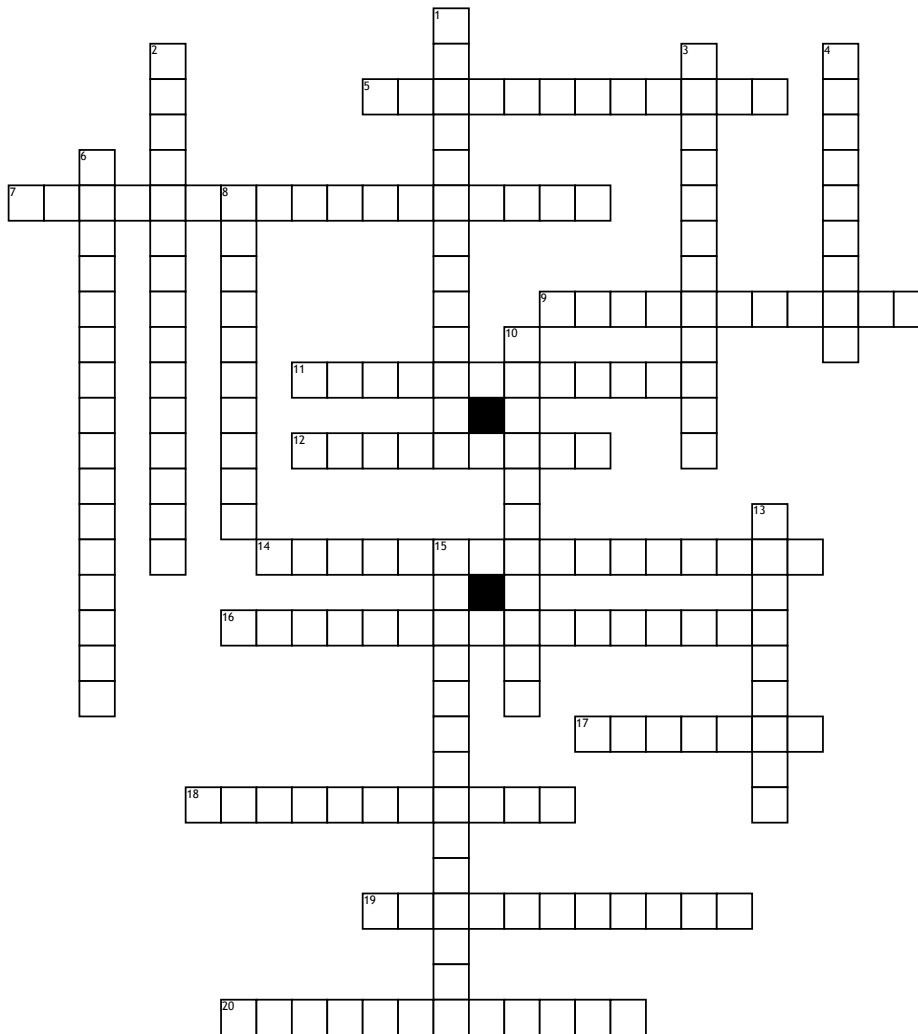


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Important Government Figures in Early America



Across

- 5. Who was America's fourth Chief Justice?
- 7. Who was the first secretary of the US treasury and wrote the Federalist Papers?
- 9. Who was the first person to sign the Declaration of Independence?
- 11. Who was known as the "Father of the Constitution"?
- 12. Who was the Vice President who killed Alexander Hamilton?
- 14. Who was the first President?
- 16. Who wrote the New Jersey Plan?

- 17. Who was the first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court?
- 18. Who wrote the Virginia Constitution?
- 19. Who wrote 'Common Sense'?
- 20. Who was the second author of the Great Compromise?

Down

- 1. Who was one of the writers of the Great Compromise who was known as the 'Penman of the Revolution'?
- 2. Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?
- 3. Who said, "Give me Liberty or Give me Death!"?

- 4. Who was a part of George Washington's cabinet in charge of National Defense?
- 6. Who negotiated the 1783 Treaty of Paris?
- 8. Who led Shay's Rebellion?
- 10. Who has a beer company named after them?
- 13. Who was the first Vice President?
- 15. Who was America's first Attorney General?

Word Bank

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| Henry Knox | Daniel Shay | Alexander Hamilton | Patrick Henry |
| John Adams | John Hancock | Samuel Adams | Aaron Burr |
| William Patterson | Benjamin Franklin | George Mason | John Dickinson |
| Roger Sherman | George Washington | Thomas Paine | James Madison |
| Edmund Randolph | John Marshall | John Jay | Thomas Jefferson |