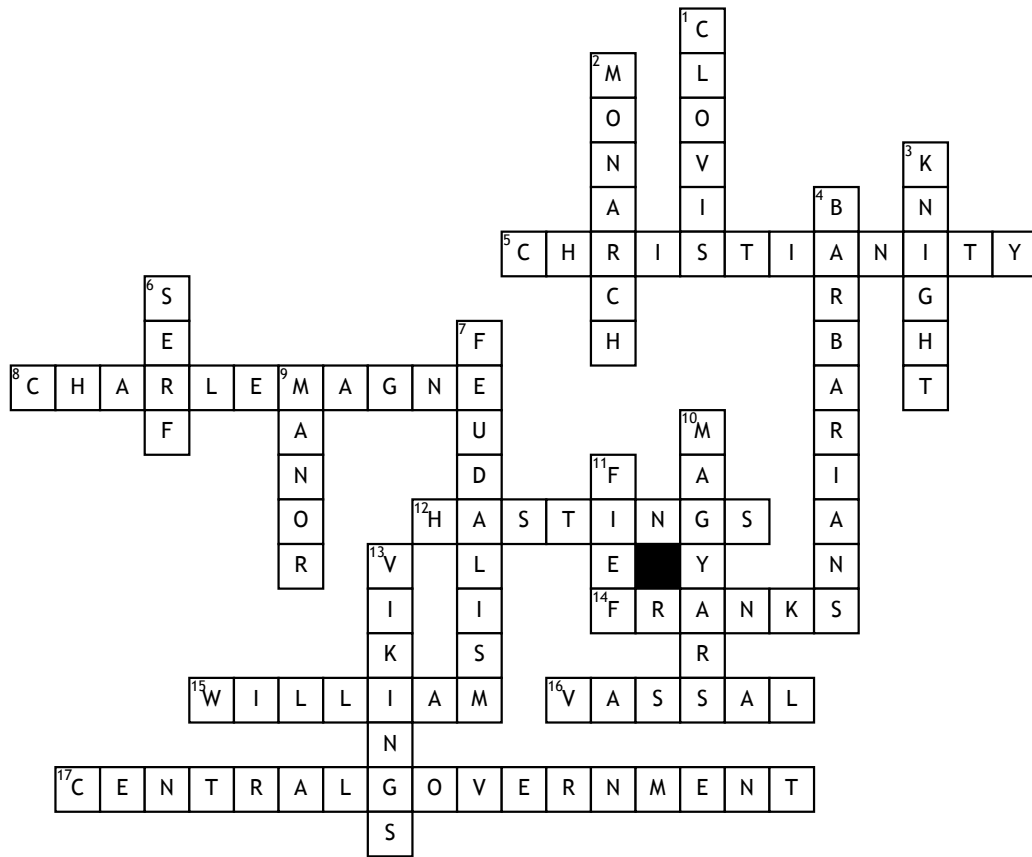


Development of Feudalism in Western Europe



Across

5. religion based on the teachings of Jesus Christ
 8. This Frankish leader unifies all Christian lands into one empire.
 12. the battle in 1066, when England's King Harold is defeated
 14. a powerful group of barbarians who had heavily armored knights
 15. known as a conqueror, he battles England's king for the throne
 16. someone who pledges loyalty to another

17. After the fall of Rome there was no strong _____ in Western Europe

Down

1. early Frankish leader who spreads Frankish territory and spreads Christianity
 2. the top of the feudal pyramid, the owner of all land
 3. heavily armored fighter who swears loyalty to a noble
 4. any group outside of the Roman Empire, raiders

6. a peasant who could not leave the lord's land one which he worked
 7. an economic and political system during the Middle Ages
 9. a piece of land including a castle, village and farmland
 10. barbarians from central Asia
 11. land granted by a lord in exchange for loyalty or service
 13. fierce warriors from Norway, Sweden and Denmark

Word Bank

central government
 Christianity
 vassal
 manor
 William

Charlemagne
 knight
 feudalism
 barbarians

vikings
 fief
 Franks
 Hastings

serf
 monarch
 Magyars
 Clovis