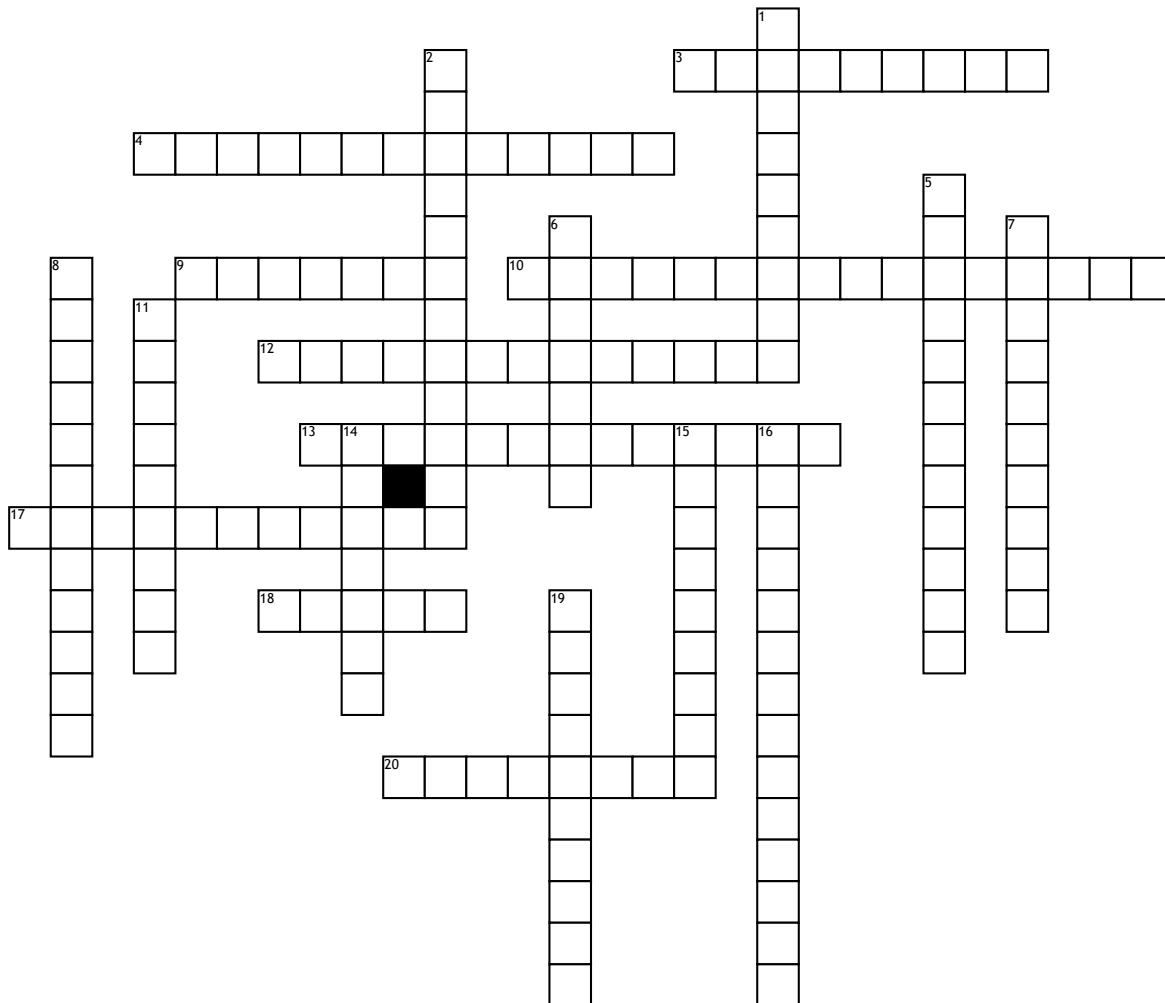


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Chapter 1 Crossword



Across

3. _____ was a loosely organized system in which powerful lords divided their lands among other, lesser lords.

4. A _____ is an alliance of independent states.

9. A _____ is one who holds both rights and responsibilities in a state.

10. The power to make laws and to frame public policies

12. In a _____ government, the executive branch is made up of the prime minister or premier, and that official's cabinet.

13. The power to interpret laws, to determine their meaning, and to settle disputes that arise within the society.

17. European monarchies embarked on a policy of _____ the control of one nation over lands abroad.

18. Defined as a body of people, living in a defined territory, organized politically, and with the power to make and enforce law without the consent of any higher authority.

20. The only satisfactory device democracy knows is that of _____ rule.

Down

1. An _____ is a government in which a single person holds unlimited political power.

2. _____ is an economic and political theory emphasizing money as the chief source of wealth to increase the absolute power of the monarchy and the nation.

5. A _____ government features a separation of powers between the executive and the legislative branches of the government.

6. A _____ government is one in which the powers of government are divided between a central government and several local governments.

7. The institution through which a society makes and enforces its public policies.

8. In this form of government, those who rule cannot be held responsible to the will of the people.

11. Greek philosopher _____ observed that "man is by nature a political animal."

14. A _____ government is often described as a centralized government.

15. An _____ is a government in which the power to rule is held by a small, usually self-appointed elite.

16. The power to execute, enforce, and administer laws

19. _____ is the process of blending and adjusting competing views and interests.