



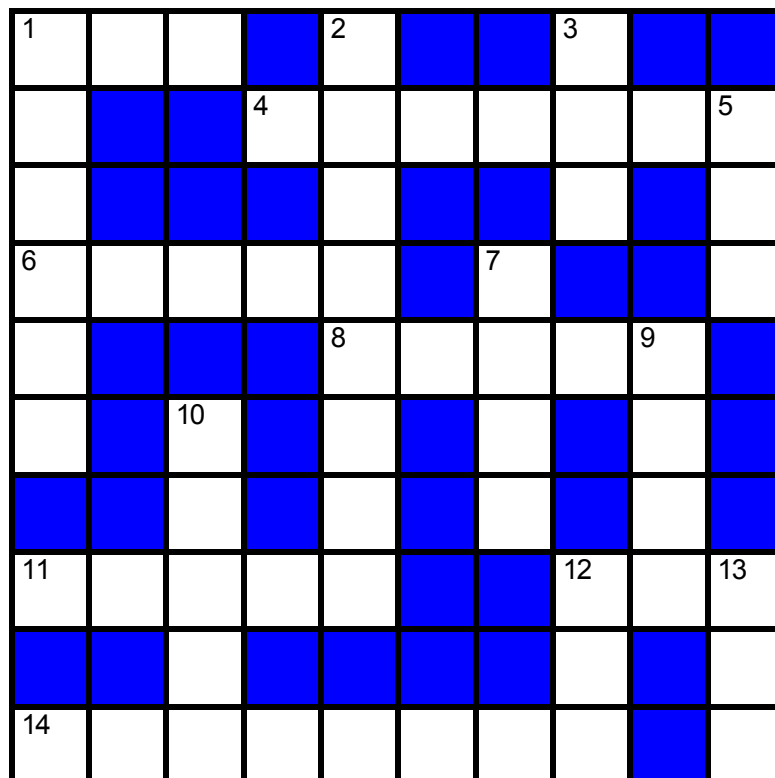
Case Two: An Ounce of Prevention!

Grades 4-7

Level 2: Rookie

IPM Crossword Puzzles!

Directions: Use basic IPM knowledge to complete the crossword puzzle. The clues are listed below! If you get stuck, check out the answer key at <http://www.ipminstitute.org/pdfxwordanswers.pdf>.



Across

1. Fleas are not fun for you or your ____.
4. With IPM, you have many _____ to handle pest problems, including cleaning up spills and keeping window screens in good repair to prevent problems before they occur.
6. Pesticide containers are often marked with a _____ and crossbones.
8. Pesticides should never be stored in food or _____ containers.
11. Pesticides should never be used by children, just by _____-ups.

12. IPM is the best solution for ____.
14. _____ needs to learn about IPM, including students, teachers and parents.

Down

1. Pesticides are _____ and should not be used except as a last resort.
2. Keep pesticides away from _____.
3. Put this on your mosquito bites to cool the itch.
5. Never touch a mouse trap, if it's _____, it might snap on your finger!
7. Always tell a grownup about any _____ from an insect, spider, tick or animal. If not treated properly, you might get sick.
9. Not all pesticides are designed to _____ pests. Repellants are pesticides that keep pests away.
10. _____ pesticides in a safe place out of reach of children and pets.
12. If you or your pet _____ or drank a pesticide accidentally, you could become sick or die.
13. All pesticide containers should have a child-proof _____.