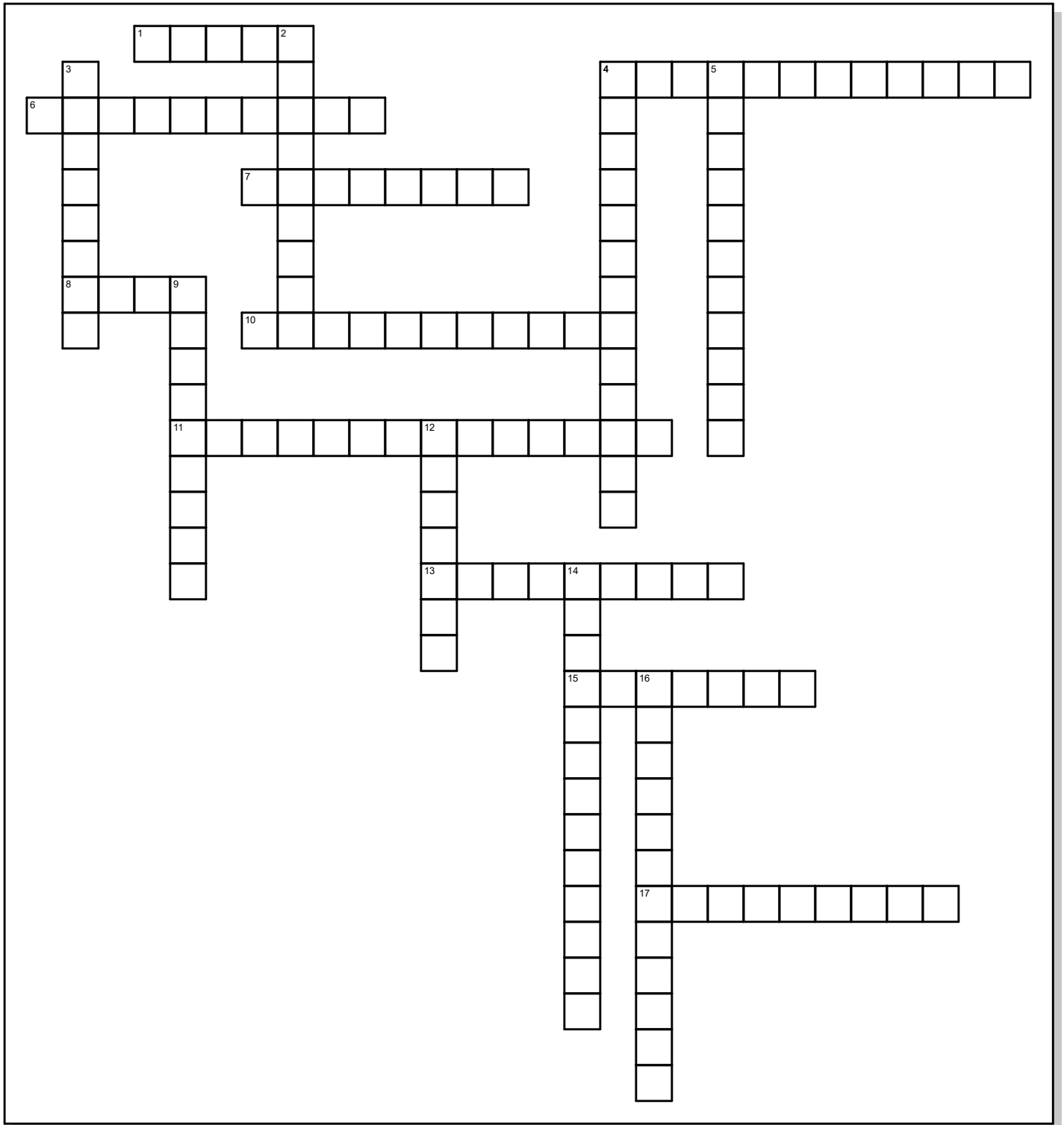


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Chapter 2: Government and Civics

Instructions: Complete the crossword puzzle. Use the clues to help identify the words.



Across

1. head of _____ - the chief public representative of a country, such as a president or monarch. This person may or may not serve as head of government, depending on the country.
4. _____ democracy - a form of government where citizens elect the president as head of government separately from the legislature
6. the system by which a country is organized
7. _____ branch - the branch of government that is in charge of a country's courts and that settles disputes among citizens and between citizens and the government
8. _____ of government - the person in charge of the day-to-day business of running the country
10. _____ branch - the branch of government that creates the laws of a country
11. _____ monarch - a form of government that has a sovereign as its head of state with limited power
13. a form of government where the ruler has absolute, or total, power
15. _____ government - a form of government where power is shared among different levels of government
17. a form of government where a political party or other small group makes all the major decisions

Down

2. _____ branch - the branch of government that enforces, or carries out, the laws passed by the legislative branch
3. absolute _____ - a form of government where the sovereign has all the power
4. _____ democracy - a form of government where citizens can vote for a representative from the political party that represents their views and the party with the most seats in parliament picks the head of government
5. the right of a group of people to be free of outside interference
9. a form of government where citizens have the power in choosing their leaders
12. _____ government - a form of government where the central (national) government holds almost all the power
14. _____ government - a system where local governments hold all the power and the central government is weak and depends on the local governments for its existence
16. a form of government where one person controls the entire country