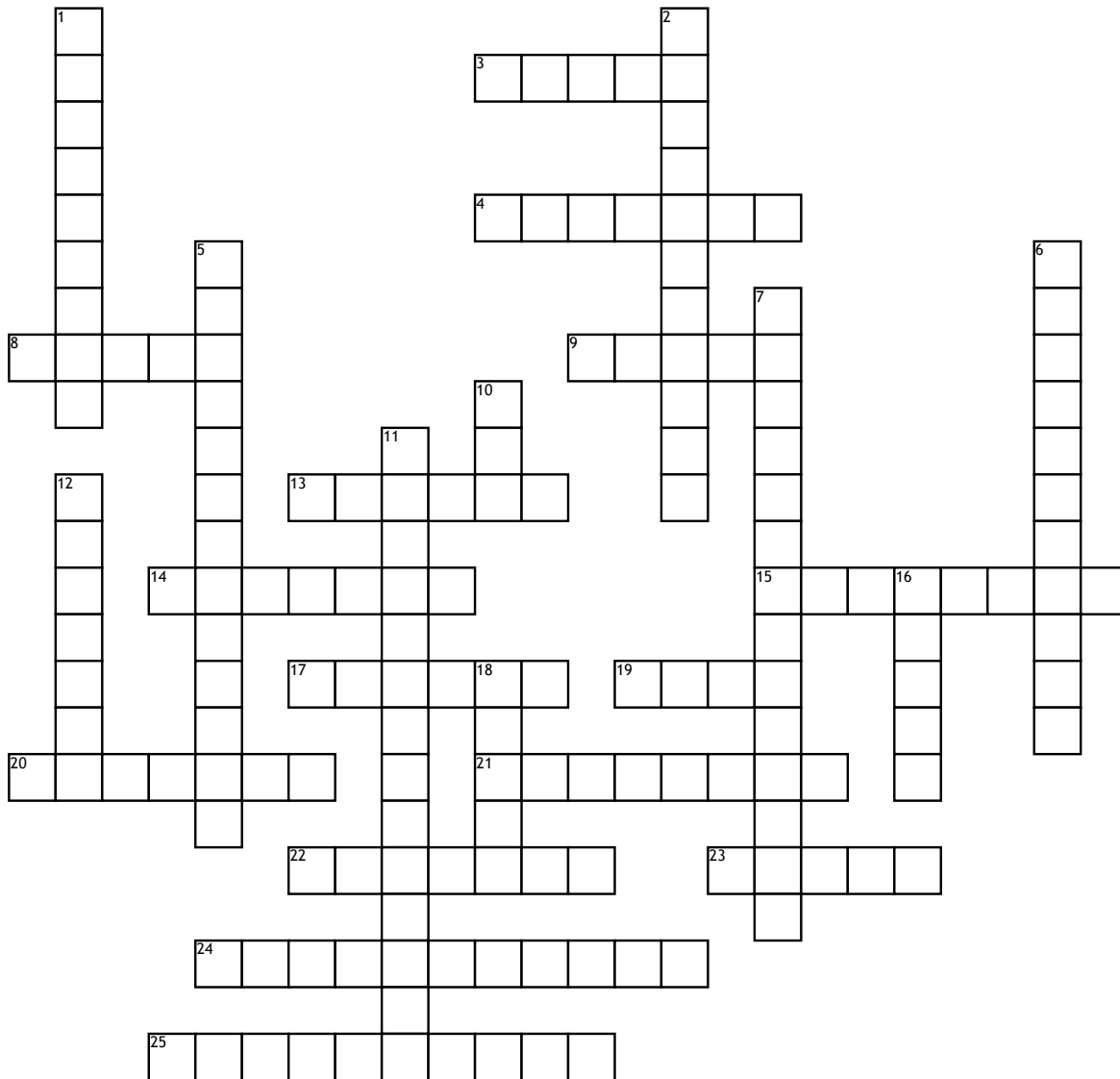


# African Ethnic Groups



## Across

3. Christianity came to Africa during the \_\_\_\_\_ century.  
 4. Many Swahili also speak \_\_\_\_\_ as a second language.  
 8. This word means "the people".  
 9. There are more than \_\_\_\_\_ thousand ethnic groups in Africa.  
 13. The language of the Arab people is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 14. This ethnic group lives in Ghana and the Ivory Coast.  
 15. He was the first Ashanti king.  
 17. This is the capital of the former Ashanti empire.  
 19. The Ashanti believe that \_\_\_\_\_ are on earth to assist humans.

20. The Ashanti believe that plants, animals, and trees have souls. This belief is called \_\_\_\_\_.  
 21. Most of Africa's Arab population lives in \_\_\_\_\_ Africa.  
 22. This word means "those one lives on the coast".  
 23. The Islamic holy book is called The \_\_\_\_\_.  
 24. Many Africans practice \_\_\_\_\_ religions in addition to Christianity or Islam.  
 25. This ethnic group is make up of nearly \_\_\_\_\_ different groups.

## Down

1. Most Africans are either Islamic or \_\_\_\_\_.  
 2. A group of people who share common cultural characteristics.

5. Arabs from \_\_\_\_\_ brought Islam to Africa.  
 6. The \_\_\_\_\_ is a symbol of the Ashanti Kingdom.  
 7. A group of people who share a common belief system.  
 10. The major dialect of the Ashanti is "Asante" or "\_\_\_\_\_".  
 11. This was the largest movement of people in Africa's history.  
 12. The Swahili are found in \_\_\_\_\_ Africa.  
 16. The majority of Swahili practice \_\_\_\_\_.  
 18. Islam is make up of two groups. The Shi'a and the \_\_\_\_\_.