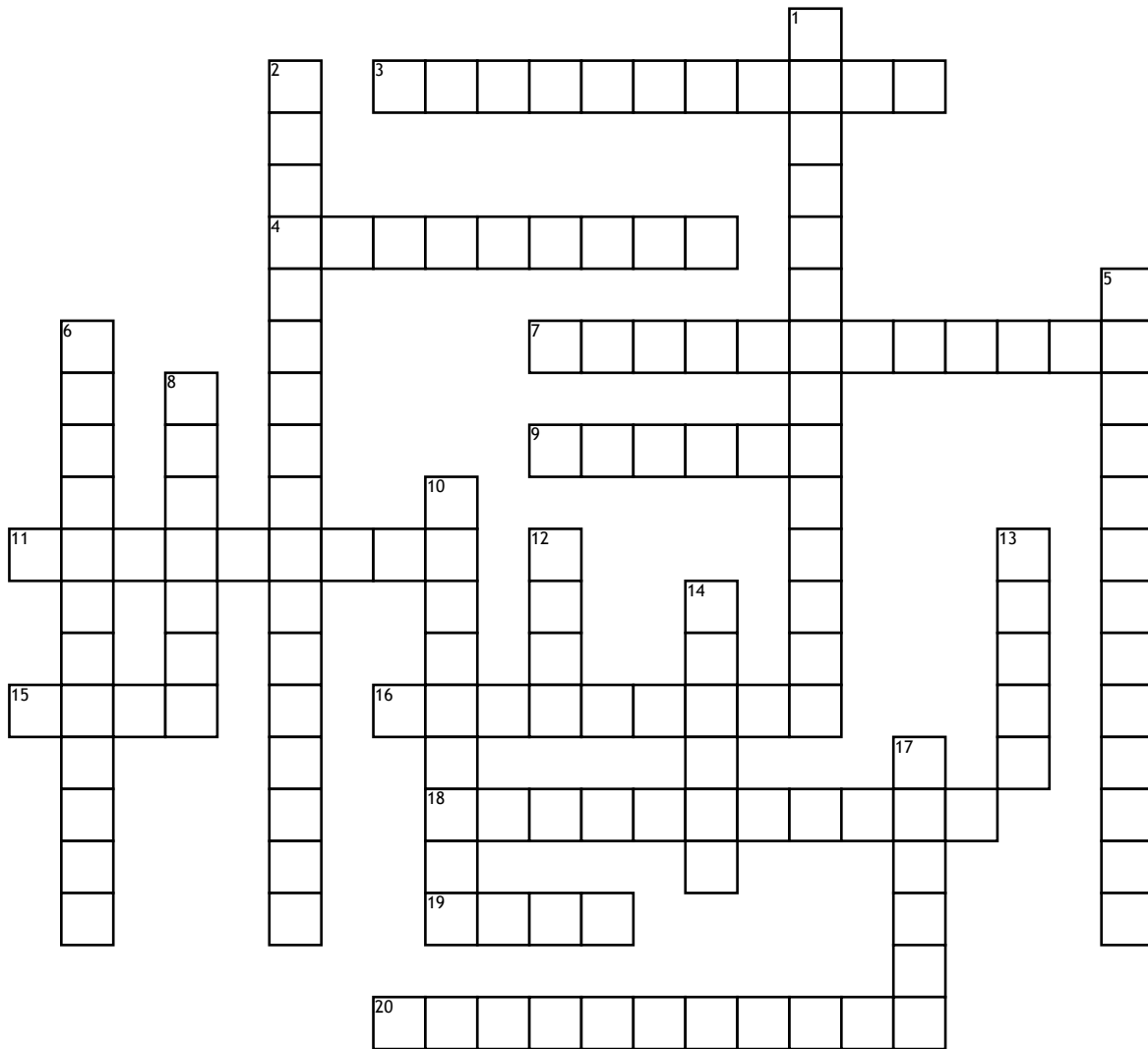


Name: _____

Date: _____

FOSSILS



Across

- 3. a rock type in which you might find fossils
- 4. preserved; shriveled up
- 7. lack a backbone
- 9. a tool used to dig holes
- 11. stony mass
- 15. minerals are deposited into a fossil
- 16. an outline left
- 18. outer support of a skeleton

19. a for of matrix

20. mark left by an organ

Down

- 1. person who studies fossils
- 2. trace of past organism
- 5. organic material turns into stone
- 6. the scientific study of fossils
- 8. a very small, living organism

10. an example of a chemical fossil made from ocean microbes

12. fossil formed when plant, animal, or other organism die

13. the Latin meaning of "fossilis"

14. a sharp flat screwdriver

17. substance that forms the skeleton of the body