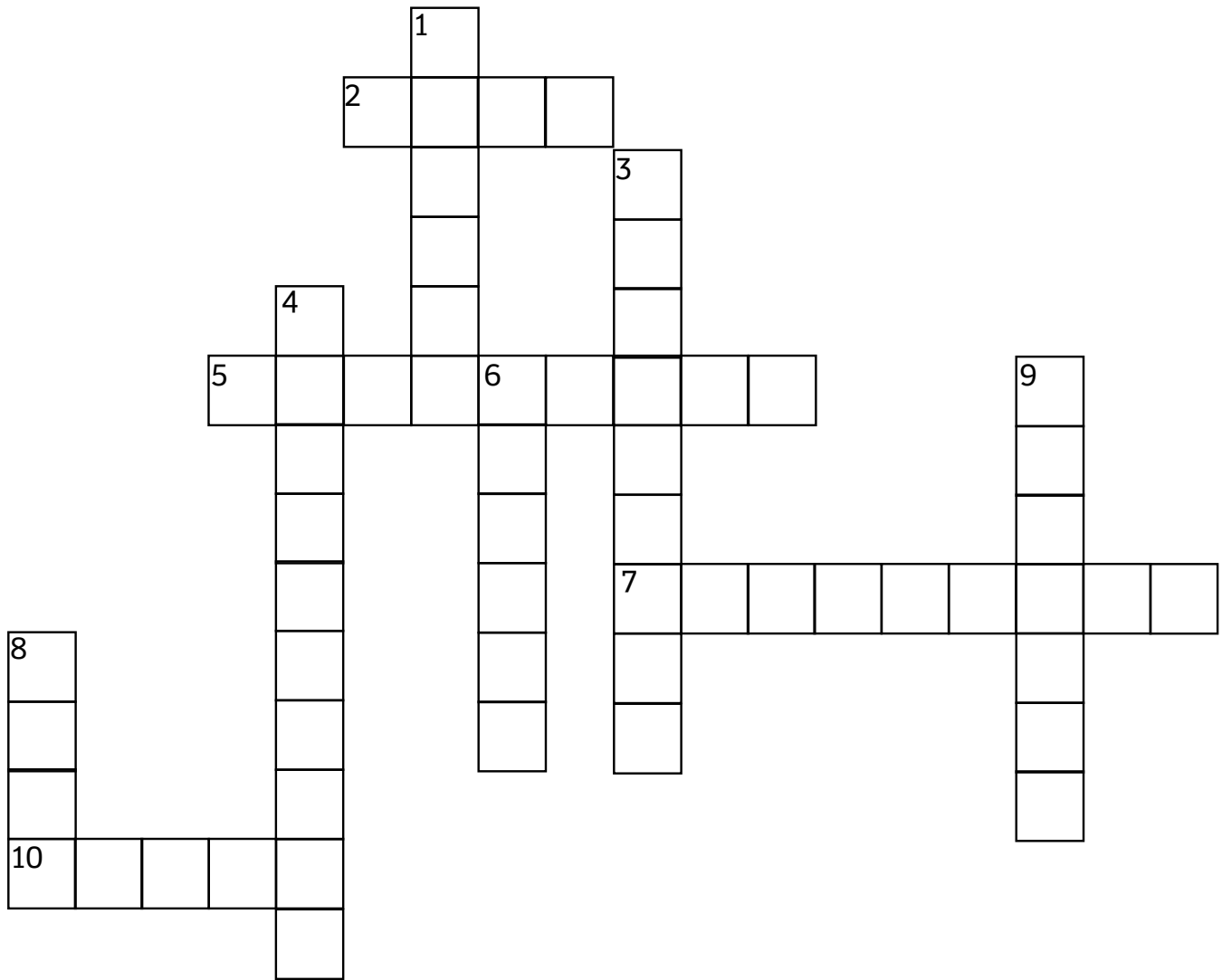
### Evaluation

Use the attached answer key to give students 1 point for each term they write in the correct space, for a total of 10 points.

### Standards

This lesson may be used to address the Common Core State Standards' reading standards: foundational skills, grade 1 (RF 1.4).

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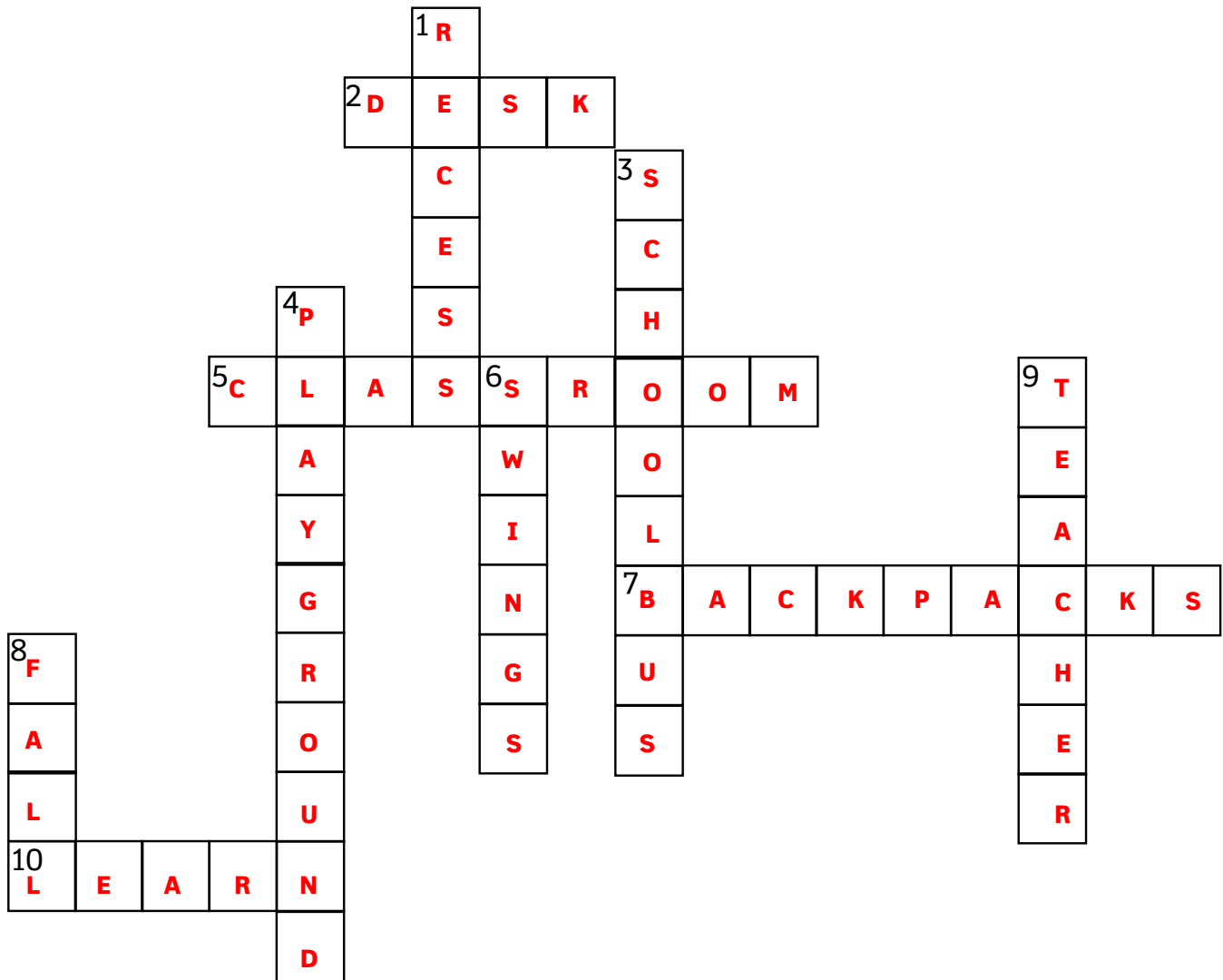
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- 5. Students go to their \_\_\_\_\_ for the new school year. (Page 8)
- 7. Students put on \_\_\_\_\_ to go to school. (Page 6)
- 10. Students go to school ready to \_\_\_\_\_. (Page 10)

Down

- 1. Students go outside for \_\_\_\_\_. (Page 12)
- 3. Students wait for the \_\_\_\_\_ to come. (Page 6)
- 4. Students play on the \_\_\_\_\_. (Page 14)
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- 8. A new school year starts in the \_\_\_\_\_. (Page 5)
- 9. Students meet their new \_\_\_\_\_. (Page 8)

# Classroom Crossword ANSWER KEY



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