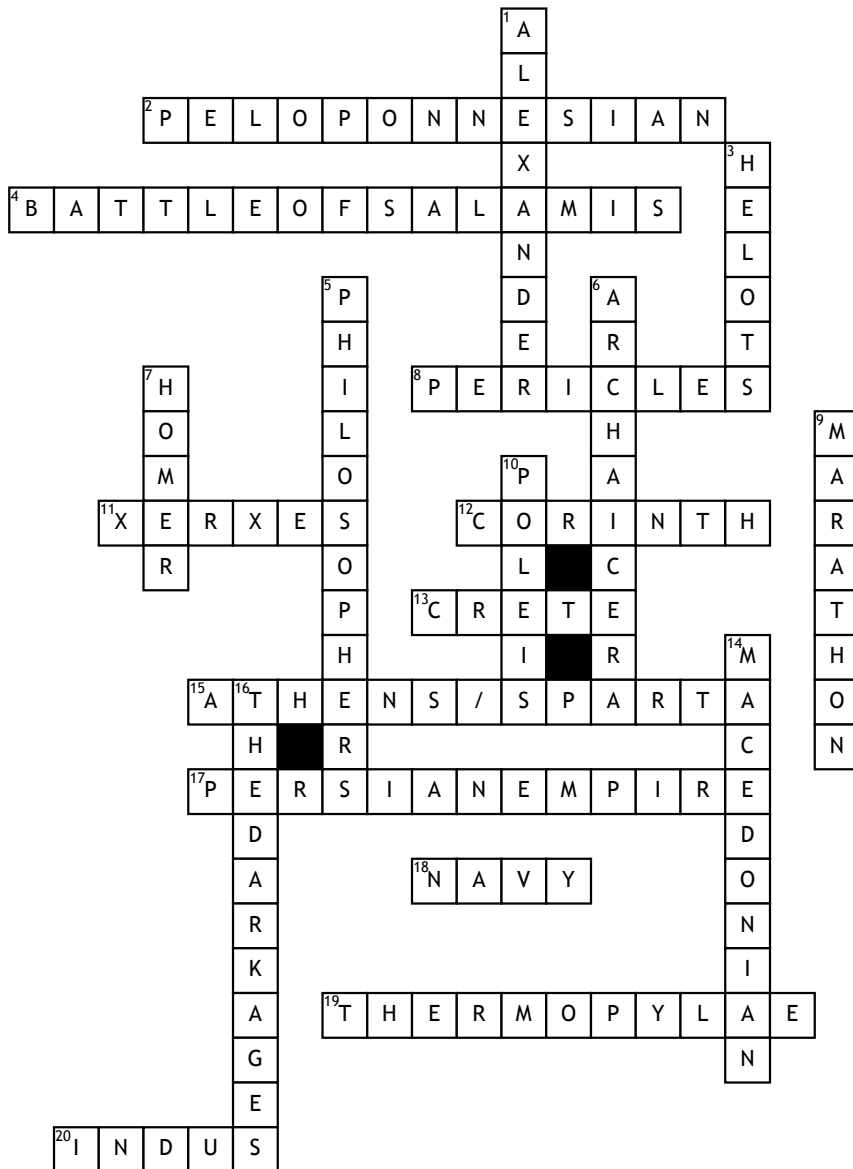


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Ancient Greece crossword puzzle essays #1-5



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2. In 461 BCE the Athens and Sparta had their first _____ War.
4. Later after the Spartans fought the Persians on Thermopylae, the Athenians fought a sea battle called the _____.
8. During 480-430 BCE the Athens flourished with the leadership of _____.
11. Ten years later after that battle was fought the Persians invaded again, under the command of King _____.
12. The five main city states of Greece were Sparta, Athens, Argos, Megara, and _____.
13. Most historians believe that Hellenic history began with the living on _____.

15. By the early sixth century, what were the two leading city states? hint: put a dash between the two _____.
17. In 490 BCE the _____ was about to attack on Greece
18. _____ ships protected Athenian trading ships from pirates
19. When the Persians invaded again the Greeks were unprepared this time. They sent 300 Spartans to stall the horde at a narrow mountain pass called _____.
20. Alexander had conquered on oft he largest empires ever and spread Greek civilization as far east as the _____ River.
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1. _____ died in the Hellenistic Era at age 33 in Babylon.

3. Sparta needed a strong because they had enslaved the _____ and needed to control them.
5. A group of thinkers are called _____. (lovers of wisdom)
6. Homer lived in the: _____
7. Who wrote the Odyssey?
9. When the battle finally took place it was called the Battle of _____.
10. A Greek City State is known as a _____.
14. Philip II and his son Alexander were two _____ warrior-kings.
16. After the Mycenaean civilization ended, there was an era known as the _____.