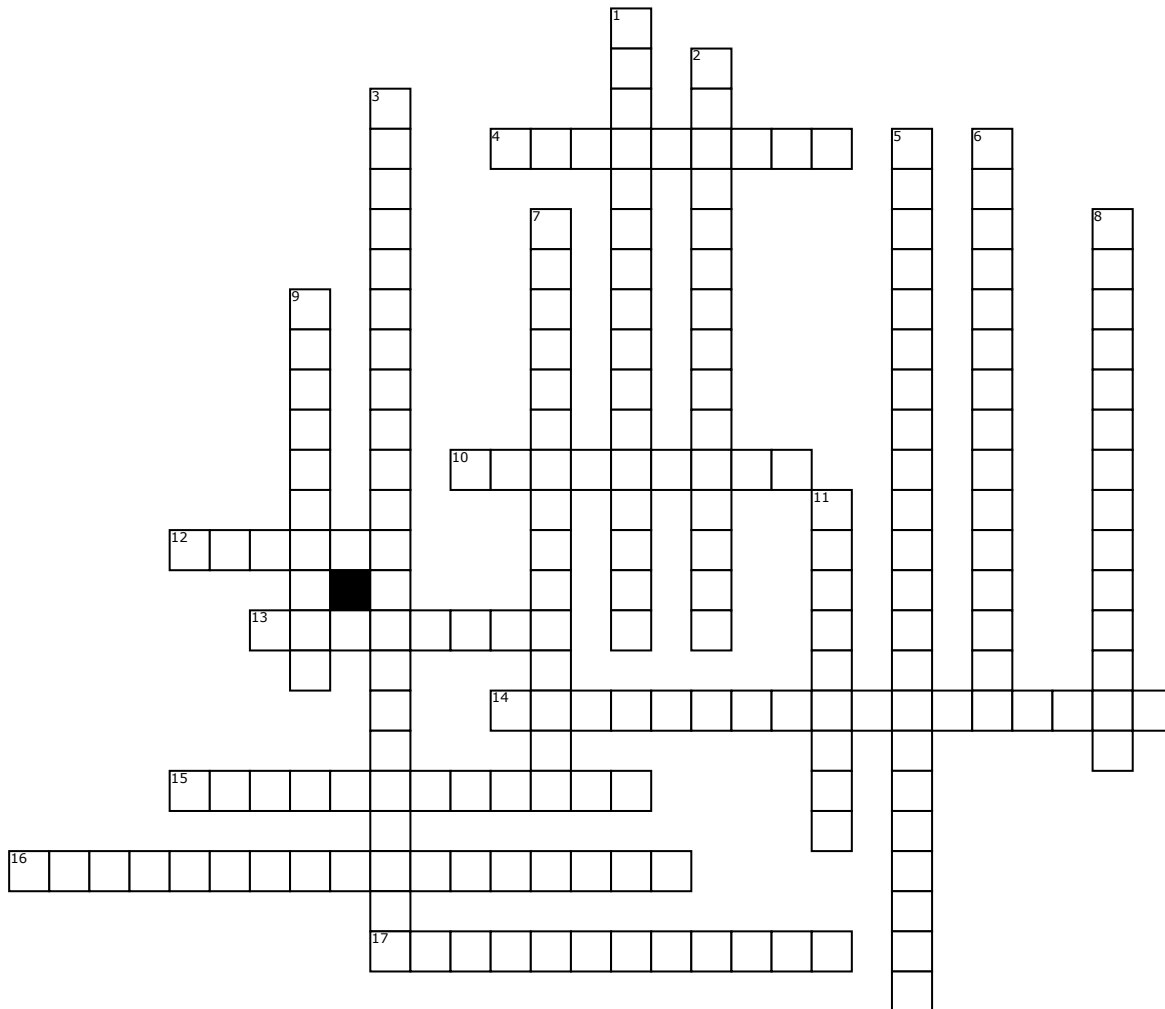


# Govt. Vocab



## **Across**

- 4.** When one person controls the government.
- 10.** A type of government where a small group of people are in charge.
- 12.** The section of the legislative branch made up of 2 legislators per state. Every state has the same amount regardless of population.
- 13.** The person elected to run the government of a state and ensure that laws and policies are followed.
- 14.** A few people are elected to make decisions for everyone.
- 15.** A type of government where someone takes over and rules by force.

**16.** The branch of government which makes laws and policies for the country.

**17.** The highest court in the USA. It makes decisions on court cases that have been appealed in the lower courts.

## **Down**

- 1.** A single ruler (king/queen) with no limits on power, born into the position.
- 2.** When citizens vote on all major decisions.
- 3.** The section of the legislative branch made up of legislators elected by their state. The number of legislators for each state depends on their population. (higher population = more representatives)

**5.** When a king/queen has their powers limited by a constitution.

**6.** A government made up of a national government that gives some power to state governments.

**7.** The branch of government in charge of running the country and ensuring that laws are followed.

**8.** The branch of government that oversees court cases.

**9.** A person elected by citizens to make laws in the House of Representatives or Senate.

**11.** The person elected to run a democratic government.