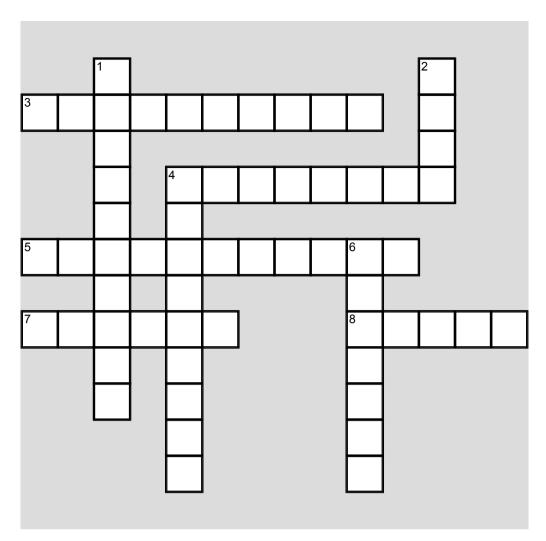
## **Story Elements**



## **Across**

- **3** The tying together of all of the story
- **4** The struggle between two forces in a story
- **5** The main character in a story
- **7** The turning point; the point of greatest suspense or action
- **8** The underlying principle or statement about life that an author wishes to make

## **Down**

- 1 The villain or bad guy in some stories
- 2 The events that make up a fictional story
- **4** The people, animals, or creatures who give a story life
- **6** The time and place of a story