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| **10 ANCIENT HISTORY - ANSWERS** |
| **Questions** |  | **Answers** |
| 1. | Which classical Athenian philosopher died in 399 BC after being condemned to execution by drinking hemlock? |  | Socrates |
| 2. | Which god of Scandinavian origin rides a six-legged horse called Sleipnir? |  |  Odin |
| 3. | Who ‘declared war’ on Rome after he crossed the Rubicon river with his army in 49 BC? |  | Julius Caesar |
| 4. | What type of animal did Hannibal bring with him from Carthage when went to war in Rome in 218 BC? |  | Elephant |
| 5. | Which is the only one of the seven wonders of the world which was located on Mainland Greece? |  | Temple of Azures at Olympia |
| 6. | Who was the leader of the Greek troops against the Persians at the battle of Thermopylae in 480 BC? |  | Leonides |
| 7. | Which distance race is named after a battle between Athens and Persia in 490 BC? |  | Marathon |
| 8. | Who wrote the Aeneid which describes the voyage of Trojan prince Aeneas after the sack of Troy in around 29 BC? He also appears in Dante’s divine comedy. |  | Virgil |
| 9. | Who died at the age of 32 in 323 BC in Babylon? |  | Alexander the Great |
| 10. | Athens was at war with which other city state during the Peloponnesian war of 433-411 BC? |  | Sparta (or Laconia) |