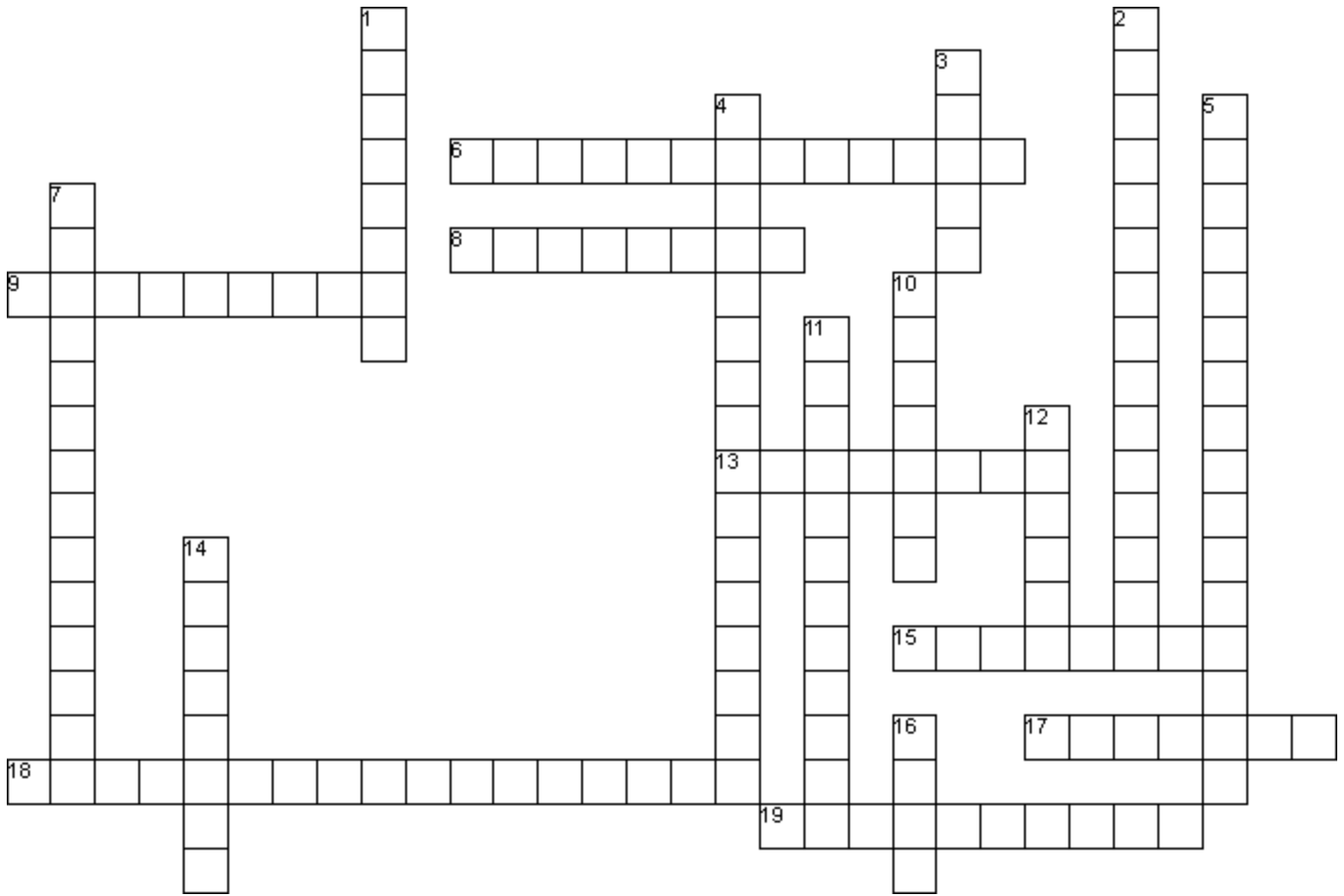


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### The Five Themes of Geography Crossword Puzzle

Complete the puzzle using the clues shown below.



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**Across**

6. A major line of longitude located at 0°.
8. The term we use to refer to lines of longitude.
9. The series of imaginary lines that run north and south from one pole to another.
13. The series of imaginary lines that circle Earth parallel to the equator.
15. This theme helps geographers understand how ideas get from one place to another.
17. We use this theme to compare unifying characteristics in an area.
18. A major line of latitude located at 23°S.
19. Half of the terrestrial globe divided into northern and southern areas by the equator or into eastern and western areas by some meridians.

**Down**

1. The term we use to refer to lines of latitude.
2. A major line of latitude located at 66°S.
3. This theme includes the study of a location's physical and human characteristics.
4. The location of a place as described by places near it.
5. The exact position of a place on Earth.
7. A major line of latitude located at 23°N.
10. A major line of latitude located at 0°.
11. A major line of latitude located at 66°N.
12. A unit of measurement used to determine absolute location.
14. This theme answers the question "Where are we?"
16. This is created when lines of latitude and longitude crisscross on a map.

### ANSWER KEY

The crossword puzzle grid contains the following words:

- 1. Parallel
- 2. Antarctic
- 3. Pole
- 4. Meridian
- 5. Absolut
- 6. Prime Meridian
- 7. Tropic
- 8. Longitude
- 9. Equator
- 10. Equator
- 11. Arctic
- 12. Degree
- 13. Latitude
- 14. Local
- 15. Movement
- 16. Grid
- 17. Regions
- 18. Tropics of Capricorn
- 19. Hemisphere