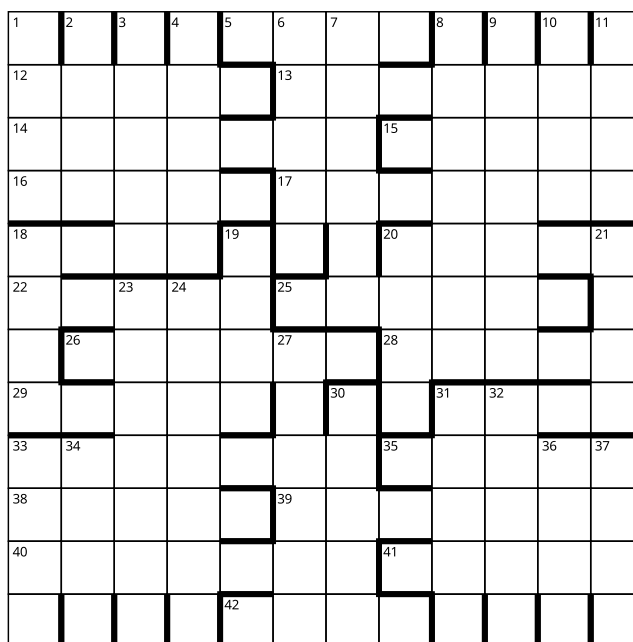


Ten answers in this puzzle are related to each other in a specific way, but eight of the ten answers will not fit in the grid unless you change a single letter before you enter them. When you complete the puzzle, reading the changed letters from top to bottom will suggest how you probably went about solving this puzzle.



Across

- 5. Newborn horse swallows bee (4)
- 12. Nearly invisible failure is not wrong (5)
- 13. Labor corruption followed broadcast of baronet's address (7)
- 14. Collects delivery specialist with crumpled satin (7)
- 15. Affirmations around right age (5)
- 16. Shade covers high-grade contamination (5)
- 17. Appears English union beginning to spread (7)
- 18. Jack's content with New England skin disorder (4)
- 20. Weeping Eliot has musical talent (5)
- 22. Give up accomplice with true swindle (5)
- 25. Jerk holds upper Scottish house (6)
- 26. Coldest French here is French (6)
- 28. Marks small vehicles (5)
- 29. Exploit clock time (5)
- 31. Small laugh deposed monarch (4)
- 33. Uber age disrupted French lodgings (7)
- 35. Barren empty street with large vessel (5)
- 38. Aroma passed with fifth of Scotch (5)
- 39. Dispatch small growth without clerical support (2,5)
- 40. Limit hot hunter with head of a swordsman (7)
- 41. Small worry? Big worry! (5)
- 42. Draft animal carries New York mineral (4)

Down

- 1. We fill back of spacecraft (4)
- 2. Two degrees honored father (4)
- 3. Nonviolent action neutered third person in transgression (3-2)
- 4. Vacuous Annie bent out of shape (5)
- 6. Absent compass points rearranged claim on eBay (2,3)
- 7. Tarnish Texas university in wager (6)
- 8. Obvious with each gorge (7)
- 9. Overturned again, dorm worker falls (7)
- 10. One who longs spoke about a plot (4)
- 11. Hardy heroine disrupted sets (4)
- 18. A sibling without representation? (2,2)
- 19. Disputed test let stand (4)
- 20. Questionable empty spaces around you and me (4)
- 21. Belt big hit without a trace of mercy (4)
- 23. Cool backup plan to reverse grad exam a hidden problem (7)
- 24. Nickel cloth returns lopsided result (4-3)
- 27. Identity disturbed in song (4-2)
- 30. Flower worker inside gym (5)
- 31. Animal companions brought back small dance moves (5)
- 32. Sanctioned disobedient AI with a bit of luck (5)
- 33. Pallid article withdrawn (4)
- 34. Knowledgeable about Michigan region reversing negative vote (2,2)
- 36. Vanishing right to exist (4)
- 37. Examined extremely early edition (4)