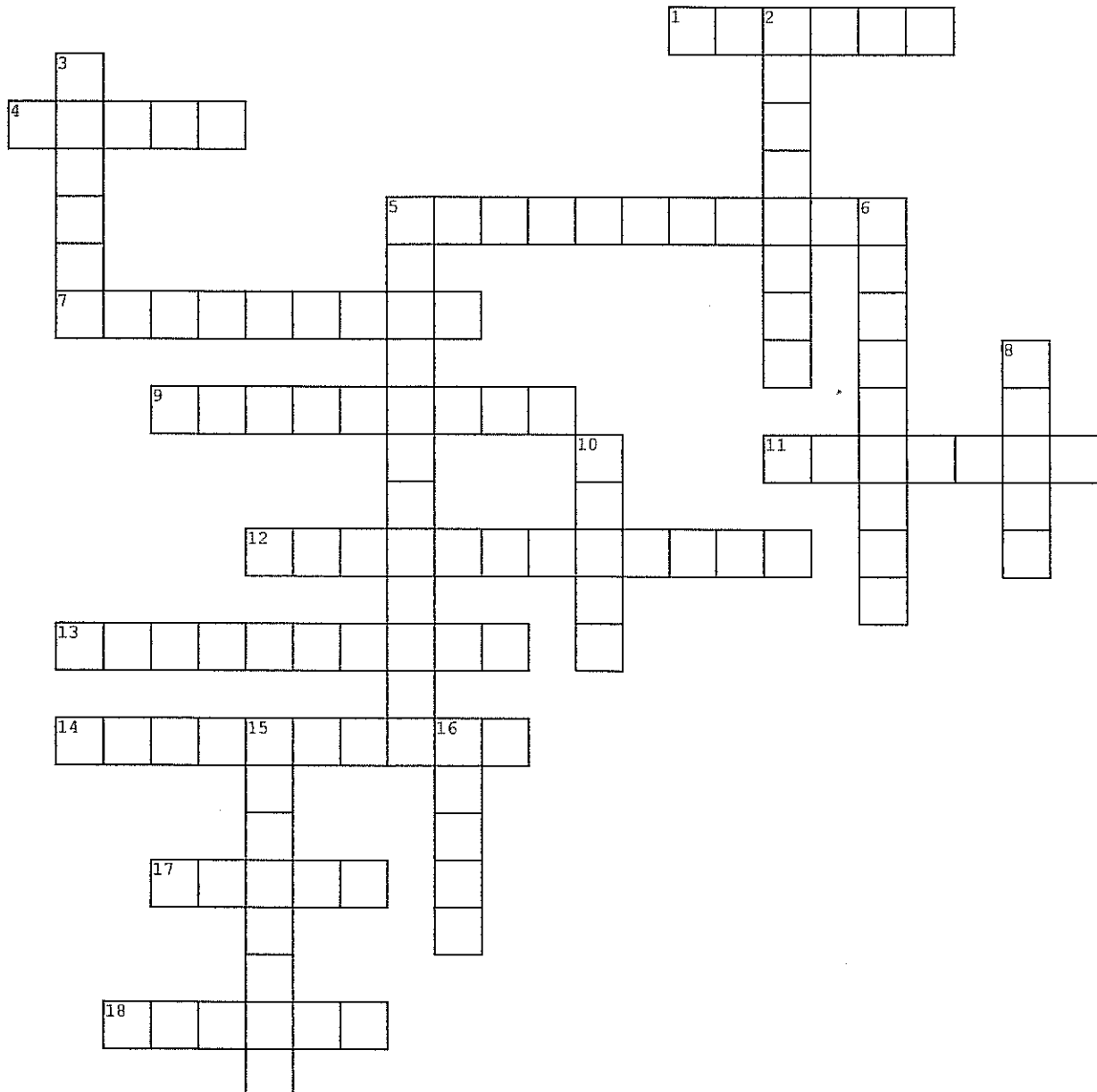


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Know Your Manuscripts

Complete the crossword below



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manuscript palaeography codex folio parchment vellum recto

verso incunabulum provenance rubric majuscule miniscule uncial

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Across

- 1.** : a word or section of text which is traditionally written or printed in red ink to highlight it
- 4.** the reverse side of the page in a bound item such as a codex or book
- 5.** : a book produced in the earliest stages (before 1501) of printing from movable type
- 7.** a large letter, either capital or uncial, used in writing or printing
- 9.** writing material made from animal skin
- 11.** the opening words of a text
- 12.** the study of ancient writing,
- 13.** any document written by hand as opposed to being printed or reproduced in some other way
- 14.** the chronology of the ownership, custody or location of a historical object
- 17.** book or manuscript of the largest common size
- 18.** a style of writing characterized by somewhat rounded capital letters

Down

- 2.** : a sheet of writing support material folded in half to produce two leaves
- 3.** a special writing material made from calf skin
- 5.** : the decoration of a manuscript with luminous colors
- 6.** a small cursive script developed from uncial
- 8.** a number of bifolia folded together
- 10.** the obverse side of the page in a bound item such as a codex or book
- 15.** the closing of a textual unit
- 16.** a book made up of a number of sheets of paper, vellum, papyrus, etc.