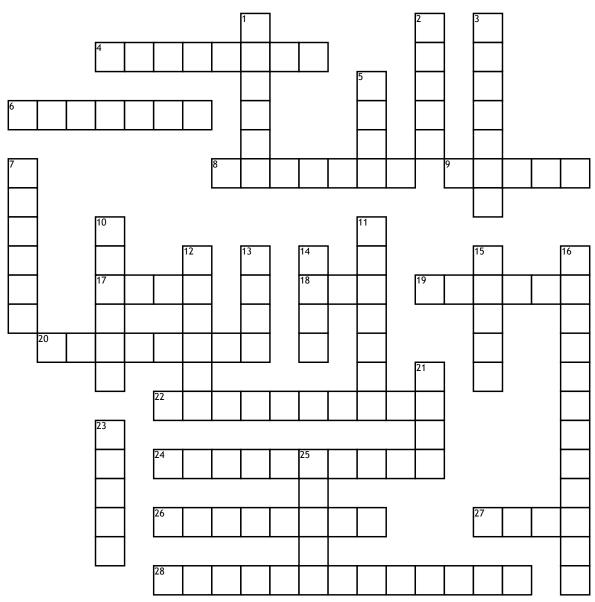
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Hinduism



Across

- **4.** A holy text which focuses on the story of Rama and Sita
- 6. God in human form.
- **8.** The supreme being.
- **9.** Brahman is the essential thing living in all creatures
- 17. It is a part of puja, when a tray of lamps is waved in front of the god's image
- **18.** The holy symbol of Hinduism.
- 19. The creator
- **20.** Special ceremonies, or sacraments, that take place at important stages of life.
- **22.** Journey to holy places
- **24.** It is symbolic of air. It is also a symbol for the destruction of evil.

- **26.** A symbol that is said to bring good fortune and prosperity. It has four branches.
- **27.** Clarified butter used in the artilamp.
- **28.** When a person dies, his or her soul lives on and is born again as a new person.

<u>Down</u>

- 1. Hindu temple
- **2.** The mark placed on the forehead after worship.
- 3. When a person dies, his or her soul lives on and is born again as a new person.
- **5.** Personal act of worship of a deity at home
- **7.** Escaping the cycle of life, death and rebirth

- 10. Duty or teachings.
- **11.** The cycle of birth, death and rebirth.
- **12.** One of the most important Hindu festivals.
- 13. Sacred animal to Hindus.
- **14.** Found in a mandir and is a symbol for sun and fire.
- **15.** A combination of the good and bad deeds in their past lives.
- **16.** One of the 4 most important of the 16 samskars making the important stages of life
- 21. Symbol of air.
- **23.** The country of origin of Hinduism and 80% of its population is Hindu.
- **25.** The destroyer