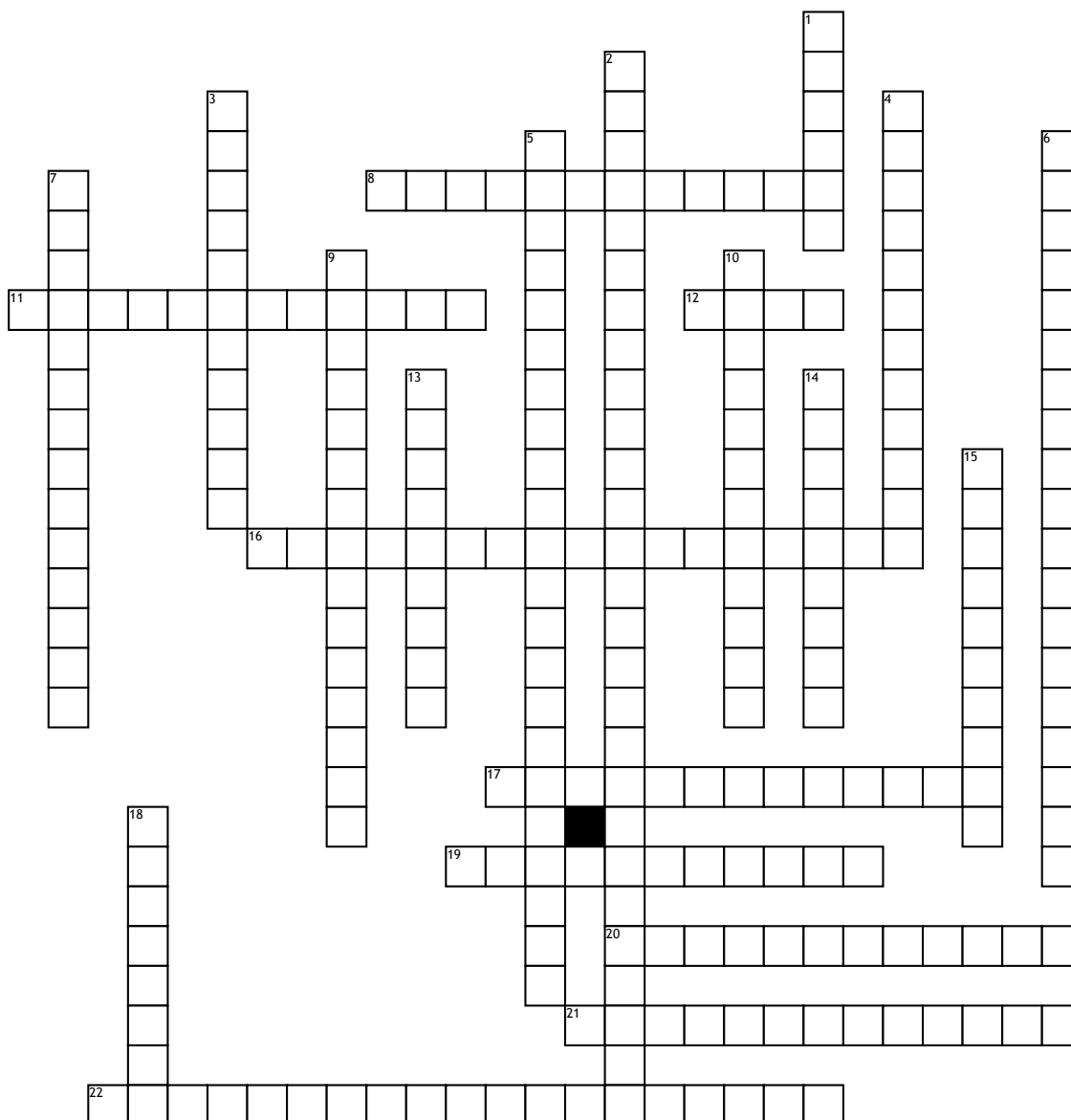# Sociology Chapter 9 Vocabulary Crossword

Across

8. The collective reference to immigrants from the predominantly Catholic countries of Ireland, Italy, France, Poland and Greece

11. The practice of placing blame for one's troubles on an innocent individual or group

12. The category of people who share inherited physical characteristics and who are perceived by others as being a distinct group

16. A policy that allows each group within society to keep its unique cultural identity

17. A group that possesses the ability to discriminate by virtue of their greater power, privilege and social status in a society

19. Individuals who share a common cultural background and common sense of identity

20. The blending of culturally distinct groups into a single group with a common culture and identity

21. A group of people who are singled out and unequally treated because of their physical characteristics or cultural practices.

22. Discrimination that is upheld by law.

Down

1. The belief that one's own race or ethnic group is naturally superior to other races or ethnic groups

2. Discrimination that is a outgrowth of the structure of society

3. The physical separation of a minority group from the dominant group

4. Discrimination and prejudice that targets Jews

5. A prediction that results in behavior that makes the prediction come true.

6. Racial bias in environmental policies and practices

7. A denial of equal treatment to individuals based on their group membership

9. The process of removing a group from a particular area through terror, expulsion and mass murder.

10. A social and political movement that unites culturally distinct tribes to work together on issues that affect all Native Americans

13. An unsupported generalization about a category of people.

14. A set of cultural characteristics that distinguishes one group from another group

15. An oversimplified, exaggerated, or unfavorable generalization about a category of people

18. Extermination aimed at intentionally destroying an entire targeted population