Across
3. Lively, exciting
4. Trees native to Australia
8. A person who gives money or support
9. Native to a particular region or country
12. Quiet reflection or extended thought
14. Respected, divine, highly regarded
15. A system of belief, a code of belief

Down
1. A bite, mouthful, or small portion of food
2. Mammals who develop their young in a pouch
5. Earliest inhabitants of a place or region
6. In need of or deprived of water
7. Induces a trance-like state
10. A repetition of sound by reflecting sound waves
11. Royal, grand, magnificent
13. A small group of trees