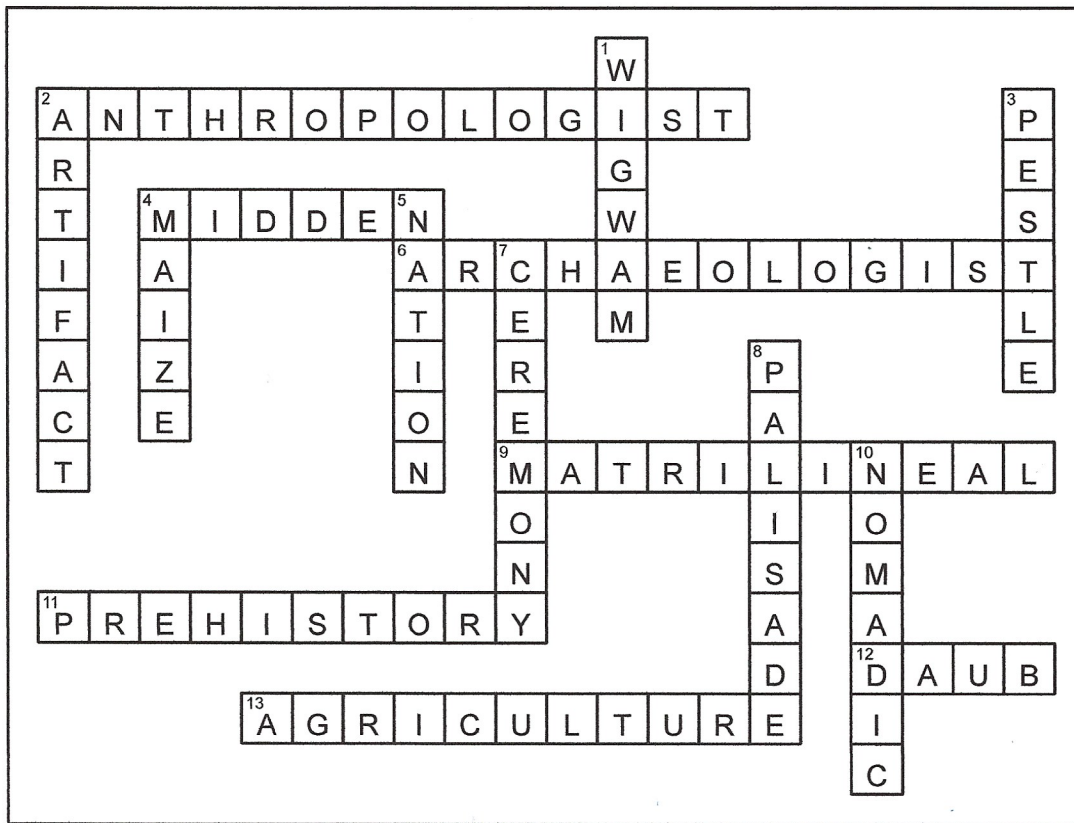


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South Carolina: Our History, Our Home

Chapter 3: The Early Inhabitants of South Carolina

Instructions: Complete the crossword puzzle. Use the clues to help identify the words.



Across

2. a scientist who studies the origin and development of humans
4. a trash heap left by prehistoric people
6. a scientist who studies and interprets artifacts of past human life
9. a society in which ancestry is traced through the mother
11. the time before written records
12. the clay or mud used to fill in the gaps in the wattle and form a smooth surface inside and out in a "wattle and daub" construction
13. planting and growing crops in fields rather than depending entirely on gathering food or fiber from wild plants

Down

1. the posts of the walls, interwoven with smaller twigs, in a "wattle and daub" construction
2. an object made by humans, especially ancient tools and weapons
3. mortar and _____ - a tool consisting of a bowl (mortar) and a heavy thick rod (pestle); the end of the pestle is used for crushing and grinding hard food objects like nuts or grains against the mortar
4. corn
5. a European term for a central political organization of people of a similar cultural, language, and geographic background

7. Green Corn _____ - important ceremony for Cherokee and other tribes when they celebrated the new corn crop and used it as an occasion for washing away all impurities and getting a new start
8. a fence of sharp wooden stakes
10. wandering from place to place