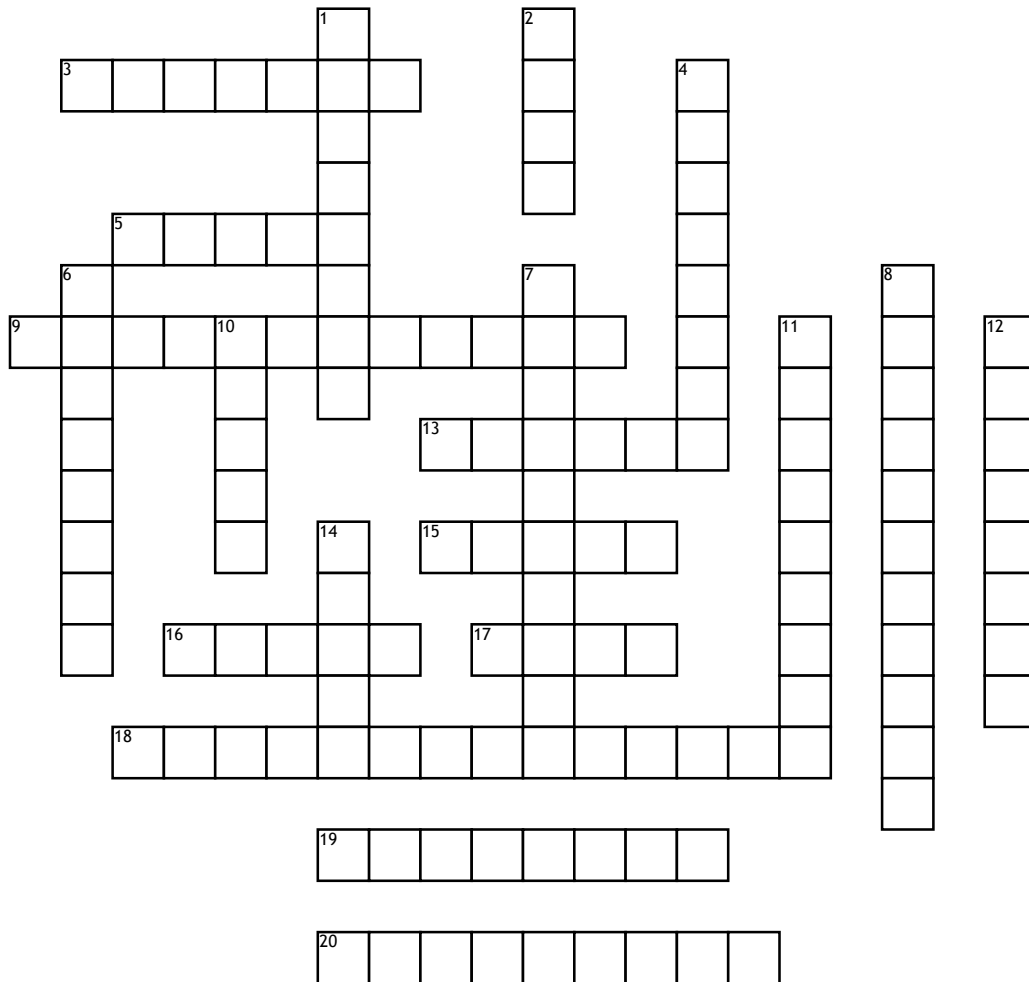


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# Government



### Across

- 3. The \_\_\_\_\_ government is our national government
- 5. Local governments are headed by a \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. The \_\_\_\_\_ is the plan for the United States government
- 13. \_\_\_\_\_ and balances keeps one branch from having too much power
- 15. The federal government is responsible for printing \_\_\_\_\_
- 16. The \_\_\_\_\_ government provides police and fire departments
- 17. To reject a law is to \_\_\_\_\_ it

- 18. \_\_\_\_\_ democracy is when citizens elect representatives who speak for them in making laws
  - 19. The Supreme Court is part of the \_\_\_\_\_ branch
  - 20. A government in which people govern themselves
- ### Down
- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ means more than half
  - 2. \_\_\_\_\_ are made to protect people at home and in the community
  - 4. In a democracy, \_\_\_\_\_ have the power to make political decisions
  - 6. The state government is led by a \_\_\_\_\_

- 7. A group of people who make and enforce the laws of a political region
- 8. The \_\_\_\_\_ branch makes the laws
- 10. Our government has \_\_\_\_\_ number of branches
- 11. The head of the \_\_\_\_\_ branch is the president
- 12. The limit on majority rule is called \_\_\_\_\_ rights
- 14. The \_\_\_\_\_ government issues driver's licenses

### Word Bank

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|----------|----------------|--------------|----------|------------|
| laws     | federal        | constitution | local    | citizens   |
| majority | legislative    | mayor        | state    | government |
| judicial | representative | veto         | checks   | governor   |
| three    | money          | executive    | minority | democracy  |