



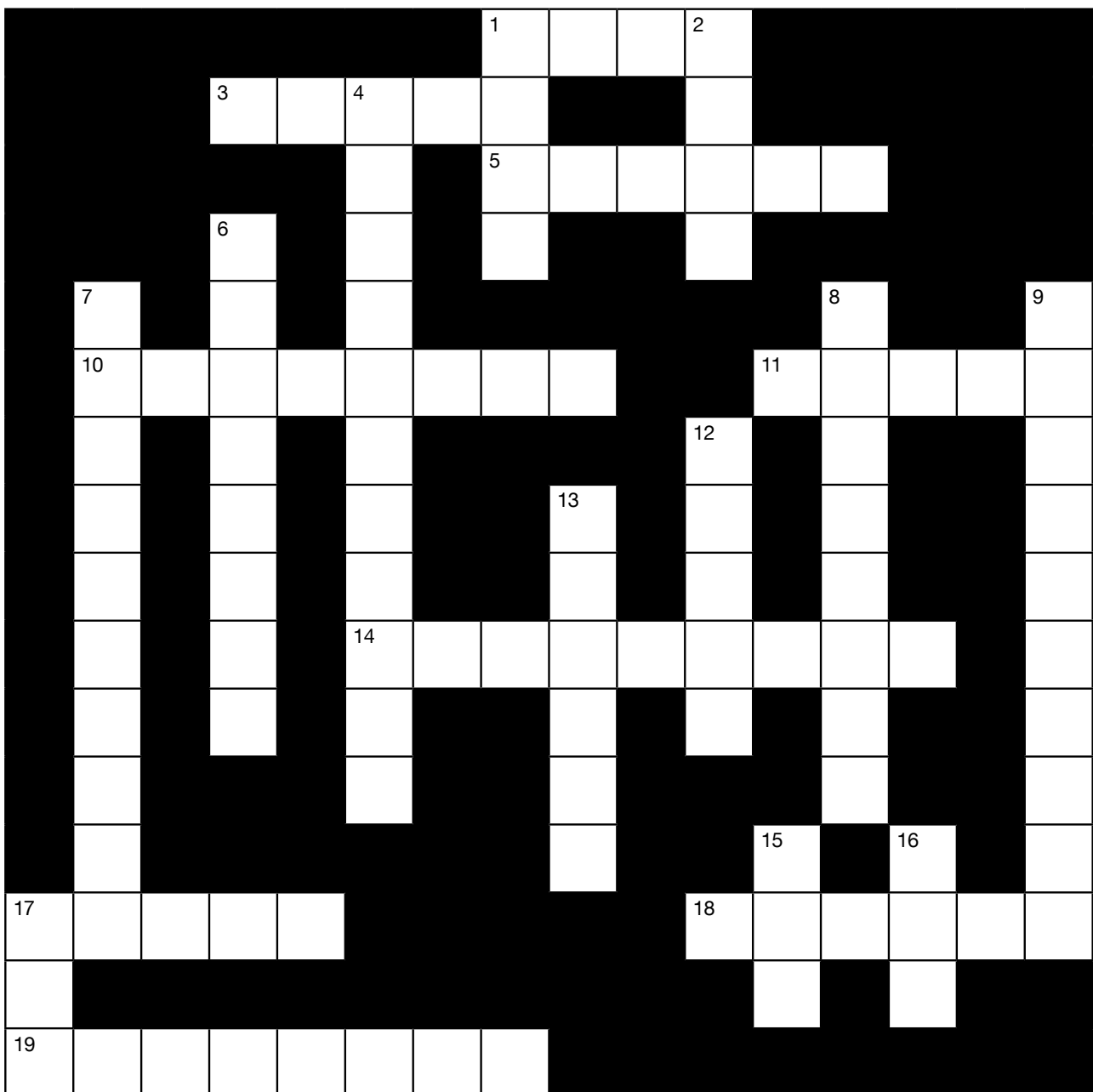
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CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD

Christmas Around the World Crossword

Name: _____

Enjoy some Christmas fun!



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Clues:

Across

1. Egyptians break their fast with a meal called 'fata', made up of bread, rice, garlic and boiled _____ (4).
3. In _____ (5), people often place clay lamps on the roof of their house.
5. In Australia, we celebrate Christmas in _____ (6).
10. In many European countries _____ (8) are exchanged on Christmas Eve.
11. Australians enjoy Christmas with pool parties, barbeques or going to the _____ (5).
14. There are many similarities between the ways that people celebrate _____ (9) around the world.
17. In _____ (5) and some other countries, Christmas is celebrated on January 7.
18. At Christmas, you might attend a Church service, sing _____ (6) or exchange gifts.
19. In _____ (8) Christmas celebrations are called 'ganna'.

Down

1. Egyptians break their fast after midnight _____ (4).

2. Christmas _____ (4) is full of celebration and tradition.
4. There are many _____ (11) between the ways that cultures celebrate Christmas.
6. Australia has a hot Christmas compared to the cold European and North _____ (8) white Christmas.
7. In Greece, _____ (10) the water from a bowl with basil around the house is thought to keep bad spirits away.
8. In India, they _____ (8) banana or mango trees at Christmas time.
9. Egyptian _____ (10) will fast for the 40 days before Christmas.
12. In Ethiopia they dress in a special _____ (5) garment called a 'shamma'.
13. People of all _____ (6) and cultures embrace Christmas.
15. Christmas food in Ethiopia includes a traditional dish called _____ (3) which is a thick and spicy stew.
16. A _____ (3) roast turkey is a Christmas favourite for some.
17. In Greece, Christmas _____ (3) marks the end of 40 days of fasting.