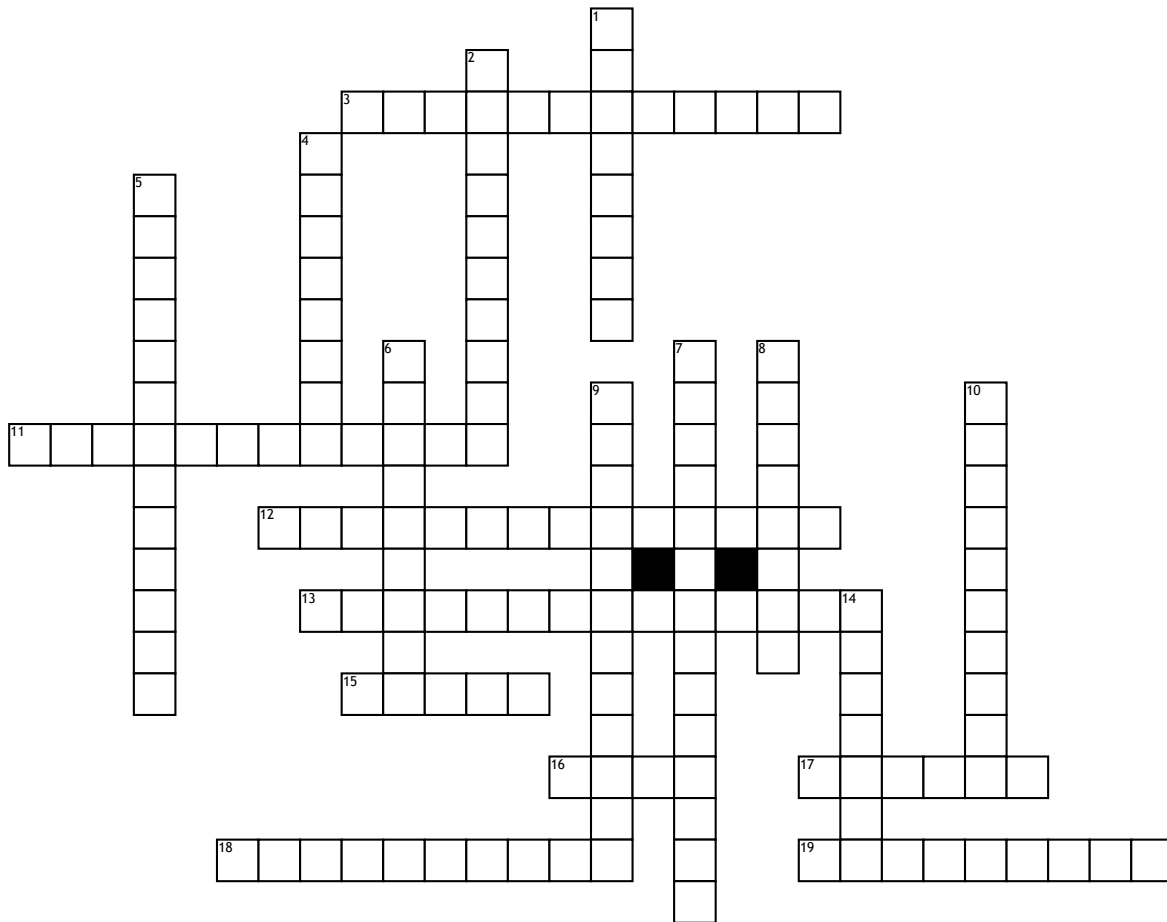


# Civics Vocab Crossword



## Across

3. A group that has a specific set of viewpoints and will often donate to candidates to influence them
11. a nonprofit organization that helps diverse leaders and citizens navigate divisive and complex issues
12. a group of people who come together to contest elections and hold power in the government
13. A standard that must be met to participate in an activity
15. Sources of news for an average citizen
16. Favoring one specific side

17. A civilized discussion about a specific topic or genre

18. Any political party other than the Democrats and the Republicans

19. The use of symbols or other figures to show something

## Down

1. A document signed by many voters to influence government officials

2. False information created to influence voters decision of which candidate to choose

4. influencing others

5. The basic principles and rules a candidate or group follows

6. A person who is nominated for an election

7. a party system where two major political parties dominate politics within a government

8. A time when people come together to vote for a candidate in a democracy

9. the principles, often unwritten, on which social laws are based

10. The governing body of a nation, state, or community

14. The people who are governed; all people