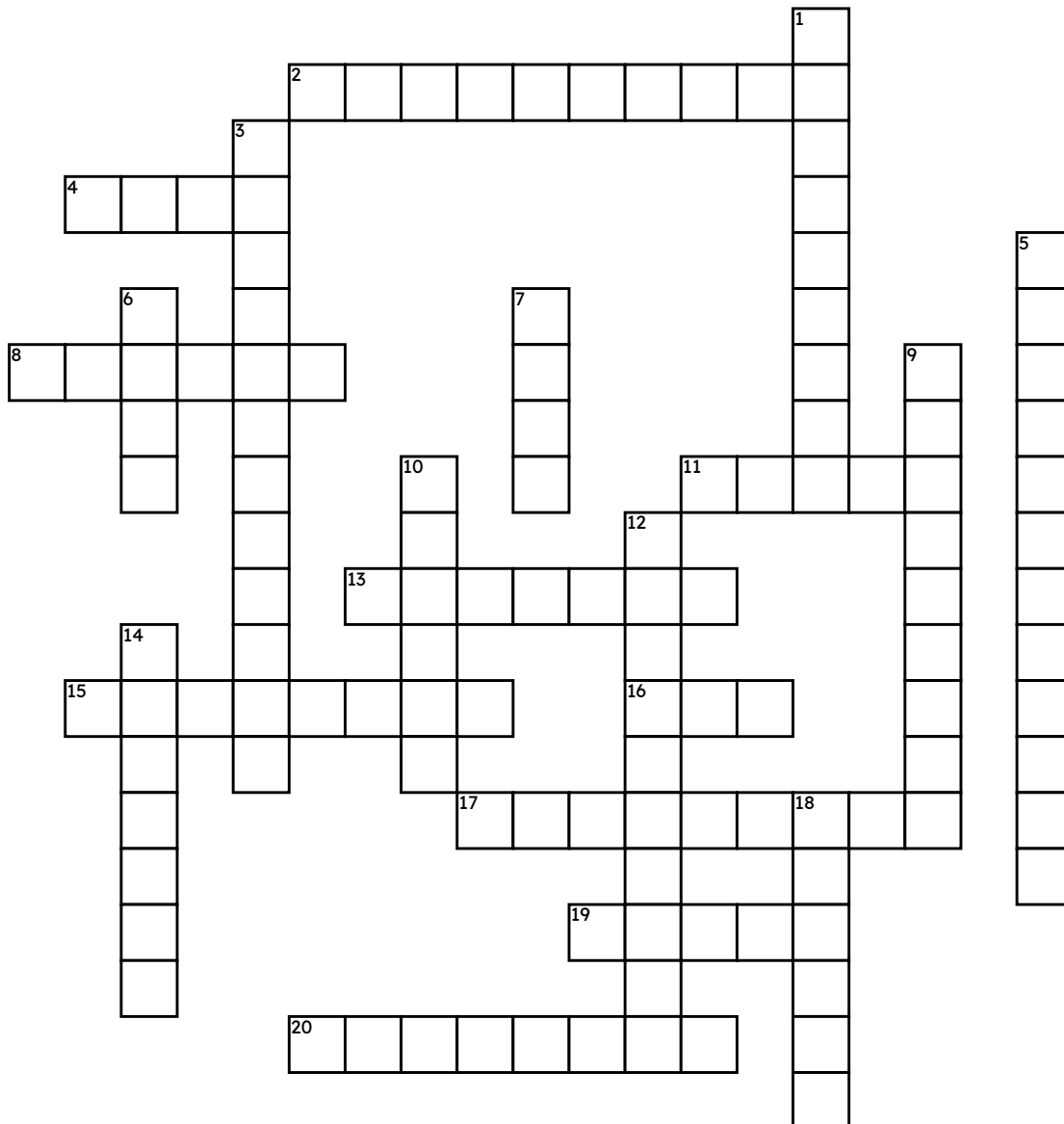


# Ancient West African Kingdoms



**Across**

- 2. Nok sculptures were made using this material.
- 4. The Nok were the first to make objects from:
- 8. In addition to gold, the Songhai and Asante also traded:
- 11. Ife sculptures were made from this material.
- 13. Askia the Great was a powerful ruler of the:
- 15. The most famous Songhai ruler was:
- 16. The earliest West African kingdom was:

- 17. Some West African kingdoms were colonized by \_\_\_\_\_ who wanted their land.
- 19. Mansa Musa met Arab writers on his pilgrimage to:
- 20. The city of \_\_\_\_\_ was an important city to the kingdom of Mali.

**Down**

- 1. An important ruler in Mali was:
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ was able to grow wealthy by collecting taxes from trade.
- 5. West African people were skilled in pottery and:

- 6. This kingdom grew out of a weakened Ancient Ghana.
- 7. All African empires grew rich through trading in:
- 9. Asante kings had gold \_\_\_\_\_ to get their subjects' attention.
- 10. Most West African kingdoms ended \_\_\_\_\_.
- 12. Ife was a kingdom settled in the cleared:
- 14. Mali was an Islamic empire that built many:
- 18. The British conquered the \_\_\_\_\_ in 1902.