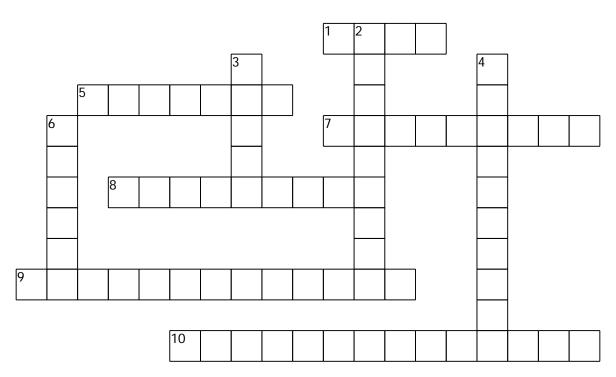
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## **Christmas Symbols Crossword**

Complete the activity.





## **ACROSS**

- Abbreviation for Christmas from Greek word for Christ, "Xristos"
- 5. A symbol of fellowship, warmth, and light
- 7. Tradition is that St. Nicholas left gold coins for three poor girls who needed money for their wedding dowries
- 8. Shape resembles a shepherd's staff
- 9. First decorated in Germany
- 10. Original designed by John Callcott Horsley in England in 1843 for Sir Henry Cole

## **DOWN**

- 2. Believed to have the magic power of peace by the Druids and Romans
- 3. Symbolizes eternal life
- 4. This grew at the feet of a poor boy in Mexico who had no gift for the Christ child
- Circular to represent the love of God which has no end

Christmas Cards	Wreath	Yule Log	Xmas
Christmas Tree	Mistletoe	Holly	
Candy Cane	Poinsettia	Stockings	