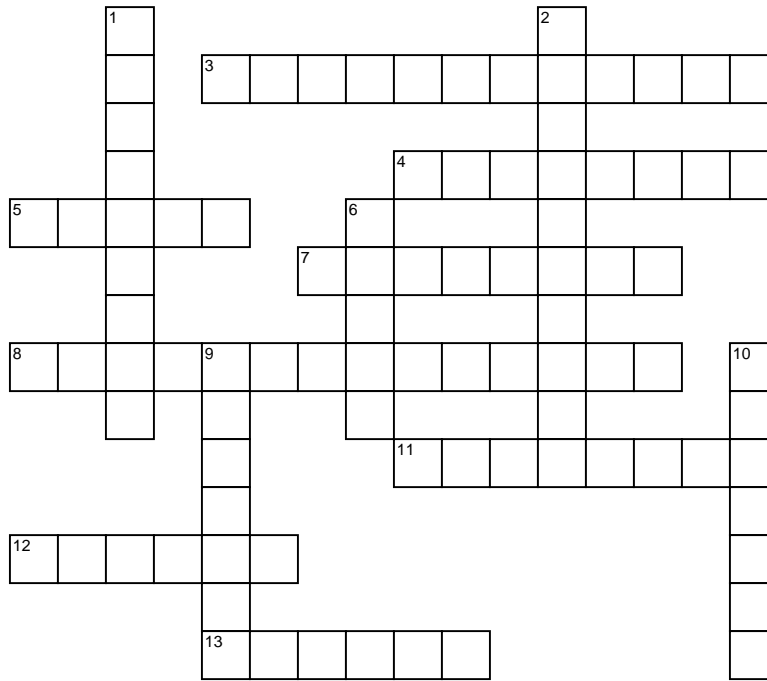


Plants 5.2

Naming Plants



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ACROSS

- 3 – A system of naming used to classify a group, such as the botanical names of plants.
- 4 – A two-name system for naming plants.
- 5 – A group of species believed to have descended from a common, direct ancestor that are similar enough to constitute a useful unit at this level of taxonomy.
- 7 – The science of classification of organisms and other objects and their arrangement into systematic groups, such as species, genus, family, and order.
- 8 – The forming, sorting, apportioning, grouping, or dividing of objects into classes to form an ordered arrangement of items having a defined range of characteristics.
- 11 – A group of cultivated plants that are distinguished by any significant character and that retain their distinguishing features when reproduced sexually or asexually.
- 12 – An affix; attached to the front of a word to produce a derivative word or an inflected form.
- 13 – An affix added to the end of a word or stem serving to form a new word.

DOWN

- 1 – The scientific name of plants, which includes the genus and species.
- 2 – A person who identifies and classifies plants, often providing the proper name for the plant.
- 6 – The language often used to name plants.
- 9 – In the naming of plants and animals, Latin is used. Each kind of plant or animal can be identified by genus and species.
- 10 – A group of related plants and animals that differs from other similar groups by characteristics too trivial or inconstant to be recognized as a species; often any category of lower rank than a species.