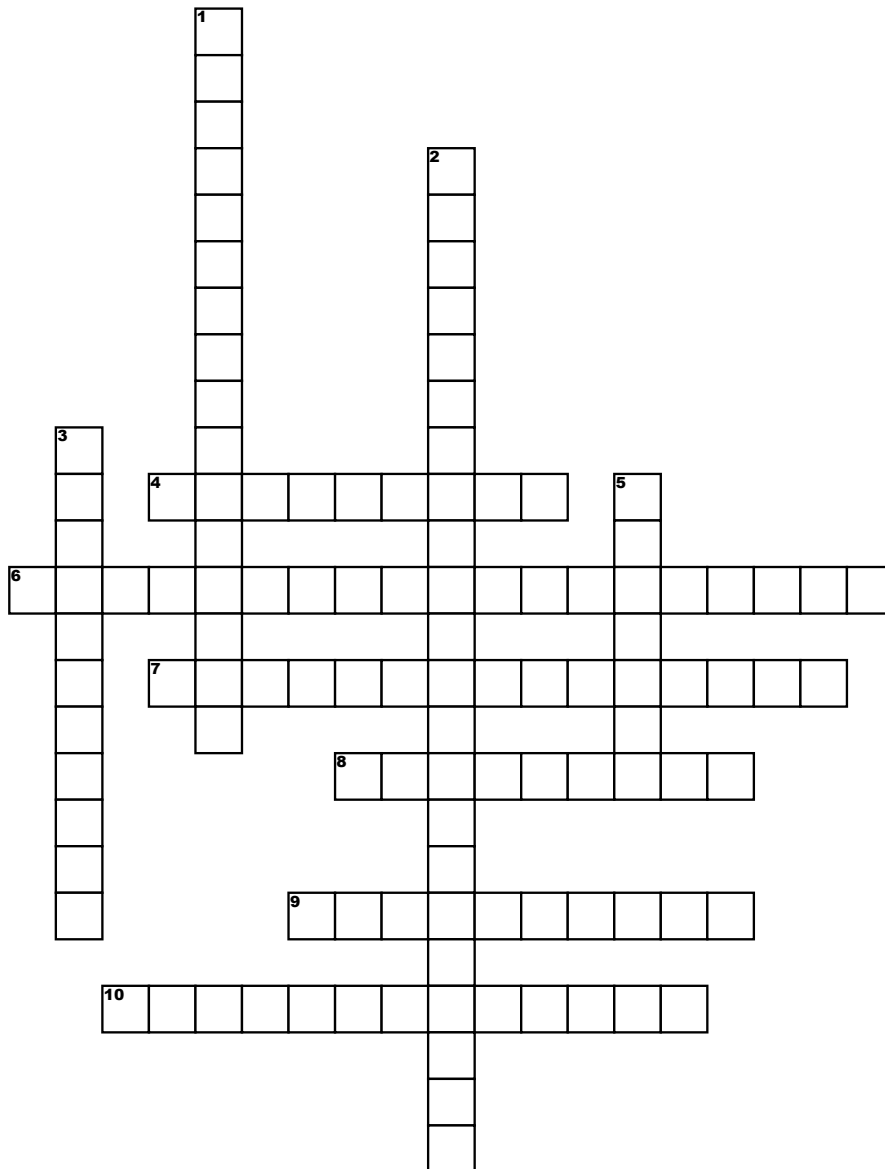


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Social Studies crossword puzzle



Across

- 4.** the presence in or introduction into the environment of a substance or thing that has harmful or poisonous effects.
- 6.** problems with the planet's systems
- 7.** the processes by which an area becomes a desert.
- 8.** an oily, thick, flammable, usually dark-colored liquid that is a form of bitumen or a mixture of various hydrocarbons, occurring naturally in various parts of the world
- 9.** capable to produce land

- 10.** to divest or clear of forests or trees

Down

- 1.** a naturally occurring source of wealth, as land or water.
- 2.** the pattern of where people live.
- 3.** the scattering of the Jews to countries outside of Palestine after the Babylonian captivity.
- 5.** the composite or generally prevailing weather conditions of a region.