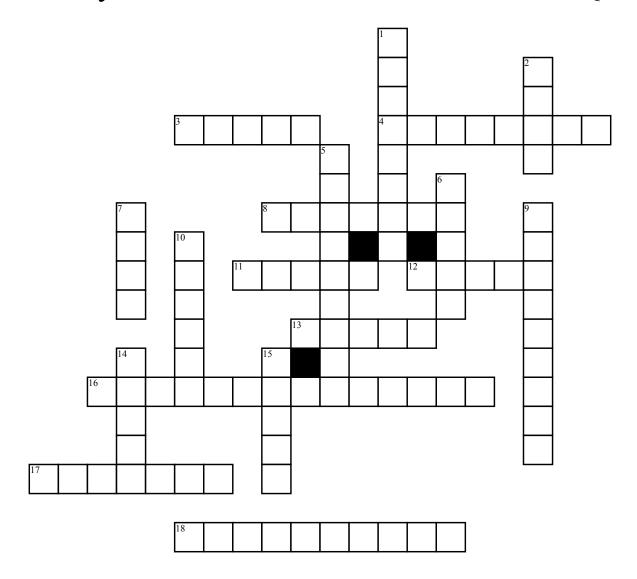
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## Solar System / Constellations Crossword Quiz



## Across

- **3.** 5. Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune are called giant planets and are mainly
- **4.** 2. A meteor that is burning up into the Earth's atmosphere is called a star.
- **8.** 9. The largest planet in our Solar System.
- **11.** 3. Sudden eruption of intense high-energy radiation from the Sun's surface.
- 12. 8. A Black Hole is the dense remains of a massive star, with such a strong gravitational field that \_\_\_\_\_ cannot escape from it.

- **13.** 6. Mercury, Venus, and Mars are called Terrestrial Planets because they are small, \_\_\_\_\_ planets, like the Earth.
- **16.** pattern of stars appearing in the night sky.
- **17.** 4. Bowl-shaped depressions on the Moon's surface formed by the striking of Meteorites.
- **18.** 1. Cloud-like arc of gas that erupts from the surface of the sun.

## Down

- **1.** 16. Dark patches on the Sun's surface.
- **2.** 18. The imaginary line around which the Earth rotates.

- **5.** 3. Explosion of a star as it runs out of nuclear fuel.
- **6.** 4. Oval-shaped path taken by a planet around the Sun.
- 7. 17. A comet's tail always points from the Sun.
- 9. 2. Lumps of rock circling in a broad band between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter.
- **10.** 7. Changing shapes of the Moon that we see.
- **14.** 15. A wandering lump of ice and dust with a tail of gas that orbits around the Sun.
- **15.** 5. The smallest planet in our Solar System.