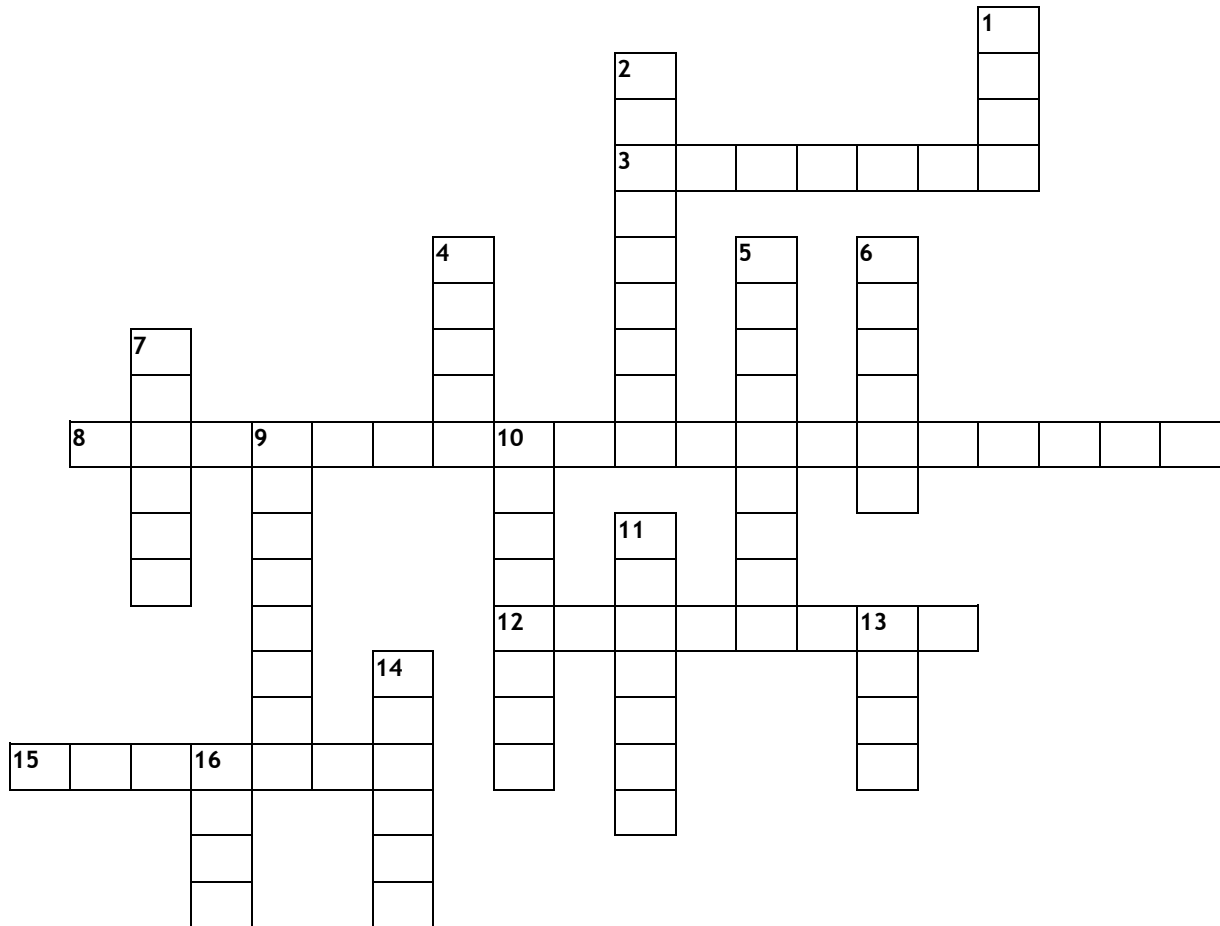


## Crossword activity



## Across

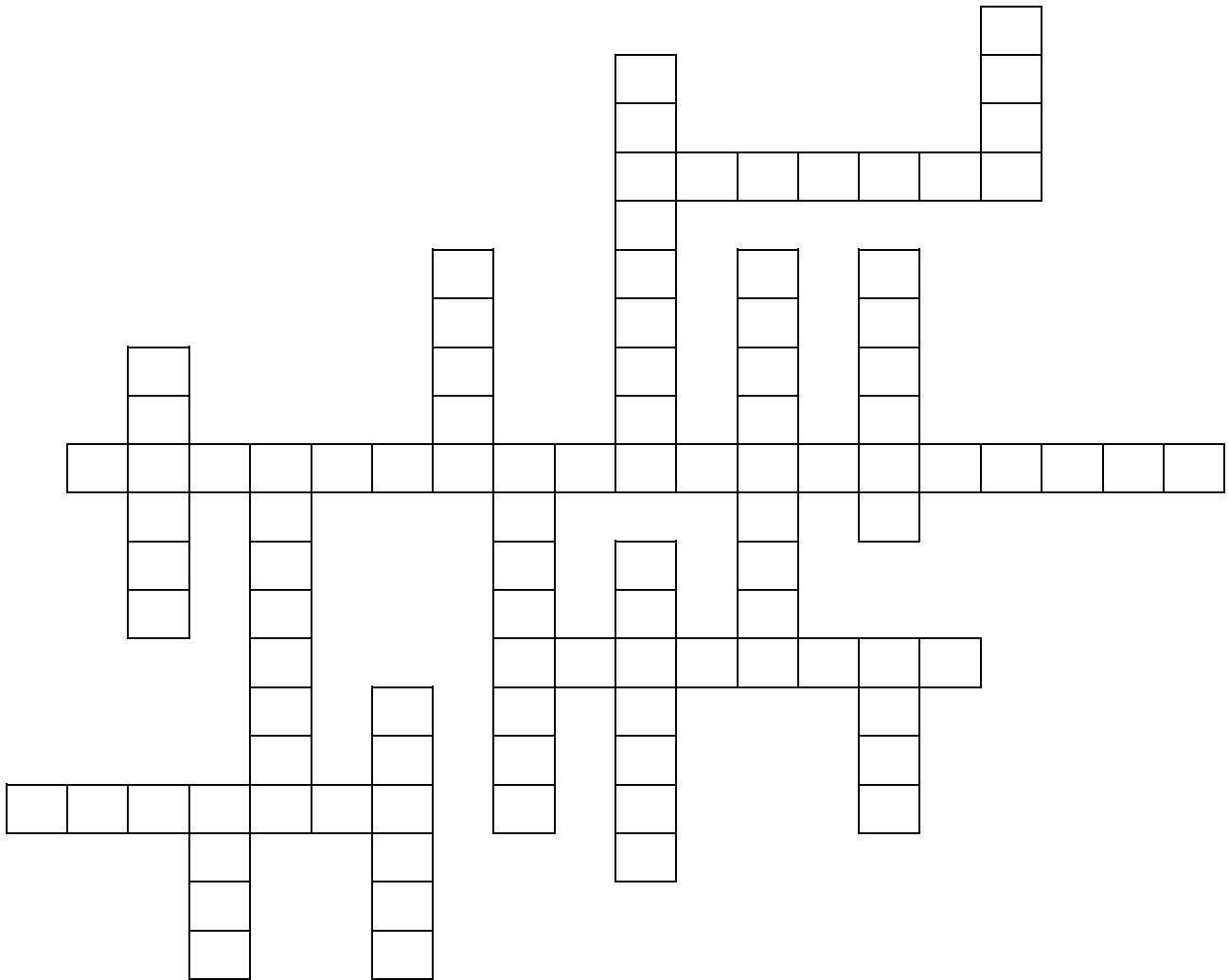
3. The route along the side of the canal channel. (7)  
 8. The canal was sold to this company in 1904. (5, 7, 7)  
 12. In 1763, coal was discovered here and mining began in the area leading to the building of the Coal Canal. (8)  
 15. The largest canal dry dock in England, at a terminus of the Coal Canal. (7)

## Down

1. The closest city to the Coal Canal - the coal fuelled its development. (4)  
 2. Another cargo carried on the coal canal. (4, 5)  
 4. Another name for a narrow boat. (5)  
 5. The name of the coalmine where William Smith made the original observations leading to his important stratification theory. (6, 3)  
 6. Where the Coal Canal joins the Kennet and Avon canal. (6)  
 7. A name for a layer of rock. (6)  
 9. A 'bridge' for carrying a canal over a road or river etc. (8)  
 10. The county of the canal. (8)  
 11. From the Paulton Basin to here was the first section of the canal to be re-excavated in September 2014. (7)  
 13. The material used to make the canal channel waterproof to prevent leaks. (4)  
 14. A destination for the coal. (6)  
 16. A mechanical method for moving narrow boats up or down a hill. (4)

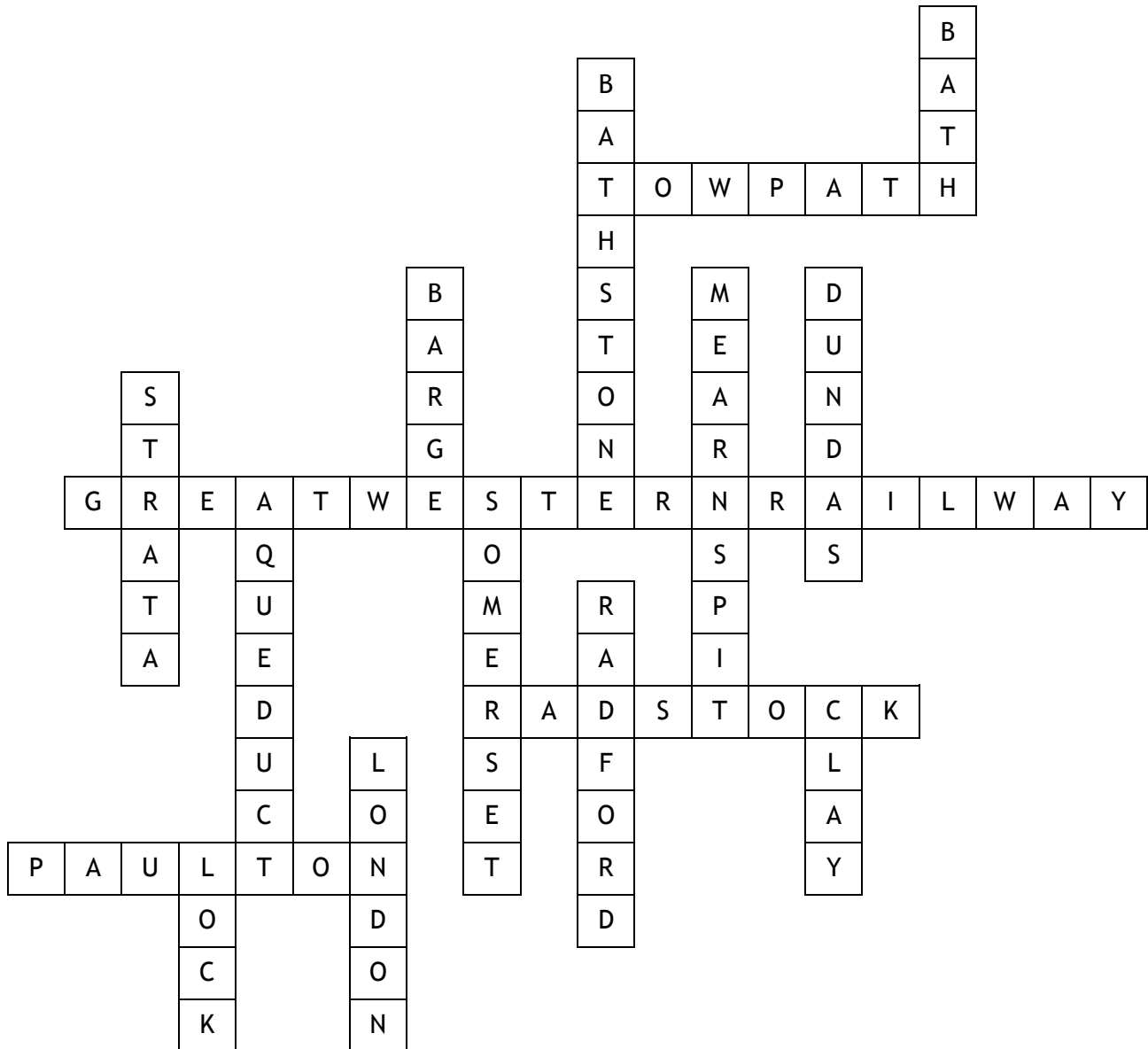
Words fill activity

Use the word bank below to complete the puzzle.



Word bank	
Aqueduct	Barge
Bath	Bath stone
Clay	Dundas
Great Western Railway	Lock
London	Mearns pit
Paulton	Radford
Radstock	Somerset
Strata	Towpath

Answers



This resource is one of a group of resources for KS1, 2 and 3 on the subject of the Somerset Coal Canal and coalfield.

More information from the [Somersetshire Coal Canal Society](http://www.somersetshirecoalcanal.org.uk).

