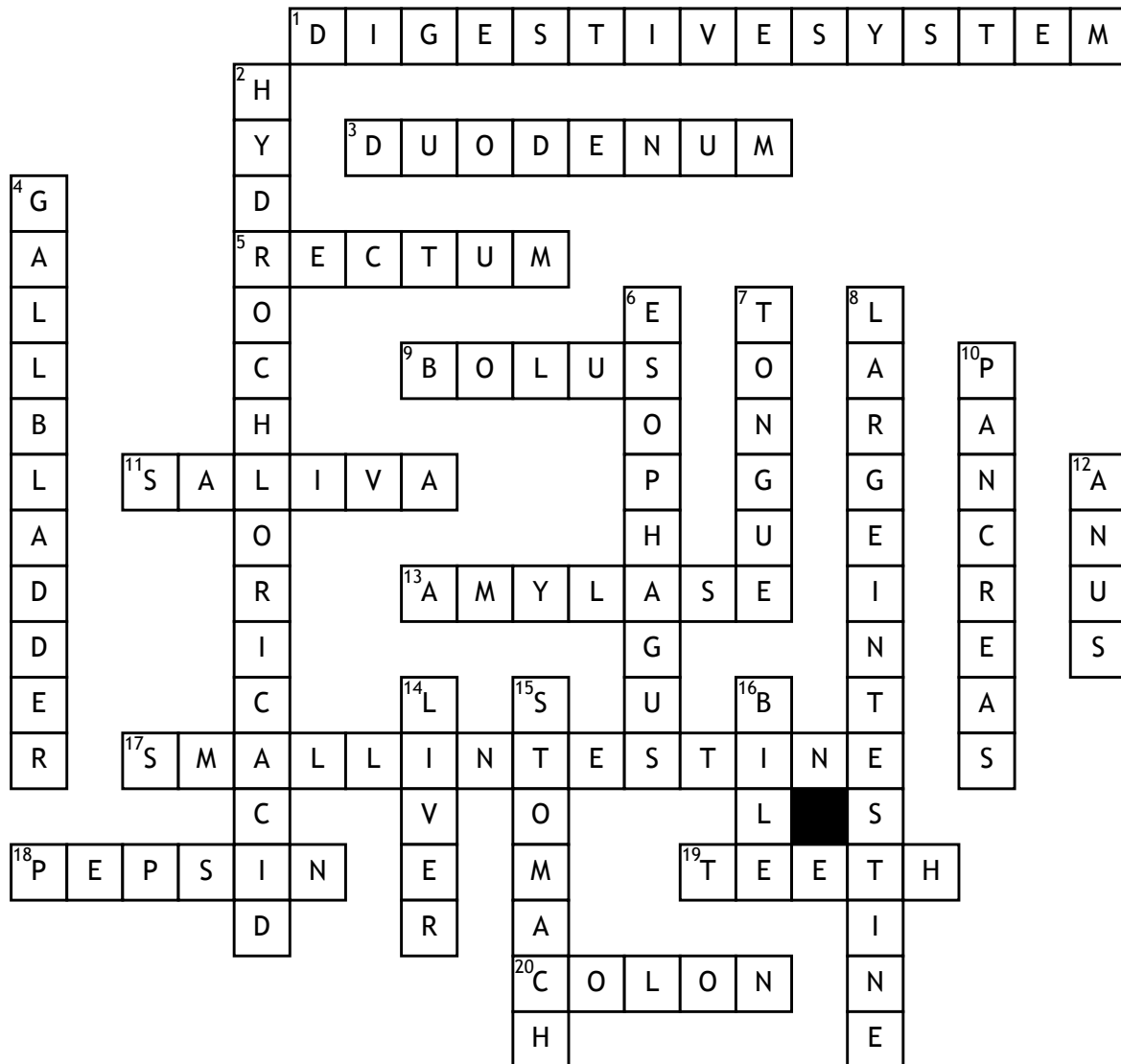


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Digestive System



Across

1. a group of organs working together to convert food into energy and basic nutrients to feed the entire body
3. The region of the small intestine where the majority of digestion and absorption take place
5. place where waste is stored until ready to be egested
9. Ball of chewed food that is swallowed
11. a slippery liquid that makes food easy to swallow and helps break the food down
13. Enzyme that begins to break down starch in the mouth

17. a long folded tube inside the body attached to the stomach where nutrients in the food are absorbed
18. enzyme that breaks down protein
19. these are used to chew food
20. another name for the Large Intestine

Down

2. name of the acid found in your stomach
4. where bile is stored until ready to be used
6. the tube that connects the stomach to the mouth
7. muscle in your mouth that is used for pushing food around

8. the tube after the small intestine where liquid is absorbed

10. Releases enzymes that aid in Digestion while also regulating blood sugar

12. the end of the gastrointestinal tract where waste is ejected out of the body

14. this produces bile that goes into the small intestine and help digest the food

15. after being swallowed, food goes to this place where it is mixed with acid

16. yellowish-brown substance that digests fats (lipids)