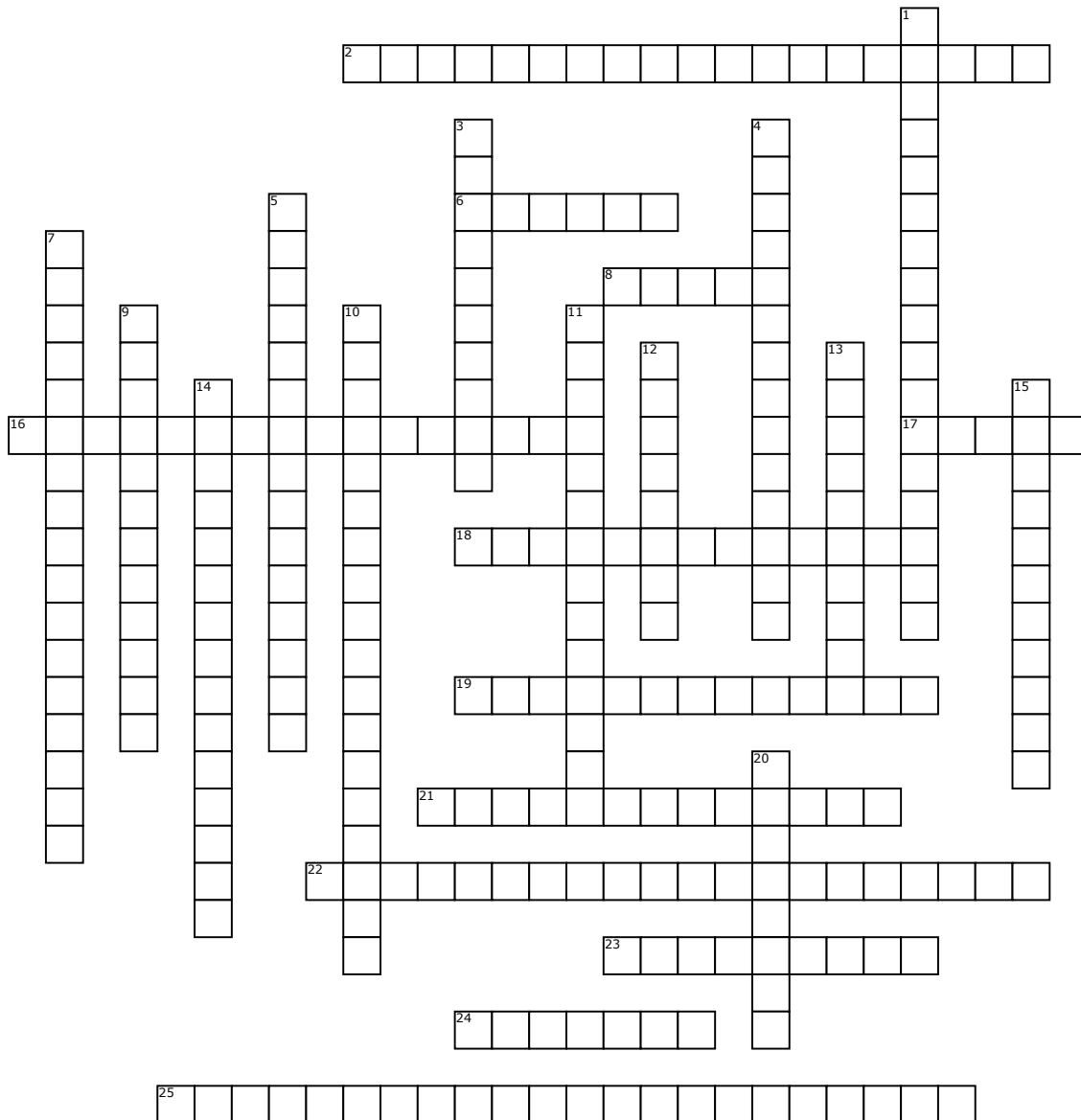


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# 3rd Quarter Vocabulary Project



## **Across**

- 2.** duty Congress holds besides lawmaking  
**6.** the upper house of Congress, consisting of two representatives from each state  
**8.** a population count taken by the Census Bureau  
**16.** laws that punish a person without a trial  
**17.** a completely unrelated amendment added to a bill  
**18.** another name for Clause 18  
**19.** the political party to which more than half of the members belong  
**21.** the political party with less than half of the members  
**22.** organizations made up of people who share common interests

- 23.** years of service which is used as a consideration for assigning committee members

- 24.** to accuse government officials of misconduct in office-

- 25.** the lower house of Congress

## **Down**

- 1.** projects funded by government spending that mainly benefit the home district or state are often  
**3.** a person from a legislator's district  
**4.** laws declaring that an act is a crime after the act has been committed  
**5.** another name for expressed power  
**7.** when Congressmen receive free office space, parking, and trips to their home states  
**9.** the powers that Congress has that are not stated directly in the Constitution but can be understood to be granted in Clause 18

- 10.** a court order that requires police to bring a prisoner to court to explain why they are holding the person

- 11.** power that the U.S. Congress has that is specifically listed in the Constitution

- 12.** representatives of an interest group who contacts lawmakers or other government officials directly to influence their policy making-

- 13.** a tactic for defeating a bill in the Senate by talking until the bill's sponsor withdraws it

- 14.** a resolution that is passed by both houses of Congress

- 15.** an oddly shaped election district designed to increase the voting strength of a particular group

- 20.** the work that a lawmaker does to help constituents with a problem