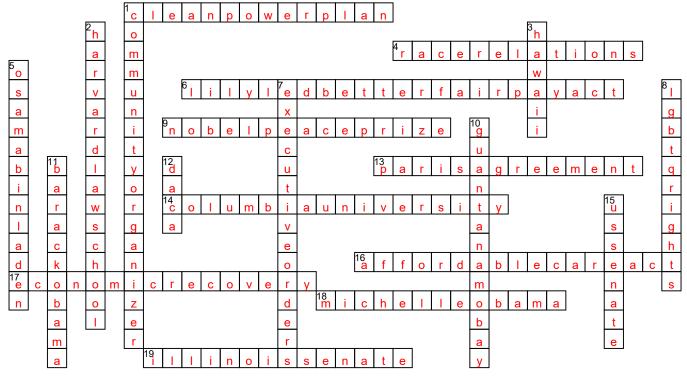
President Obama Crossword Puzzle

1. Using the Across and Down clues, write the correct answer in the numbered grid below.



ACROSS

- 1. An Obama-era environmental policy aimed at reducing carbon emissions from power plants.
- 4. Obama's presidency saw both progress and challenges in addressing racial inequalities and fostering national dialogue on race.
- 6. Obama signed this legislation in 2009, promoting equal pay for women in the workplace.
- 9. Obama was awarded this honor in 2009 for his efforts to strengthen international diplomacy and cooperation.
- 13. Obama played a key role in negotiating this international treaty aimed at combating climate change.
- 14. The institution where Obama completed his undergraduate studies in political science.
- 16. Often referred to as "Obamacare," this landmark healthcare reform legislation was signed into law in 2010.
- 17. Obama's administration implemented measures to combat the 2008 financial crisis, leading to a gradual economic recovery.
- 18. Barack Obama's wife, an accomplished lawyer, and the First Lady of the United States during his presidency.
- 19. Obama served as a state senator representing the 13th district from 1997 to 2004.

DOWN

- 1. Obama's early career role, working in Chicago communities to address social issues.
- 2. The prestigious law school where Obama earned his Juris Doctor degree.
- 3. The state where Barack Obama was born on August 4, 1961.
- 5. The leader of the terrorist organization al-Qaeda, whose death was ordered by Obama in a successful military operation in 2011.
- 7. Obama issued numerous executive orders on various issues, utilizing his presidential authority to enact policy changes when faced with congressional gridlock.
- 8. Obama's administration advocated for and supported policies promoting equality and rights for the LGBTQ community.
- 10. Obama pledged to close this military detention camp, but faced obstacles in fulfilling that promise during his presidency.
- 11. The 44th President of the United States, serving from 2009 to 2017.
- 12. Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, an immigration policy established by Obama in 2012 to protect undocumented immigrants who arrived in the U.S. as children.
- 15. Obama represented Illinois in the United States Senate from 2005 to 2008.