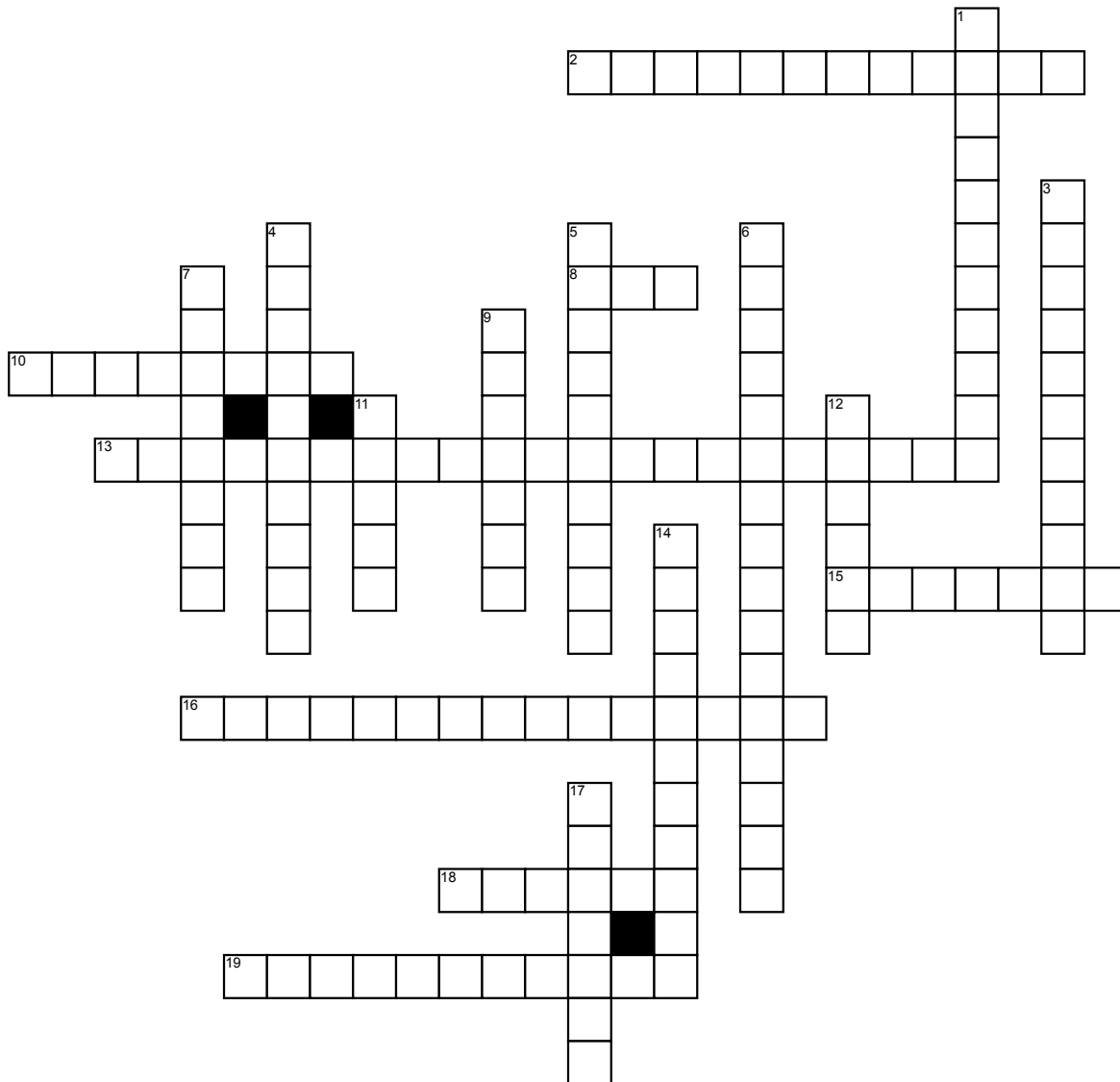


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# ancient china vocab



## **Across**

2. a system of philosophical and ethical teachings  
 8. the absolute principle underlying the universe  
 10. excessive adherence to law or formula.  
 13. the period from spring to autumn  
 15. a large area of flat unforested grassland in southeastern Europe or Siberia  
 16. The Chinese philosophical concept of the circumstances under which a ruler is allowed to rule  
 18. a metal made of copper and tin

19. a system of government in which most of the important decisions are made by state officials rather than by elected representatives

## **Down**

1. picture symbols  
 3. a bone that is burn for use of prayer  
 4. highest ranked or honored person in a society  
 5. a written character symbolizing the idea of a thing without indicating the sounds used to say it  
 6. intended as a method to achieve an effective, rational public administration on a merit system.

7. ancient network of trade routes that were for centuries  
 9. generations of kings or rulers  
 11. loosely compacted yellow-gray sediment  
 12. a Chinese philosophy based on the writings  
 14. a virtue of respect for one's parents, elders, and ancestors.  
 17. an official order or commission to do something