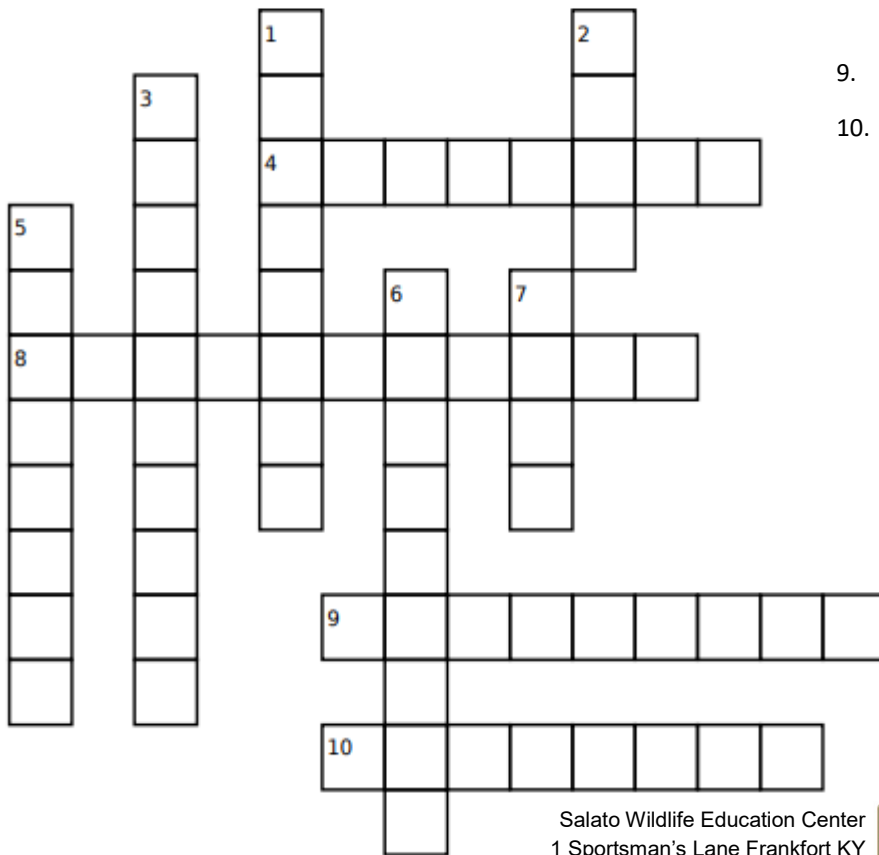


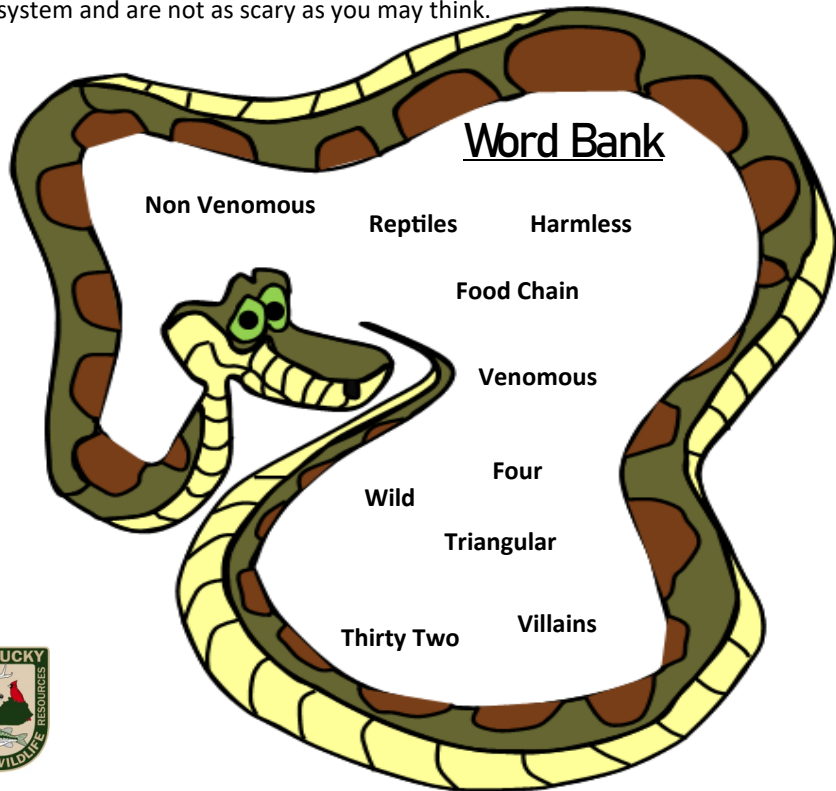
Scaly but not Scary

Directions: Using the video and word bank below, slither through the questions to learn why snakes are important and don't deserve such a bad reputation.

Reference the "Kentucky Snakes" book at <https://fw.ky.gov/Wildlife/Documents/kysnakebook.pdf> for additional information.



1. Most snakes that the average person in Kentucky will encounter are _____.
2. If you find a snake in the _____, it is best to admire its beauty from a safe distance.
3. Venomous snakes have a _____ shaped head.
4. What class of animals do snakes belong to?
5. Snakes belonging to the group called Pit Vipers are _____ snakes.
6. Snakes help to keep balance in the _____.
7. How many venomous snake species are in Kentucky?
8. The snake's pupils are one of the characteristics that help us determine if they are venomous or nonvenomous. Snakes with round pupils are _____.
9. How many different species of snakes are native to Kentucky?
10. While many books portray snakes as _____, they actually play an important role in our ecosystem and are not as scary as you may think.



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