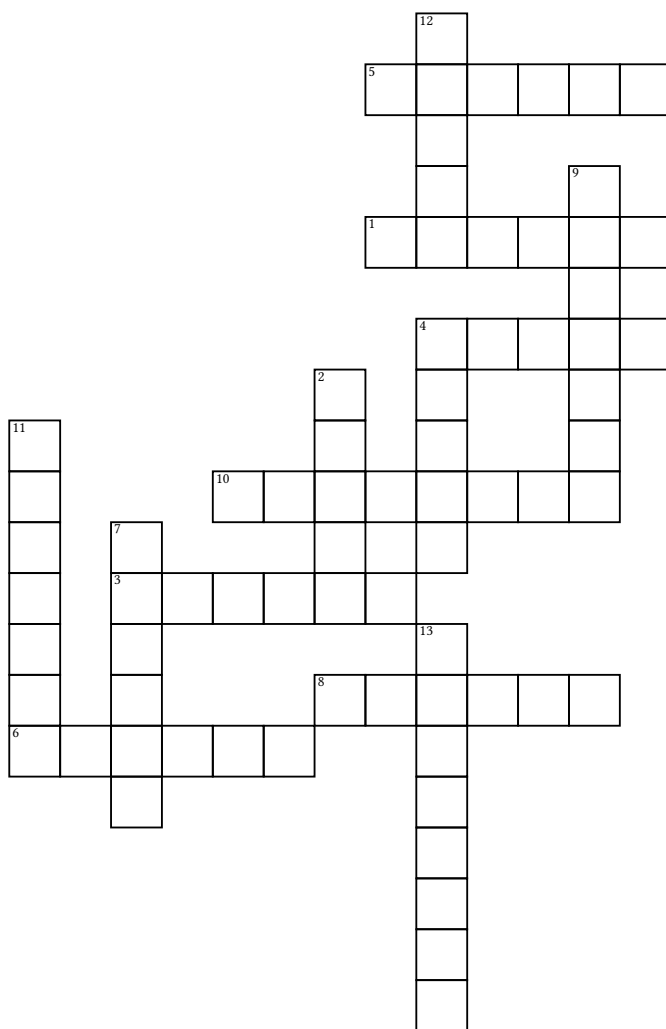


British Museum Crossword Puzzle

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Name: _____ Date: _____



Across

1. For this _____ they were given the Rosetta Stone by King George III in 1802. (6)
3. This has meant the British Museum has gradually taken fewer items each year in _____ times. (6)
4. The department continued to get bigger, paying for archaeologists to go to Egypt and _____. (5)
5. It was _____ by Queen Elizabeth II in January 2000. (6)
6. The exhibits were stored in old _____ Underground stations, as well as other places. (6)
8. It also had many pieces taken from the Parthenon in Athens, _____. (6)
10. Many things found at these sites were taken to the Museum, where they have _____ ever since. (8)

Down

2. They illustrate and document the story of _____ culture from its beginning to the present. (5)
4. When he died, he did not want his collection to be _____ up between his relatives. (5)
7. It was _____ this time that electric lights were first put in the Museum. (6)
9. In 1822 King George III _____ the entire Royal Library to the museum. (7)
11. Eventually the _____ History Museum was set up in 1887 to hold the _____ parts of the Museum's collection. (7)
12. It had enough _____ to display a million books at once. (5)
13. After the battle, British forces took lots of Ancient Egyptian artifacts from the _____ French. (8)

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