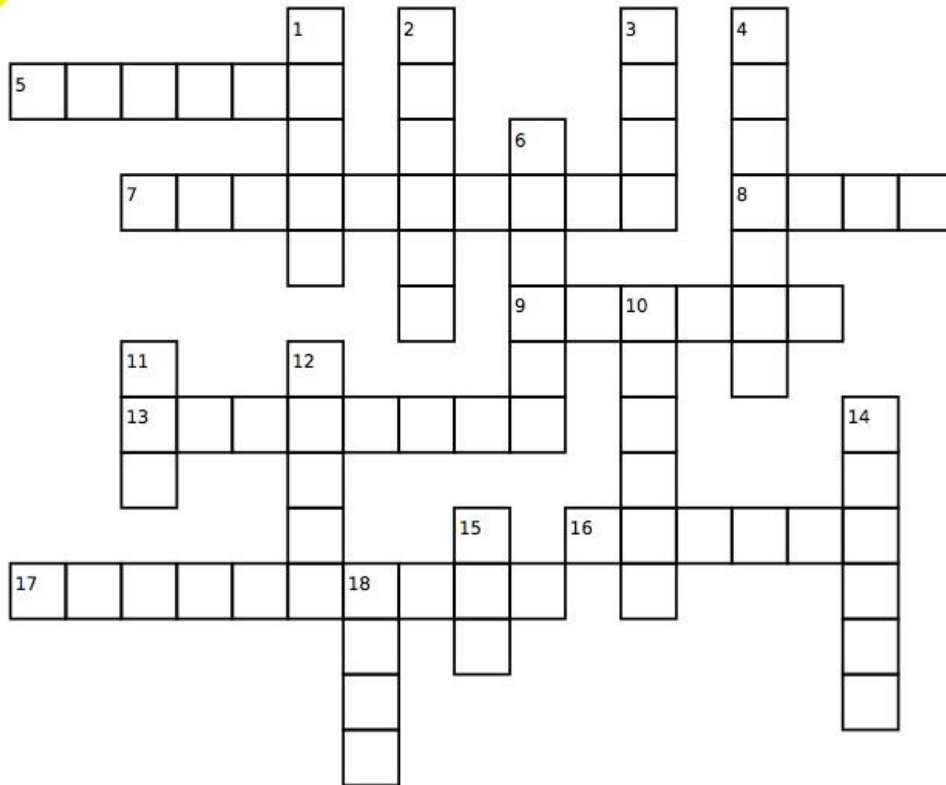




The Reason for the Seasons Crossword Puzzle

Name: _____

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Down:

1. The path of Earth around the sun.
2. A region of the earth where the light is very direct all year long.
3. The northern or southern ends of the axis of rotation.
4. An imaginary line that divides Earth into a North and South half.
6. A way to divide the year based on weather and daylight.
10. The region of the Northern Hemisphere that gets light all day long in the summer.
11. A type of season experienced at the equator.
12. Another type of season experienced at the equator.
14. The season experienced after winter, when flowers bloom.
15. The really bright star at the center of our solar system.

18. The season that occurs after summer, when leaves change.

Across:

5. The season with the most direct light, it feels the warmest.
7. A half of the Earth (North and South, for instance.)
8. An imaginary line about which the earth rotates.
9. What you cast on a sunny day. Changes length with the seasons.
16. The season with the least direct light. It feels the coldest.
17. The number of hours in a day.

