



# ANCIENT COLUMNS

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## WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

Once you've read all about ancient Greek and Roman columns, go ahead and make your way through this activity pack to test your knowledge!

## SHORT ANSWER

1. What is an order?
2. What material were columns usually made of?
3. List the orders of ancient Greek and Roman columns.
4. What is the defining characteristic of Corinthian columns?
5. What two other orders is Composite a combination of?
6. Which two orders originated in Rome instead of Greece?
7. When was there a revival of classical architecture?
8. What is the difference between Tuscan and Doric columns?



## IDENTIFY

Label parts 1, 6, 7, and 8 on the diagram to the right using the following words:

Base, Capital, Entablature, Shaft

1 -

6 -

7 -

8 -

What order of column is this?

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What identifying features helped you figure out the order?

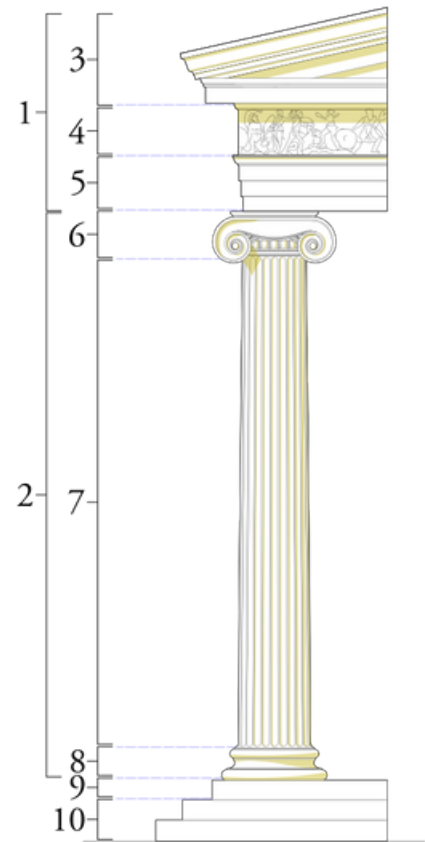
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## TRUE OR FALSE

1. \_\_\_ The capital is at the bottom of the shaft of the column.
2. \_\_\_ There are five orders of ancient Greek and Roman columns.
3. \_\_\_ Ionic columns are characterized by the volutes on the capital.
4. \_\_\_ Tuscan columns have fluted shafts.
5. \_\_\_ All columns have a base.



