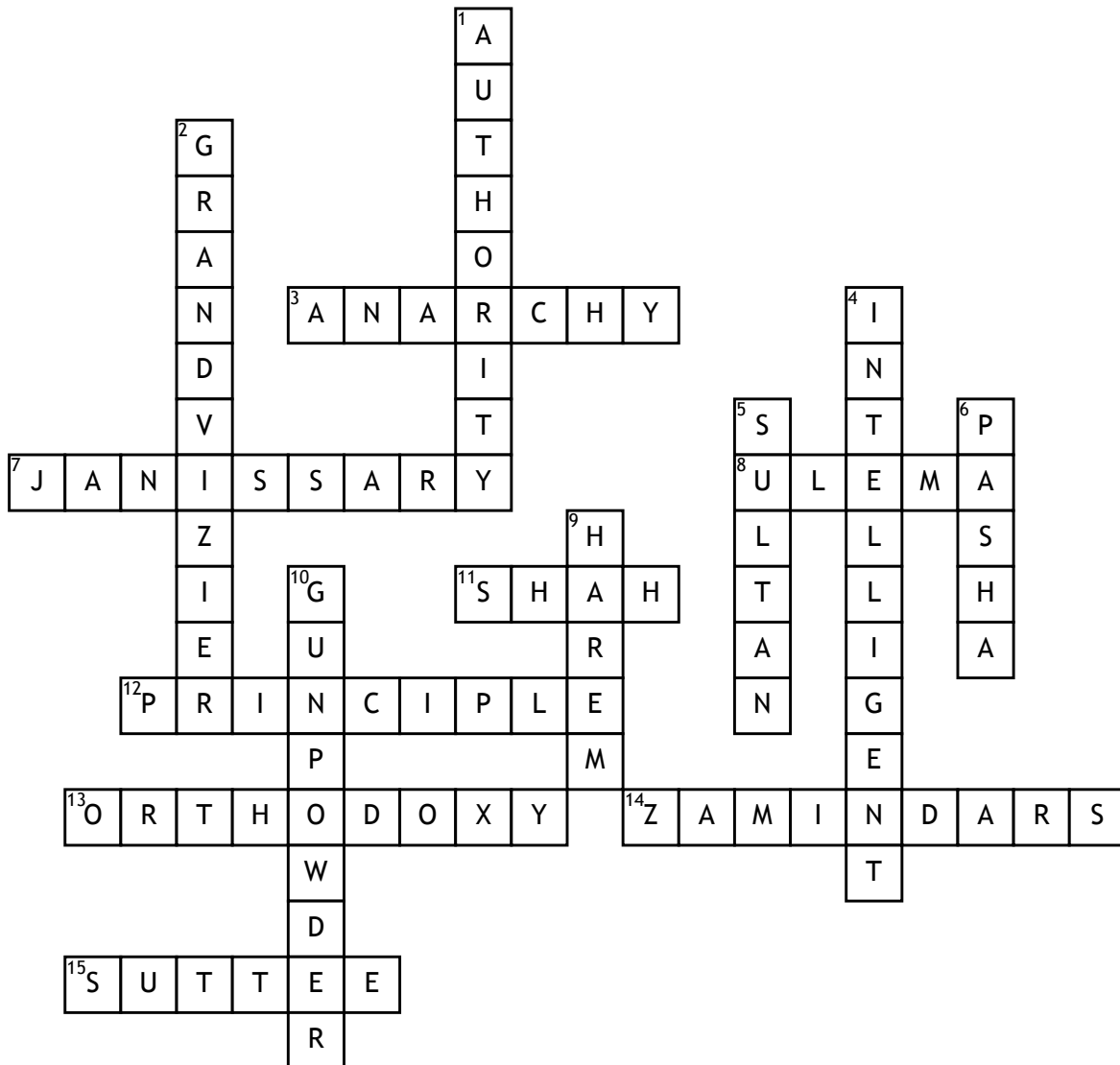


chapter 19 vocabulary



Across

3. a state of disorder due to absence or nonrecognition of authority.

7. a member of the Turkish infantry forming the Sultan's guard between the 14th and 19th centuries.

8. a body of Muslim scholars recognized as having specialist knowledge of Islamic sacred law and theology.

11. a title of the former monarch of Iran.

12. a fundamental truth or proposition that serves as the foundation for a system of belief or behavior or for a chain of reasoning.

13. authorized or generally accepted theory, doctrine, or practice.

14. a landowner, especially one who leases his land to tenant farmers.

15. the former Hindu practice of a widow throwing herself onto her husband's funeral pyre.

Down

1. the power or right to give orders, make decisions, and enforce obedience.

2. In the Ottoman Empire, the Grand Vizier was the prime minister of the Ottoman sultan, with absolute power of attorney and, in principle, dismissible only by the sultan himself.

4. having or showing intelligence, especially of a high level.

5. a Muslim sovereign.

6. the title of a Turkish officer of high rank.

9. the separate part of a Muslim household reserved for wives, concubines, and female servants.

10. The Gunpowder Empires is a term used to describe the Ottoman, Safavid and Mughal empires.