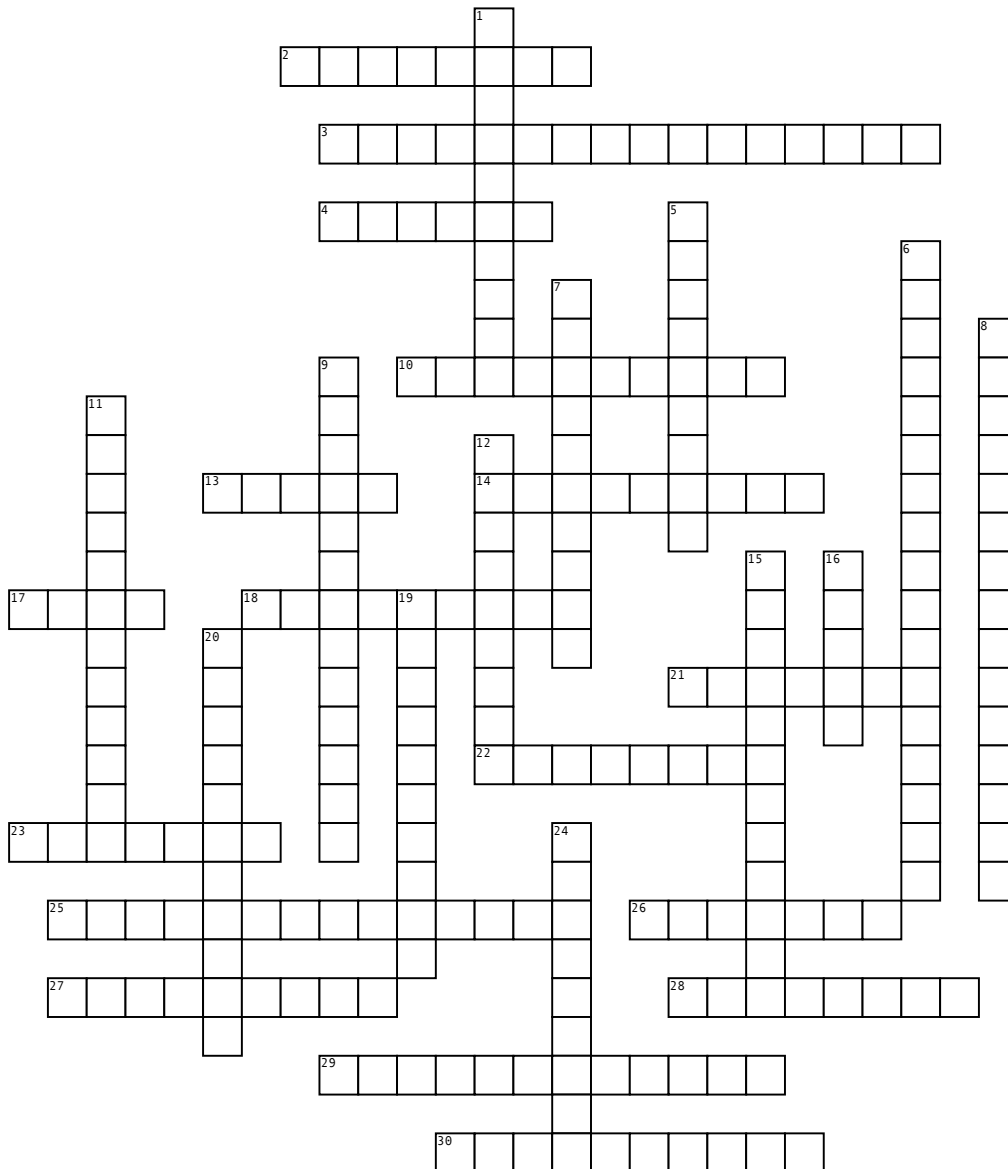


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Roman Empire



Across

2. a town in Greece and the site of the battle of
3. who presided over the most majestic days of the Roman Empire
4. poem by the ancient Greek poet Homer, which recounts some of the significant events of the final weeks of the Trojan
10. study of general and fundamental problems concerning matters such as existence and knowledge
13. a public open space used for assemblies and markets
14. member of the general citizenry in ancient Rome as opposed to the privileged patrician class
17. name of the Bronze Age city attacked in the Trojan War
18. last active ruler of the Ptolemaic Kingdom of Egypt
21. ancient vessel and a type of galley that was used by the ancient maritime civilizations of the Mediterranean
22. Greek philosopher and is considered the father of western philosophy
23. prominent ancient town on Crete

25. Roman statesman and military leader who was the first Emperor of the Roman Empire, controlling Imperial Rome from 27 BC until his death in AD 14
26. Greek epic poem written by Homer about the long journey of a man
27. a person of very good background, education, and refinement
28. Athenian statesman whose leadership contributed to Athens' political and cultural supremacy in Greece
29. an apostle who taught the gospel of Christ to the first-century world
30. Emperor of Rome who stopped the persecution of Christians and in 324 made Christianity the official religion

Down

1. Romans who both served as tribunes in the late 2nd century BC
5. a citadel or fortified part of an ancient Greek city
6. king of the ancient Greek kingdom of Macedon and a member of the Agread dynasty
7. Roman Emperor who when faced with military problems decided in 286 to divide the Roman Empire between himself in the east and Maximian in the west

8. Jewish religious leader who became a central figure in Christianity
9. the basis of Roman Catholic doctrine on papal primacy
11. letter signed by the Roman emperors Constantine and Licinius
12. Thracian gladiator who, along with the Gauls Crixus, Gannicus, Castus, and Oenomaus
15. Roman politician, military general, and historian who played a critical role in the events that led to the demise of the Roman Republic
16. the legendary author of the Iliad and the Odyssey
19. refers to the conflict between Greece and Persia in the 5th century
20. term which refers to that period of ancient Greek history between 507 BCE
24. ancient Greek historian who was born in Halicarnassus in the Persian Empire