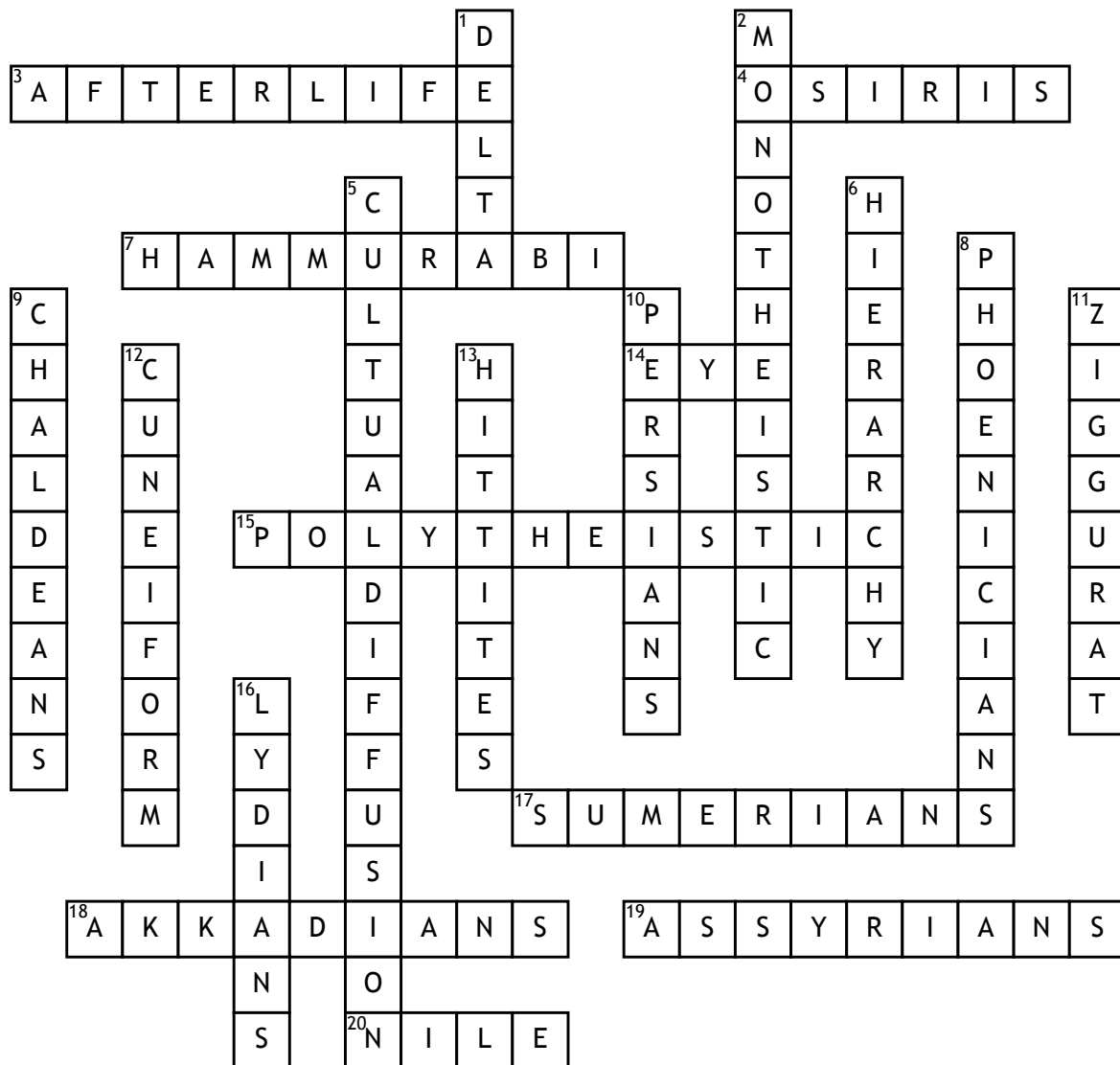


# Ancient Middle East Civilizations



## Across

3. belief in life after death
4. the god of the afterlife
7. created a law based on an "eye for an eye"
14. an "\_\_\_ for an eye"
15. believes in multiple gods
17. civilization between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers
18. built the first empire known to history
19. civilization founded the world's first library

20. the \_\_\_\_\_ empties into the Mediterranean Sea

## Down

1. area of marshy flatlands at the mouth of the Nile
2. believes in one god
5. the spread of ideas, traditions, and items
6. system of ranking groups
8. civilization developed the first alphabet

9. invented the three-hundred and sixty-five day year
10. civilization built over one-hundred miles of roads
11. a large, stepped platform used to worship gods
12. writing made by wedged shaped marks
13. introduced iron weapons through wars and trade
16. first people to use coin money