

**Directions:** Choose the correct word from the bank to complete the sentence.

dubious	ecstatic	encounter	evolve	fallacy
fictitious	gullible	liable	miserly	pessimist

1. – 2. When my sister visited California, she \_\_\_\_\_ (e)d Denzel Washington in a department store. Despite feelings of awe, she managed to get up enough nerve to get his autograph, and she has been \_\_\_\_\_ ever since.

3. – 4. Angel is so \_\_\_\_\_ that her friends often tell her totally \_\_\_\_\_ stories and then tease her about believing them.

5. – 6. A \_\_\_\_\_ person is \_\_\_\_\_ to end up with lots of money and few friends.

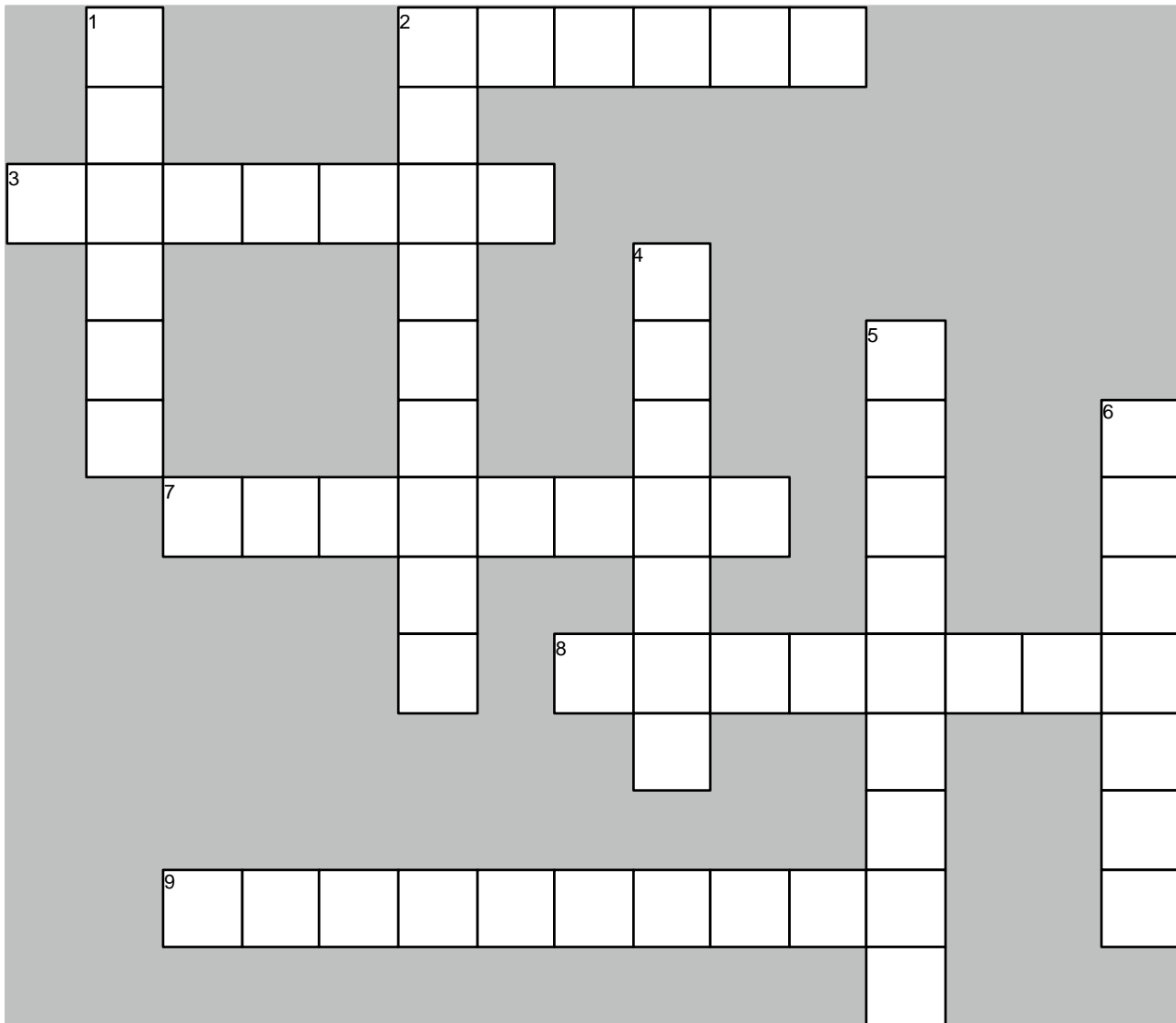
7. – 8. An extreme \_\_\_\_\_ believes that bad luck can't be escaped and that it is a \_\_\_\_\_ to expect good luck. If such a person were the recipient of a million dollars, he or she would complain about the taxes.

9. – 10. At first I was \_\_\_\_\_ about the prospects of our school's basketball team; I did not think that they would win even one game. But as the season progresses, the team surpassed all my expectations and \_\_\_\_\_ (e)d into championship material.

**Directions:** Write a synonym and an antonym on the line for the vocabulary word.

	<b>Synonym</b>	<b>Antonym</b>
1. dubious	_____	_____
2. ecstatic	_____	_____
3. encounter	_____	_____
4. evolve	_____	_____
5. fallacy	_____	_____
6. fictitious	_____	_____
7. gullible	_____	_____
8. liable	_____	_____
9. miserly	_____	_____
10. pessimist	_____	_____

**Directions:** On a separate sheet of paper, create a sentence for each vocabulary word. Each sentence must be 8 or more words.

**Unit 3 Vocabulary Chapter 12 Blue Level**

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**ACROSS**

- 2** to grow, change or develop gradually  
**3** an error; a mistaken idea  
**7** full of joy; overjoyed  
**8** easily fooled  
**9** unreal; imaginary or made-up

**DOWN**

- 1** likely  
**2** to run into; to meet, especially unexpectedly  
**4** unsure; doubtful  
**5** one who expects the worst, a person who tends to see the bad side of things  
**6** stingy; greedy