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Mythological Sources

Across

2. This Greek playwright earned first prize more than any other in the Great Dionysia. He is responsible for the Oedipus Trilogy.

5. All of the stories prior to the fifth century BC were passed down through _____ tradition.

7. He is regarded as the "father of history"

9. This Roman poet didn't believe in any of the myths he wrote about.

12. One of the two most ancient Greek poets, this person "wrote" The Odyssey.

13. This Greek playwright was a skeptic and philosopher. Despite the realism in his dramas, he was ridiculed by his contemporaries.

14. Hesiod wrote this epic account of creation.

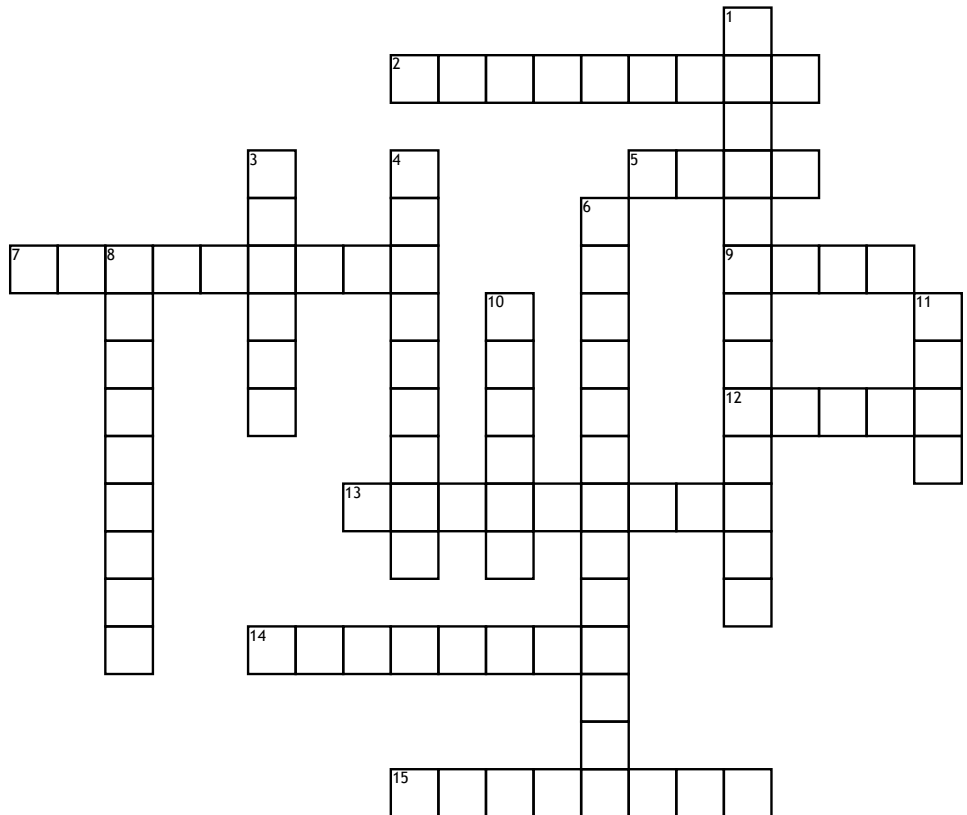
15. This writer was a citizen of both Greece and Rome.

Down

1. Ovid's greatest work was called what?

3. This word describes a group that sings/chants the poetry of early Greek drama.

4. This playwright wrote Oresteia and added a second actor to the stage.



6. What is the yearly competition of dramatic poetry called?

8. This word describes both the poems and the poets themselves, who traveled and told stories.

10. This Roman poet wrote about the Roman hero Aeneas in his epic, the Aeneid.

11. This instrument would accompany the recitation of an epic poem.

