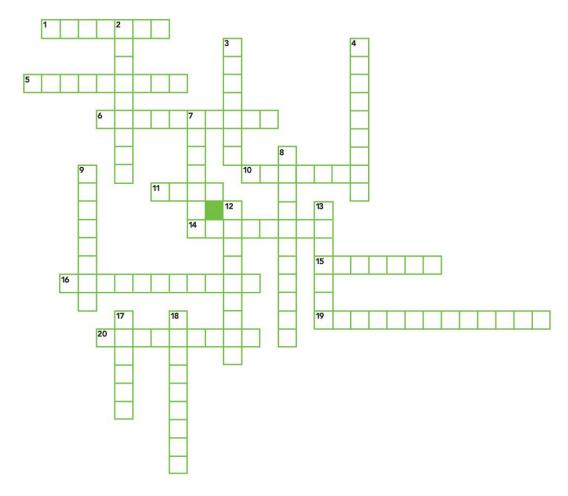


Zero Waste Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- **1.** A powerful greenhouse gas produced when food begins to rot in a landfill
- **5.** Elements or compounds that organisms must take in to live, grow, and reproduce
- 6. Animals that spread pollen from flower to flower
- 10. The ore in which aluminum comes from
- **11.** How much waste San Francisco aims to produce by the year 2020
- 14. Water that leaches through the garbage in a landfill
- 15. Made naturally or without chemicals
- **16.** This group is composed of fungus, bacteria, and invertebrates
- **19.** The result of too many heat trapping gasses in our Earth's atmosphere
- 20. This non-renewable resource is used to make plastic

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- **2.** _____ digestion is when organic material breaks down without oxygen, creating methane
- 3. The natural home of a group of plants or animals
- **4.** A community of living and non-living organisms that live in natural balance
- **7.** These resources come from nature and are used or turned into all the things we need and want
- 8. Using resources in a way which ensures their availability long into the future
- **9.** The ______ station is where San Francisco's garbage goes for one day before it is taken to the landfill
- **12.** A type of waste that is poisonous and should not go into the blue, green, or trash bins
- **13.** _____ digestion occurs in nature with plenty of oxygen, creating healthy compost
- 17. One of the three "R's" meaning to use less stuff
- **18.** Something introduced into nature that causes negative effects on the natural environment