

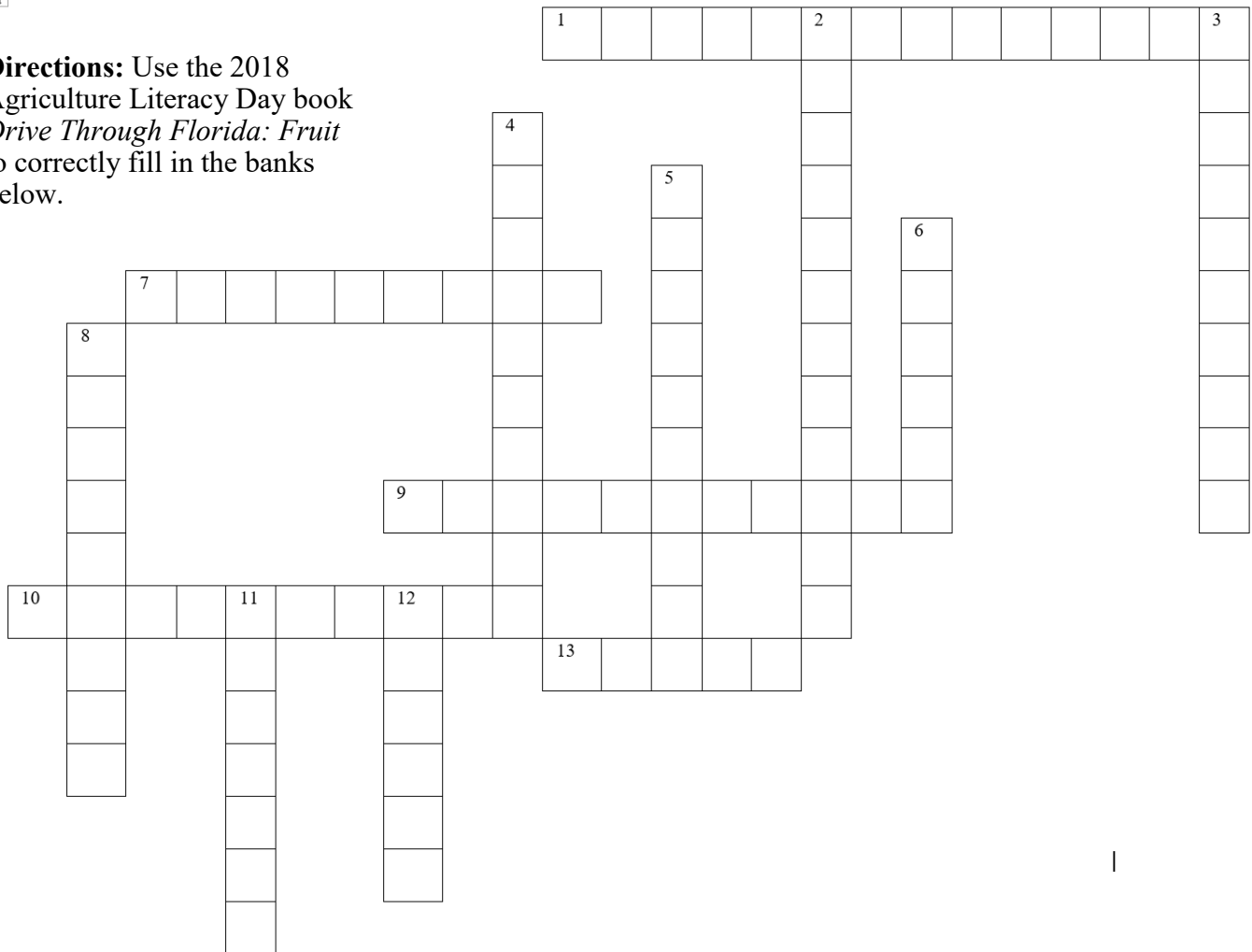
# DRIVE THROUGH FLORIDA: FRUIT

## Crossword Puzzle

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



**Directions:** Use the 2018 Agriculture Literacy Day book *Drive Through Florida: Fruit* to correctly fill in the banks below.



### ACROSS

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is caused by a bacteria spread by a tiny insect called a psyllid.
7. Star fruit is another name for the \_\_\_\_\_.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ grow on bushes up to six feet tall and can be harvested between March and May.
10. Native Florida grapes are called \_\_\_\_\_.
13. The \_\_\_\_\_ is the most popular fruit in the world.

### DOWN

2. \_\_\_\_\_ must be picked at full ripeness because it cannot ripen once picked.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ got its name because it grows in grape-like clusters.
4. Peaches need a certain amount of cold weather to ripen properly, these are called \_\_\_\_\_.
5. We grow a seedless version of the \_\_\_\_\_ in Florida.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ are a new crop that farmers are growing in Florida. It cannot be eaten fresh, it must be cured first.
8. The pecan tree is \_\_\_\_\_, which means it loses its leaves in the winter.
11. The \_\_\_\_\_ has more protein than any other fruit.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ percent of Florida's oranges are used to make orange juice.

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## Crossword Puzzle Answer Key

### Across:

1. Citrus Greening
7. Carambola
9. Blueberries
10. Muscadines
13. Mango

### Down:

2. Strawberries
3. Grapefruit
4. Chill Hours
5. Watermelon
6. Olives
8. Deciduous
11. Avocado
12. Ninety