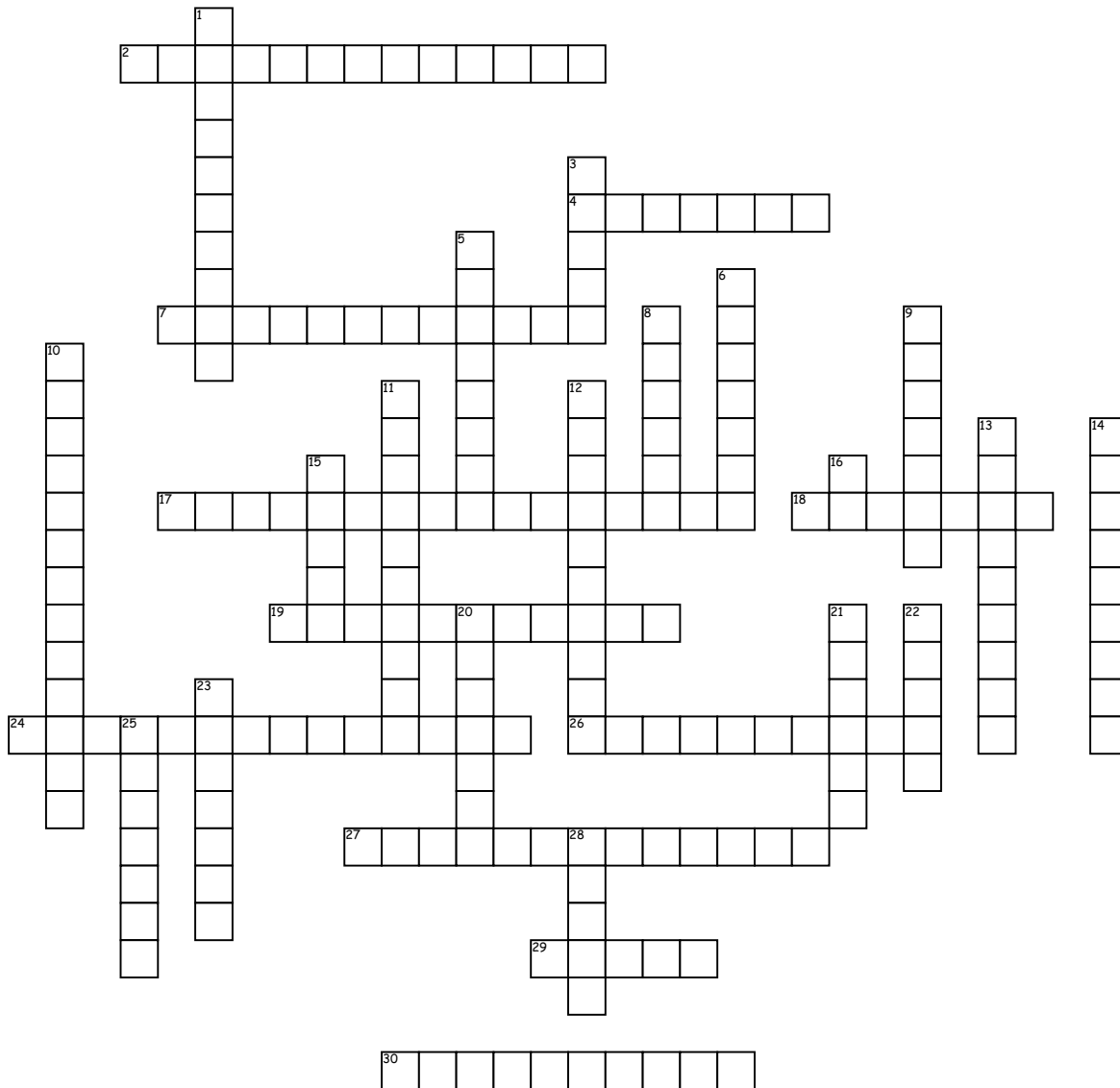


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Ancient Egypt Vocabulary Crossword



Across

2. The ancient Egyptian writing system that used picture symbols.
4. A stone pillar, typically having a square or rectangular cross section and a pyramidal top, set up as a monument or landmark.
7. An inscribed stone found near Rosetta on the western mouth of the Nile in 1799. Its text is written in three scripts: hieroglyphic, demotic, and Greek.
17. A valley near ancient Thebes in Egypt where the pharaohs of the New Kingdom were buried.
18. What is an ancient Egyptian tomb that store offerings.
19. A stone coffin, typically adorned with a sculpture or inscription and associated with the ancient civilizations of Egypt, Rome, and Greece.
24. What is the ancient Egyptian temple precinct located on the east bank of the Nile River in Thebes.
26. The belief that there is only one God.
27. A period of ancient Egyptian history (c. 2040-1640 bc, 11th-14th dynasty).

29. What is a god or goddess (in a polytheistic religion).

30. The belief in or worship of more than one god.

Down

1. a period in the history of ancient Egypt, from the 18th to the 20th dynasty (approximately 1580 to 1090 bc).
3. A person of noble rank or birth.
5. What is a sudden rush of water; a downpour.
6. A material prepared in ancient Egypt from the pithy stem of a water plant, used in sheets throughout the ancient Mediterranean world for writing or painting on.
8. What is mineral salt found in dried lake beds, consisting of hydrated sodium carbonate.
9. A line of hereditary rulers of a country.
10. A collection of ancient Egyptian funerary texts from various periods.
11. A covered urn used in ancient Egyptian burials to hold the entrails from an embalmed body.
12. The period of ancient Egyptian history from around 2700 to 2150 bc.

13. Preserving (a corpse) from decay.

14. An oval or oblong enclosing a group of Egyptian hieroglyphs, typically representing the name and title of a monarch.

15. A triangle-shaped area of land made from soil deposited by a river.

16. The soul of a dead person.

20. A monumental structure with a square or triangular base and sloping sides that meet in a point at the top, especially one built of stone as a royal tomb in ancient Egypt.

21. A winged monster of Thebes, having a woman's head and a lion's body.

22. The dead body of a human being or animal preserved by the ancient Egyptian process or some similar method of embalming.

23. What is the ancient city in Egypt, whose ruins are situated on the Nile River about 10 miles south of Cairo.

25. A ruler in ancient Egypt.

28. What is the name for Ancient Egypt. It means: "black land", because of the fertile black soils of the Nile flood plains.