**Short Story Elements Crossword Clues**

**Down**

1. “all knowing” narrator who reveals the thoughts and actions of the characters

2. individuals in the story

3. narrator is not a character in the story and zooms in on one character’s thoughts and feelings

4. the narrator is a character in the story

6. the point from which the story is told

7. the character in conflict with the protagonist

8. answers WHERE and WHEN

9. man vs. man, man vs. nature, man vs. society

12. the person who sets the plot in motion

14. series of related incidents

15. the turning point in the story

16. central idea or insight revealed in a story

**Across**

2. struggle between opposing forces

5. introduces the story’s characters, setting and conflict

10. man vs. himself

11. the struggles are over and the reader knows what will happen to the protagonist

13. tells the story looking in from the outside

17. develops the conflict with complications and twists

18. reader must determine the theme for himself

19. directly presented in the story