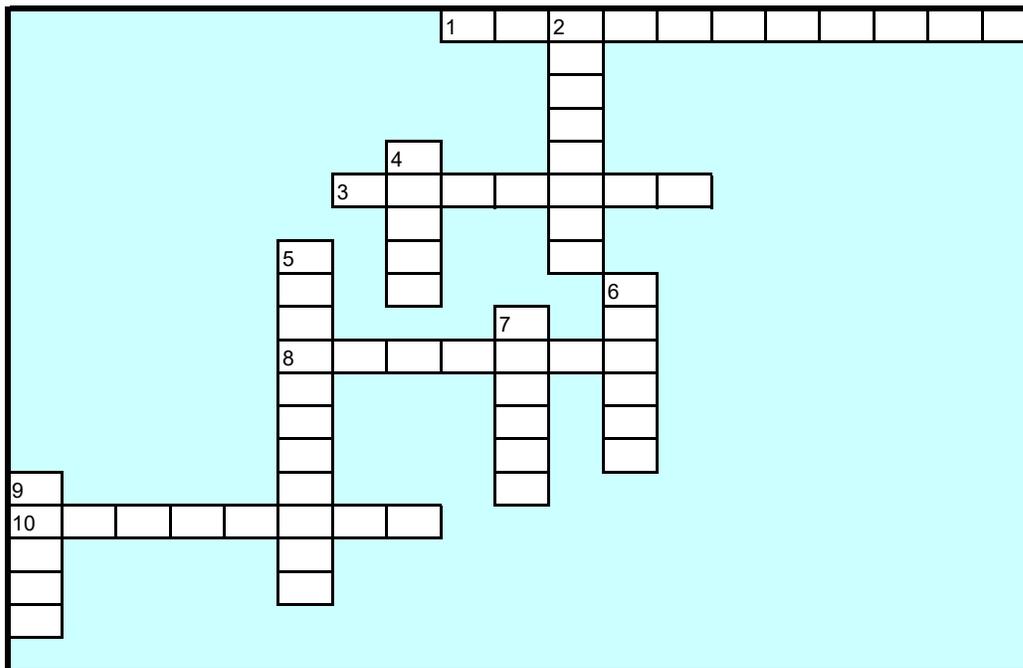




**Safe Horseback Riding Practices  
Cross-Word Puzzle**



Directions: Using the Clover Safe information, choose the best words for the blank spots in the DOWN and ACROSS clues below and put the words in the cross-word puzzle above.

**ACROSS**

- 1 Beginning riders should be matched with \_\_\_\_ riding horses.
- 3 Many horseback riding injuries could be prevented by being aware of potential \_\_\_\_.
- 8 Always treat your horse with \_\_\_\_.
- 10 Promptly report any \_\_\_\_ from horses to your group leader, parent, or guardian.

**DOWN**

- 2 Always wear a \_\_\_\_ fitted equestrian helmet.
- 4 Wash your \_\_\_\_ with soap and water after touching a horse.
- 5 Pay attention to trail hazards such a \_\_\_\_ branches.
- 6 When riding, move with the \_\_\_\_ of the horse.
- 7 Do not wrap \_\_\_\_ around your hands or other parts of your body.
- 9 Approach horses within their \_\_\_\_ of vision.