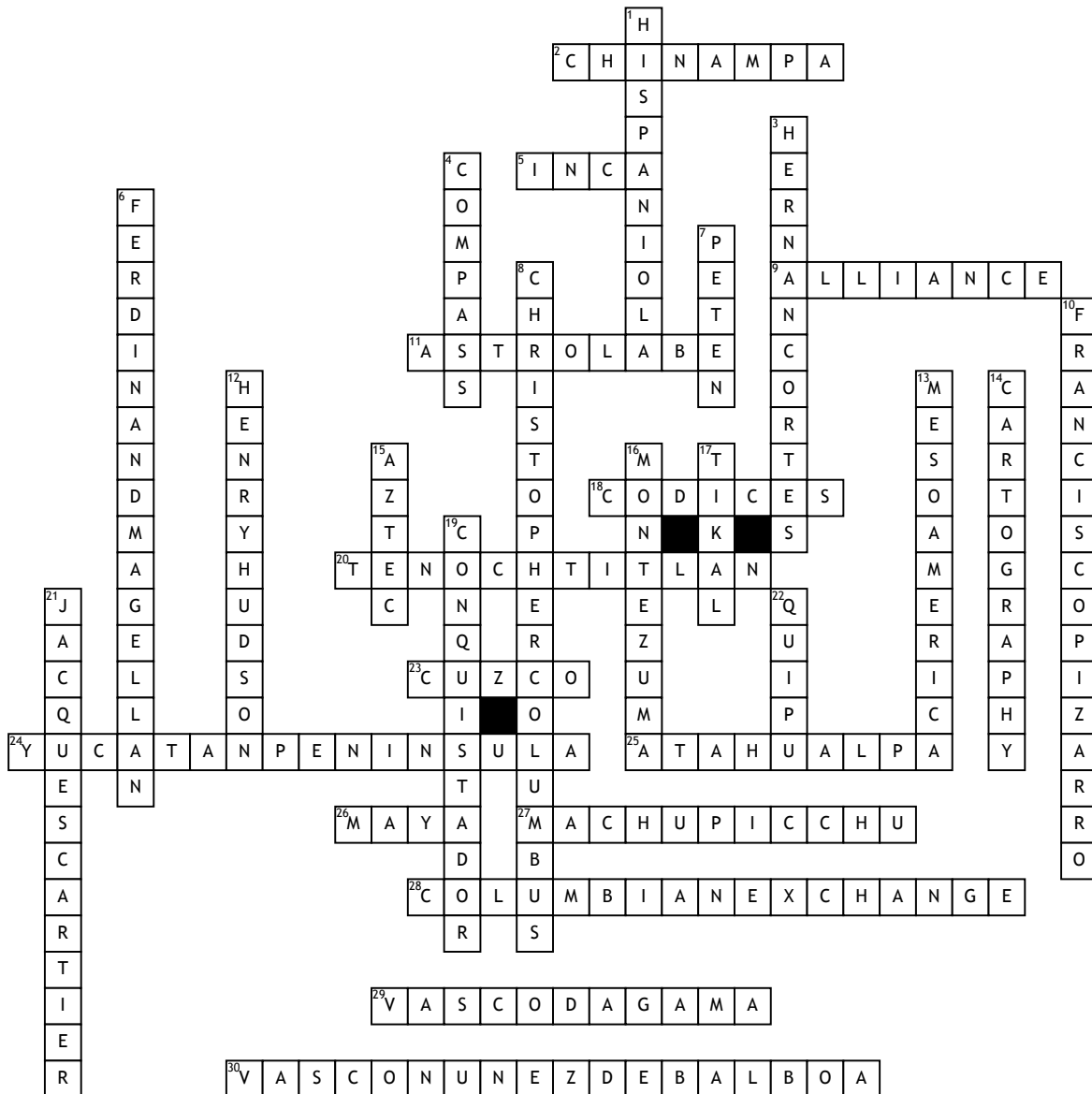


Maya, Inca, and Aztec



Across

2. "floating gardens" Aztec way of farming land surrounded by swamps
 5. Civilization located in South America in the Indies Mts.
 9. Political agreements between people or states to work together
 11. A device used for finding latitude at sea
 18. Books used by Aztecs to record their religion and history
 20. "Place of the prickly pear cactus", capital of the Aztec Empire
 23. City in southern Peru
 24. Land mass in southern Mexico extending north-east into the Gulf of Mexico
 25. Ruler of Inca at the time of the Spanish conquest

26. Civilization of Mesoamerica located in the Yucatan Peninsula
 27. Incan settlement in the Andes north-west of Cuzco, Peru
 28. The global exchange of people, goods, technology, ideas, and diseases that began after Christopher Columbus' voyages
 29. Portuguese explorer who tried to get to India
 30. He found the Pacific Ocean
Down
 1. Island in the West Indies
 3. Conquistador who conquered the Aztec Empire
 4. A device used to find direction while traveling
 6. Portuguese explorer who traveled around the world
 7. The Mayan word for flat region

8. He accidentally found the Americas
 10. Conquistador who conquered the Inca Empire
 12. He found more of Canada up north
 13. A land between north and south America
 14. The science of map making
 15. Civilization of Mesoamerica located in the valley of Mexico
 16. The Aztec emperor before Hernan Cortes
 17. One of the oldest and largest Mayan cities
 19. Spanish conqueror or soldier in the Americas
 21. The founder of Canada, also a French explorer
 22. A rope with knotted cords of different lengths and colors