Maxwell Museum Word Puzzle

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3. ARCHAEOLOGY ___ the place in NW New Mexico where Ancestral Puebloan Great Houses are found
4. ARTIFACT ___ tools and techniques used to provide objects necessary for human survival and comfort
5. CHACO CANYON ___ a person in charge of caring for a collection in a museum, zoo or other place of exhibit
6. COLLECTION ___ the Diné people, Native Americans of Northern New Mexico and Arizona
7. CULTURE ___ the study of past cultures based on material remains (artifacts)
8. CURATOR ___ Native Americans of 6 tribes located in the SW U.S.
9. EXHIBIT ___ the art or craft of clayware
10. NAVAJO ___ the study of people from a biological and cultural perspective
11. PITHOUSE ___ the handing down of information, beliefs and customs by word of mouth or by example from one generation to the next
12. POTTERY ___ a collection of art or objects shown publically
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14. TECHNOLOGY ___ the 20 groups of Native Americans in the US Southwest that live together in small villages
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