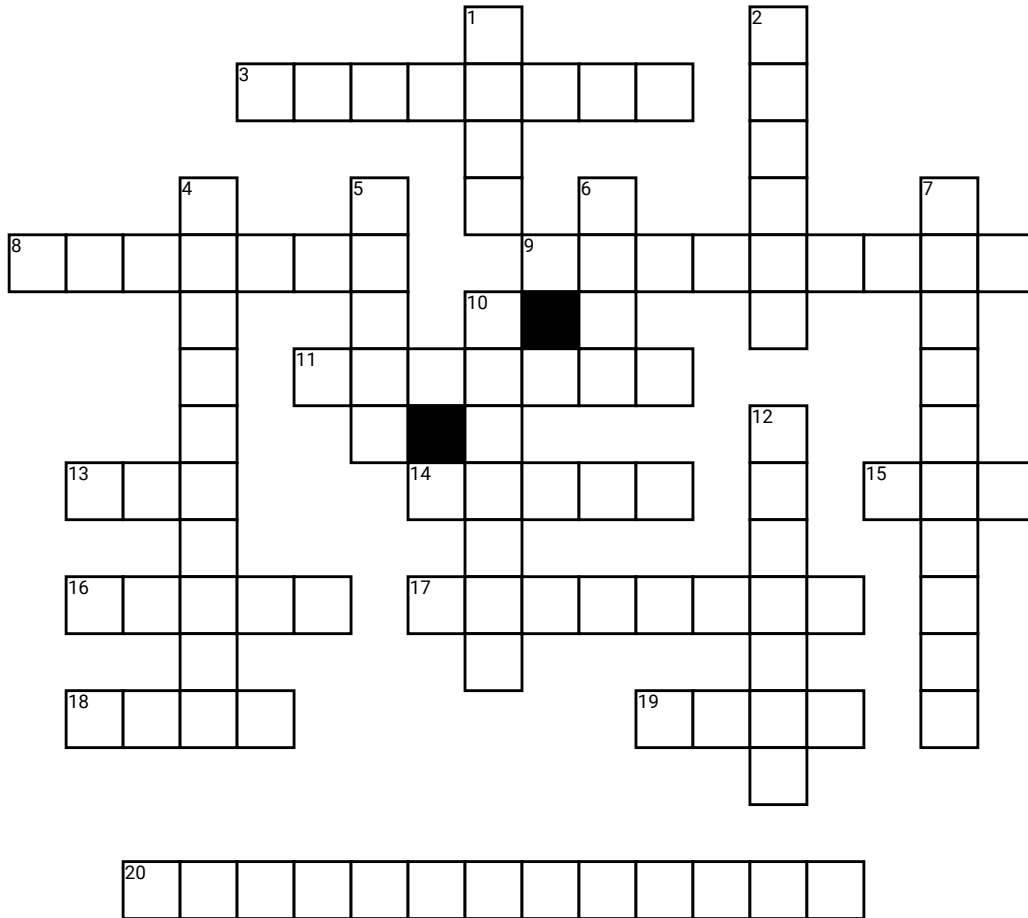


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Constellations, Stars and Planets



Across

- 3. Constellation named after a Greek hero with great strength
- 8. What is another name for the north star?
- 9. Light _____ makes the stars less visible
- 11. Which planet lies next to the constellation of Virgo?
- 13. The closest star to planet earth
- 14. Which zodiac sign is the 21 March to 19 April?
- 15. Which star sign is the 23 July to 22 August?

- 16. Who did Artemis accidentally shoot with her bow and arrow?
- 17. The spiral galaxy that holds our solar system (5,3) - the ashes in the Khoisan story.
- 18. In Sotho tradition, three _____ make up Orion's sword.
- 19. What is another name for the Southern Cross?
- 20. What is a group of stars called?

Down

- 1. What animal is associated with the star sign Taurus?

- 2. What is the brightest star in the Canis Major constellation? (Also the name of Harry Potter's godfather)
- 4. What is navigating with the stars also called?
- 5. In the Khoisan culture, what makes up the Milky Way?
- 6. How many stars make up the Southern Cross?
- 7. Which voyagers are the best in history?
- 10. What is (16 across) continually running from?
- 12. The constellation named after a horse with wings.

Word Bank

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| Scorpio | Polaris | Ashes | Mercury | Constellation |
| Bull | Wayfinding | Pollution | Leo | Sun |
| Hercules | Pegasus | Sirius | Milky Way | Dogs |
| Four | Crux | Polynesian | Aries | Orion |