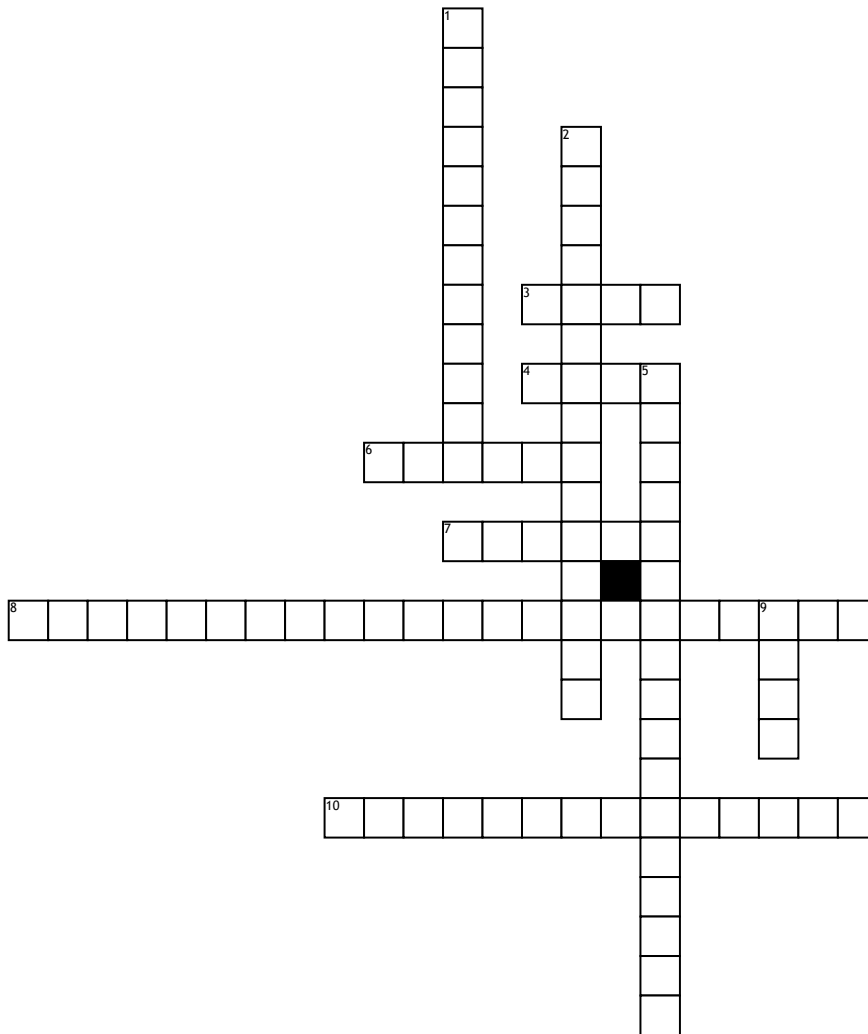


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Branches of Government Vocabulary



Across

3. A body of persons sworn to inquire into a matter of fact and give their verdict.
4. A written idea for a new law is called a...
6. Who is the official law-making group or council as the higher branch of a legislature of a nation, state, or province?
7. Who decides if a person is guilty of a crime?
8. The lower house of a legislative body (as the U.S. Congress).

Word Bank

Veto
Bill
Jury
Judicial Branch

House of Representatives
Courts
Executive Branch

Constitution
Senate
Legislative Branch

10. This branch interprets the laws.

Down

1. The basic beliefs and laws of a nation, state, or social group that establish the powers and duties of the government and guarantee certain rights to the people in it.
2. This branch carries out the laws.
5. This branch makes laws.
9. When a bill is sent back to where it started because the governor did not believe the bill would make a good law.