
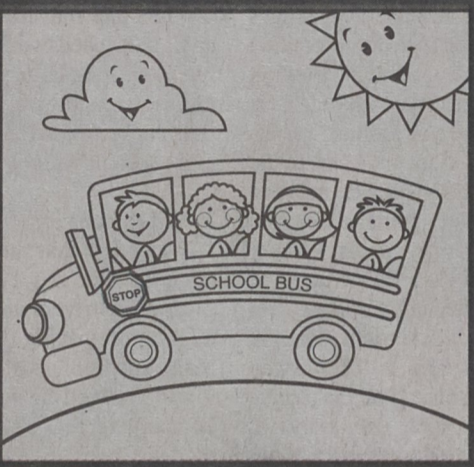
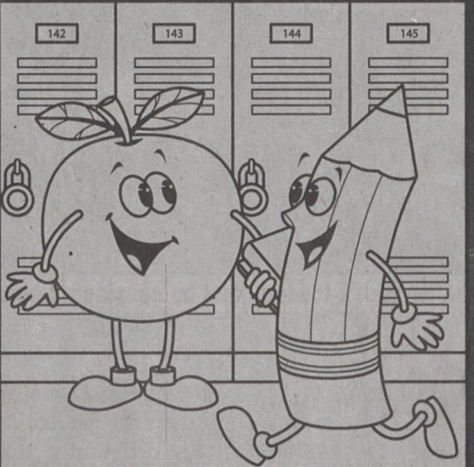


Kids Korner

Challenge Your Mind And Have Some Fun!



Creative Coloring!



Sudoku

	7			8				
					9			
	5				1			
						9		
4	9		5	1	8			
	1	3	7				5	
			4					8
	2			5		3		
		9		3	5	1	6	

Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!



W.W. Denslow

Have you ever seen The Wizard of Oz? Did you know that the film was based on the book by L. Frank Baum? The book came out in 1900 and featured the text of Baum and the illustrations of W.W. Denslow.

W.W. Denslow was born on May 5, 1856, in Philadelphia, PA. He studied art and design in New York City and published his first set of illustrations in 1874 for *Hearth and Home*. Denslow continued working for various magazines, newspapers and books until the late 1800s when he met L. Frank Baum.

Denslow provided a couple of illustrations for Baum in 1898. Baum liked what he saw and asked Denslow to illustrate more of his work, including *The Wizard of Oz*. Baum and Denslow made a great team, even working together to turn *The Wizard of Oz* into a play. In 1902, the two had a disagreement and their partnership ended. Denslow continued working until his death on May 27, 1915.

Jokes and Riddles

Q: What has a spine but no bones?

A: A book.

Q: What do librarians hang over their babies' cribs?

A: Bookmobiles.



MO WILLEMS IS A CHILDREN'S BOOK AUTHOR WHO HAS PENNED A SERIES OF BOOKS WITH THIS TYPE OF BIRD AS THE MAIN CHARACTER.

ANSWER: PIGEON



THIS DAY IN... HISTORY

- 1935: THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT IS SIGNED INTO LAW BY U.S. PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.
- 1947: PAKISTAN GAINS ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM BRITISH RULE.
- 2003: THE LARGEST BLACKOUT IN NORTH AMERICAN HISTORY HITS THE NORTHEAST.



FACT OR FICTION? BOOK CHALLENGE

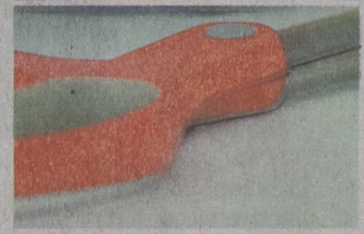
Each year, the Association for Library Service to Children looks at all of the children's books that have been published and selects one to receive the Newbery Medal. Here are some questions about some of those books. How many can you answer correctly?

- 1) *Bridge to Terabithia* focuses on two friends, Jesse and Mary, who create a magical forest kingdom. Fact or Fiction?
- 2) Lois Lowry wrote *Number the Stars*. Fact or Fiction?
- 3) Lois Lowry wrote another Newbery Medal book, *The Giver*. Fact or Fiction?
- 4) *The Higher Power of Lucky* recounts the adventures of Lucky Thimble who lives in the desert community of Hard Pan. Fact or Fiction?
- 5) *Cross Cross* tells the story of a young girl named Lucy who wishes something good would happen to her. Fact or Fiction?
- 6) Patricia MacLachlan wrote *Sarah, Plain and Short*. Fact or Fiction?
- 7) *Maniac Magee* recounts the adventures of Jeffrey Lionel Magee who lives in the town of Three Mills. Fact or Fiction?
- 8) *A Year Down Yonder* focuses on Mary Ann's visit to her grandmother's house in Illinois. Fact or Fiction?
- 9) *Bud, Not Buddy* recounts the adventures of orphan Bud Caldwell after he runs away from his foster family. Fact or Fiction?
- 10) E.L. Konisburg wrote *The View from Saturday*. Fact or Fiction?

Answers: 1) Fiction, the main character's name is Mary Ann, not Mary. 2) Fact. 3) Fiction, the main character's name is Sarah, Plain and Tall. 4) Fiction, the town is called Three Mills, not Three. 5) Fiction, the book is called *Crossed*, not *Cross*. 6) Fiction, the main character's name is Leslie, not Lucy. 7) Fiction, the main character's name is Bud, not Jeffrey. 8) Fact. 9) Fiction, the main character's name is Bud, not Caldwell. 10) Fiction, the book is called *The View from Saturday*.

Did You Know?

CRAYONS ARE COLORED WAX STICKS. THE PROCESS OF BLENDING PIGMENT WITH WAX DATES BACK THOUSANDS OF YEARS.



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: SCISSORS

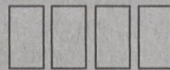
How they SAY that in...

- ENGLISH: Student
- SPANISH: Estudiante
- ITALIAN: Studente
- FRENCH: Étudiant
- GERMAN: Student

WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to quilts.

T O S F



ANSWER: SOFT

New Word

ELEMENTARY

easily dealt with

Guess Who?

I was born on August 20, 1983 in California. I trained at the Center for Speech and Drama at the University of London, which may have helped me hone my web-making skills for a popular movie role.

ANSWER: Andrew Garfield

Quilting Word Search

F R U N K D H G B A T T I N G S B R W B
R E N S L N M K N K N P O W H D O E I E
R L E L B M I H T I I F S G I M R D W T
V P U E T B Q E P E F W B O L B D W K W
F M Q E R H T T C N T F G A C Y E O I E
E A I V Q F E E A H T P U N C I R R T E
G S L E Q M W P H S N T S T I K L K A N
R L P I P O C R K C E H N P S T I A B S
A R P L R H N C T Y M G C F W U T N C B
I E A K A I A Q L N A T N G B O O A G S
N T S R F S A F I M L R N E D Y H E T E
E U M F D G W N U A I K M I L A C K I L
B E R E H E N I Q O F E L T O L E L B B
A P E U U E S D W G O B L T W P A S P I
S F E Y N E A I S F N G E L I S N H K S
T Q B I L E G D Y O O G F S I I Y O C U
I N L D R S A I B E M I Y N A N G L Q F
N T E H F K N I L S U M B I I E E S I P
G E T S T I P P L I N G M U B L A H A D
N K F P Y D N L E N N A L F G B H N C U

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally & diagonally throughout the puzzle.

- ALBUM
- APPLIQUE
- BACKING
- BASTING
- BATIK
- BATTING
- BETWEENS
- BIAS
- BORDER
- CALICO
- CHALLENGE
- CHARM
- CHENILLE
- EASE
- ECHO
- FEEDSACKS
- FLANNEL
- FUSIBLES
- GRAIN
- LAYOUT
- LINEN
- MONOFILAMENT
- MUSLIN
- NEEDLES
- ON POINT
- PIECEWORKS
- QUILT
- REDWORK
- SAMPLER
- SLEEVE
- STIPPLING
- STUFFING
- TATTING
- TEMPLATE
- THIMBLE
- THREAD

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