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2. How do you log into Destiny to view your account?
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ACROSS
2. An account of someone's life written by that person
4. Method of classifying books in the library
7. Means of communication
8. Magazine or newspaper
10. One-sided or prejudice

DOWN
1. An account of someone's life written by someone else
3. Source that provides background information or facts on any given topic
5. Reliable or trustworthy
6. Content on the Internet whose main purpose is to attract attention
9. Two or three letter reference that tells the type of webpage