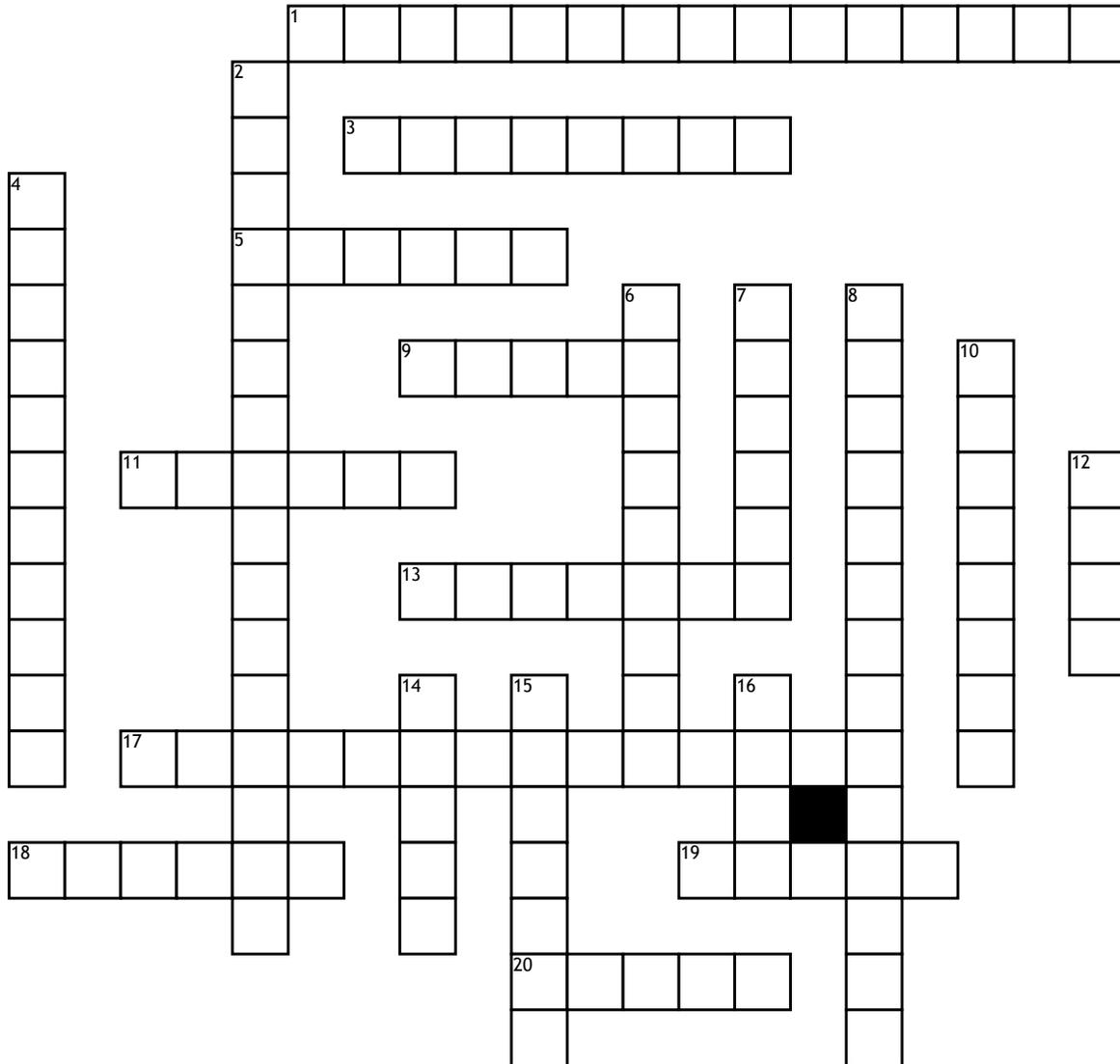


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Digestive System



Across

- 1. a group of organs working together to convert food into energy and basic nutrients to feed the entire body
- 3. The region of the small intestine where the majority of digestion and absorption take place
- 5. place where waste is stored until ready to be egested
- 9. Ball of chewed food that is swallowed
- 11. a slippery liquid that makes food easy to swallow and helps break the food down
- 13. Enzyme that begins to break down starch in the mouth

- 17. a long folded tube inside the body attached to the stomach where nutrients in the food are absorbed
- 18. enzyme that breaks down protein
- 19. these are used to chew food
- 20. another name for the Large Intestine

Down

- 2. name of the acid found in your stomach
- 4. where bile is stored until ready to be used
- 6. the tube that connects the stomach to the mouth
- 7. muscle in your mouth that is used for pushing food around

- 8. the tube after the small intestine where liquid is absorbed
- 10. Releases enzymes that aid in Digestion while also regulating blood sugar
- 12. the end of the gastrointestinal tract where waste is ejected out of the body
- 14. this produces bile that goes into the small intestine and help digest the food
- 15. after being swallowed, food goes to this place where it is mixed with acid
- 16. yellowish-brown substance that digests fats (lipids)