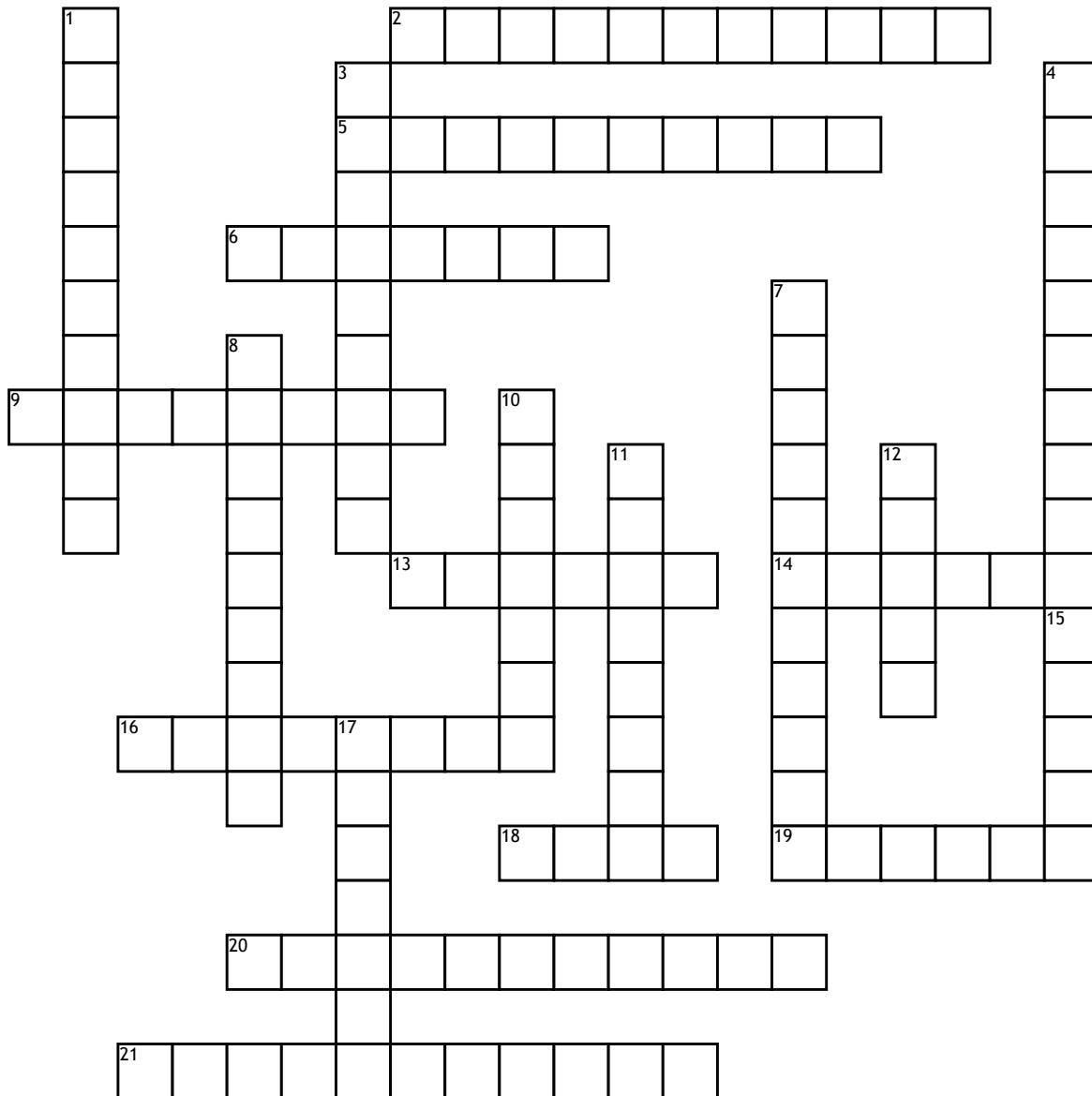


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# A World of Vertebrates



## Across

2. animal that hunts for its food and eats other animals  
 5. animal with a backbone  
 6. cold blooded animal with scales on the outer covering of its body  
 9. marsupial that lives in Australia and is known for its high hops  
 13. class of vertebrate that has hair and breathes air through lungs  
 14. what the poison that is in the fangs of some snakes is called  
 16. the outer covering of birds

18. animal with scales, gills, and lives in water

19. hard bony body covering made of keratin, just like your fingernails

20. another word for cold-blooded

21. word that means warm-blooded

## Down

1. when an animal can blend in with its surroundings so it cannot be seen  
 3. another word for an egg-laying animal  
 4. animal that is born in the water but lives on land and breathes air as an adult

7. eats only plants

8. mammal that carries babies in their pouch

10. class of vertebrates that a human belong to

11. mammal that lays eggs, which is an exception to the rule

12. the body organs that are used to breathe air

15. the organ that helps aquatic animals get their oxygen (to breathe)

17. place where an animal lives and its surroundings