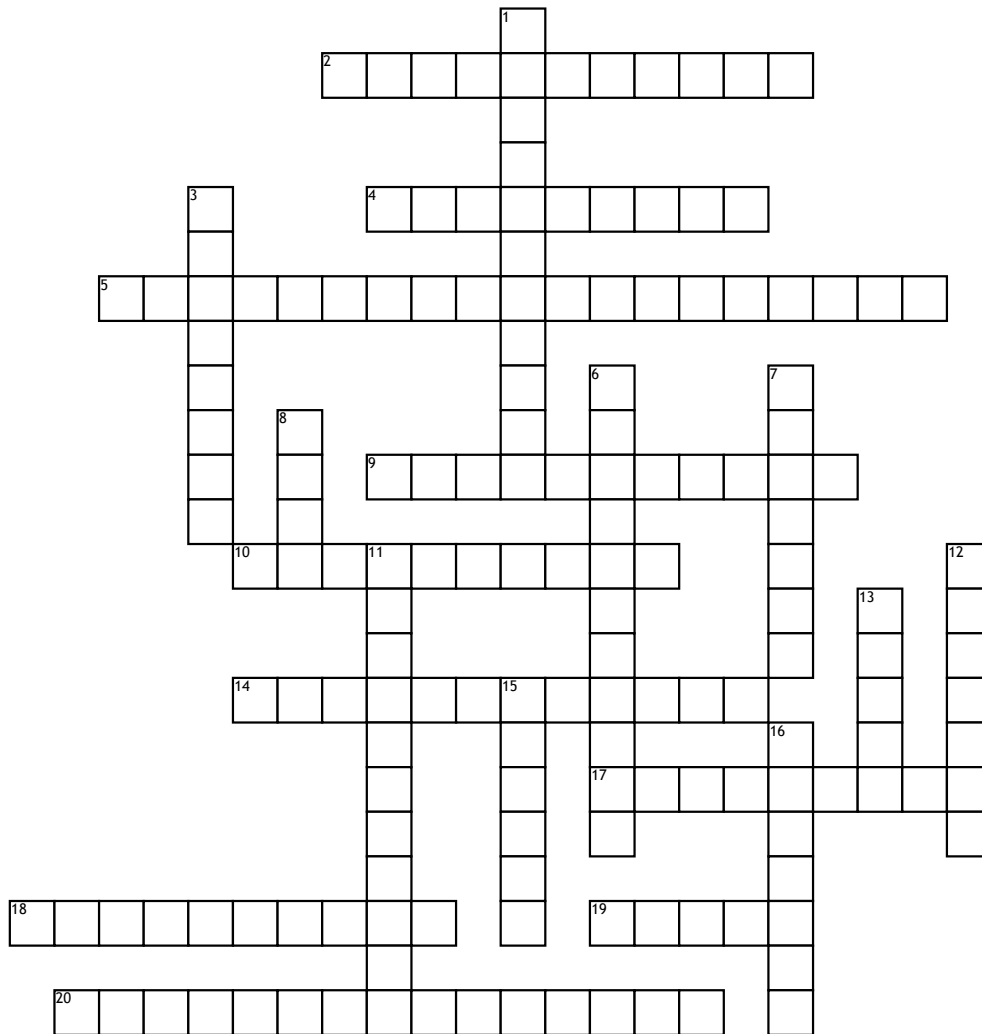


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Age of Exploration



Across

- 2. sail directly from Europe to India, around the Cape of Good Hope
- 4. Invented the printing press
- 5. Sailed in 1492 to India but ended in the New World
- 9. Portuguese navigator born in 1394
- 10. One of the three ships Columbus sailed on
- 14. Defeated the Aztecs and claimed Mexico for Spain
- 17. ancient scientific instruments used by astronomers and mariners

- 18. a person who is sent on a religious mission, which is usually to promote his or her religion
- 19. Where Columbus originally sailed for
- 20. Christopher Columbus and more sailed for this king

Down

- 1. Gave Florida its name and originally searched for gold
- 3. a person who provides materials, products, or services to a buyer, usually in exchange for money
- 6. a system of caravan tracts that connected ancient China to civilizations to the west

- 7. people who attack and rob ships at sea

- 8. One of the three ships Columbus sailed
- 11. What is now known as America
- 12. a small, fast Spanish or Portuguese sailing ship of the 15th-17th centuries.
- 13. One of the three ships Columbus sailed
- 15. a country or area under the full or partial political control of another country, typically a distant one, and occupied by settlers from that country.
- 16. a navigational tool for finding direction on Earth's surface

Word Bank

Missionary
Caravel
Merchant
Prince Henry
Astrolabe

Compass
Gutenberg
Colony
Santa Maria
Vasco da Gama

The New World
King Ferdinand II
Hernan Cortes
India
Ponce de Leon

pirates
Pinta
Christopher Columbus
The Silk Road
Nina