

TRAIN Your BRAIN



April

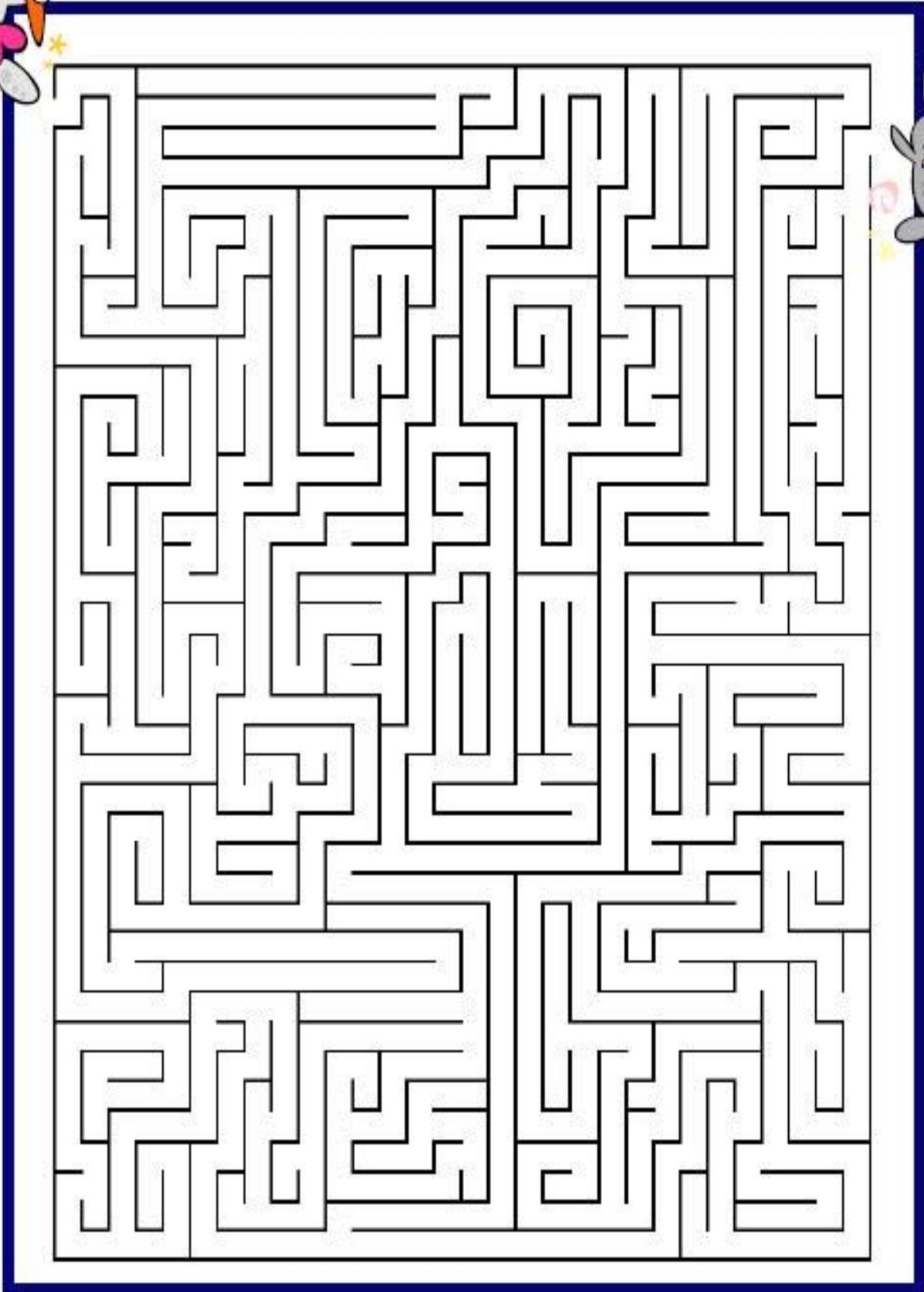
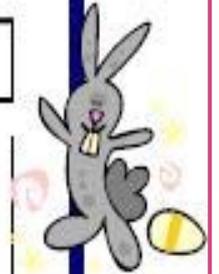
April Fools Day

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

APRIL
 BAMBOOZLE
 BEFUDDLE
 BEMUSE
 BEWILDER
 BUSINESS
 CAPER
 DELUDE
 DUMBFOUND
 DUPE
 FARCE
 FIRST
 HOAX
 HOODWINK
 JEST
 JOKES
 LAUGHTER
 LEVITY
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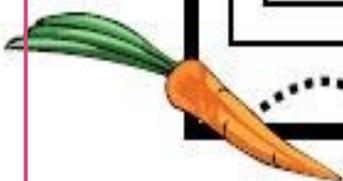
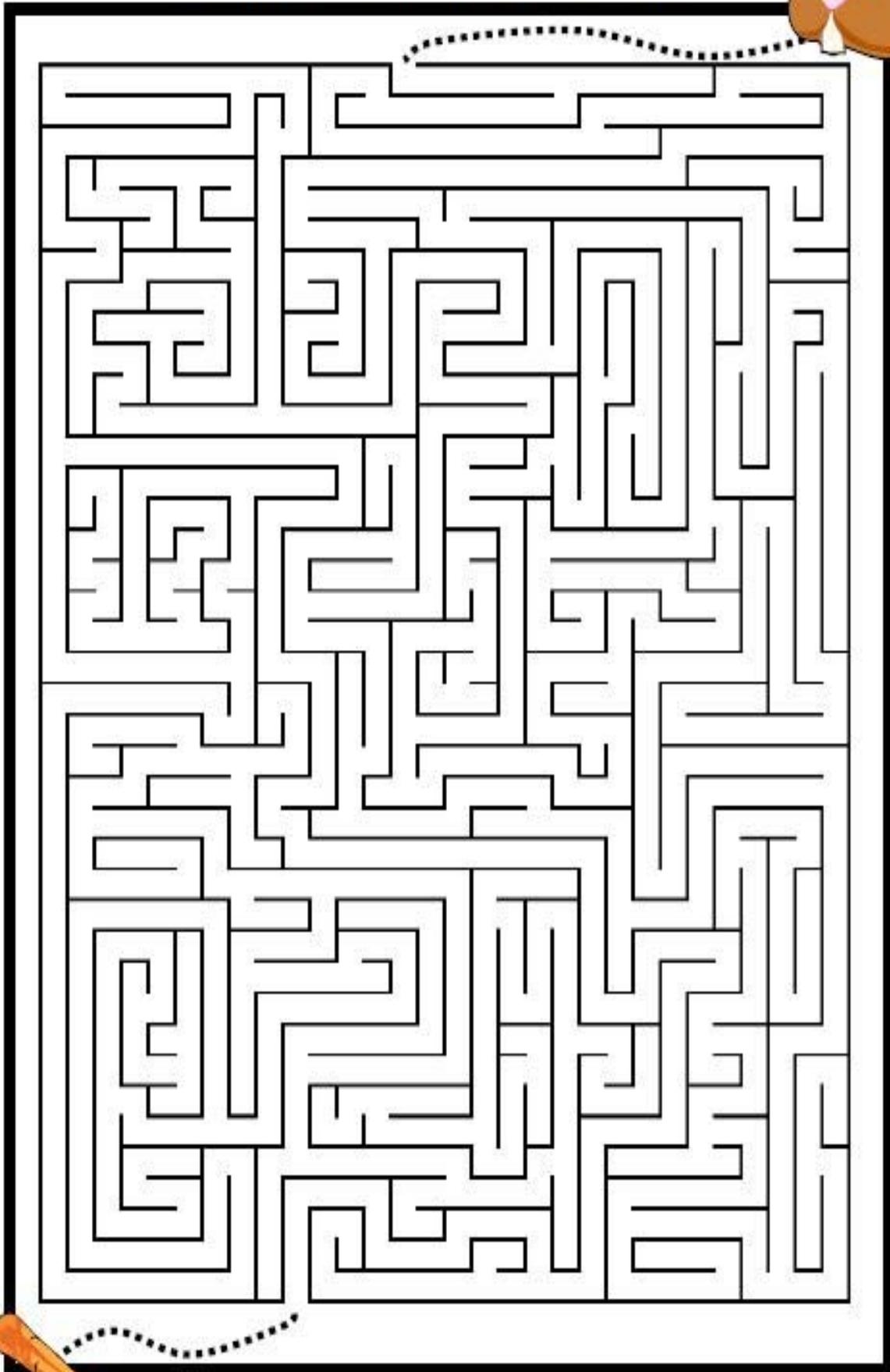
Bunny Friends Maze

Betty Bunny is going to visit Billy Bunny. Find a way through the maze from Betty Bunny to Billy Bunny.



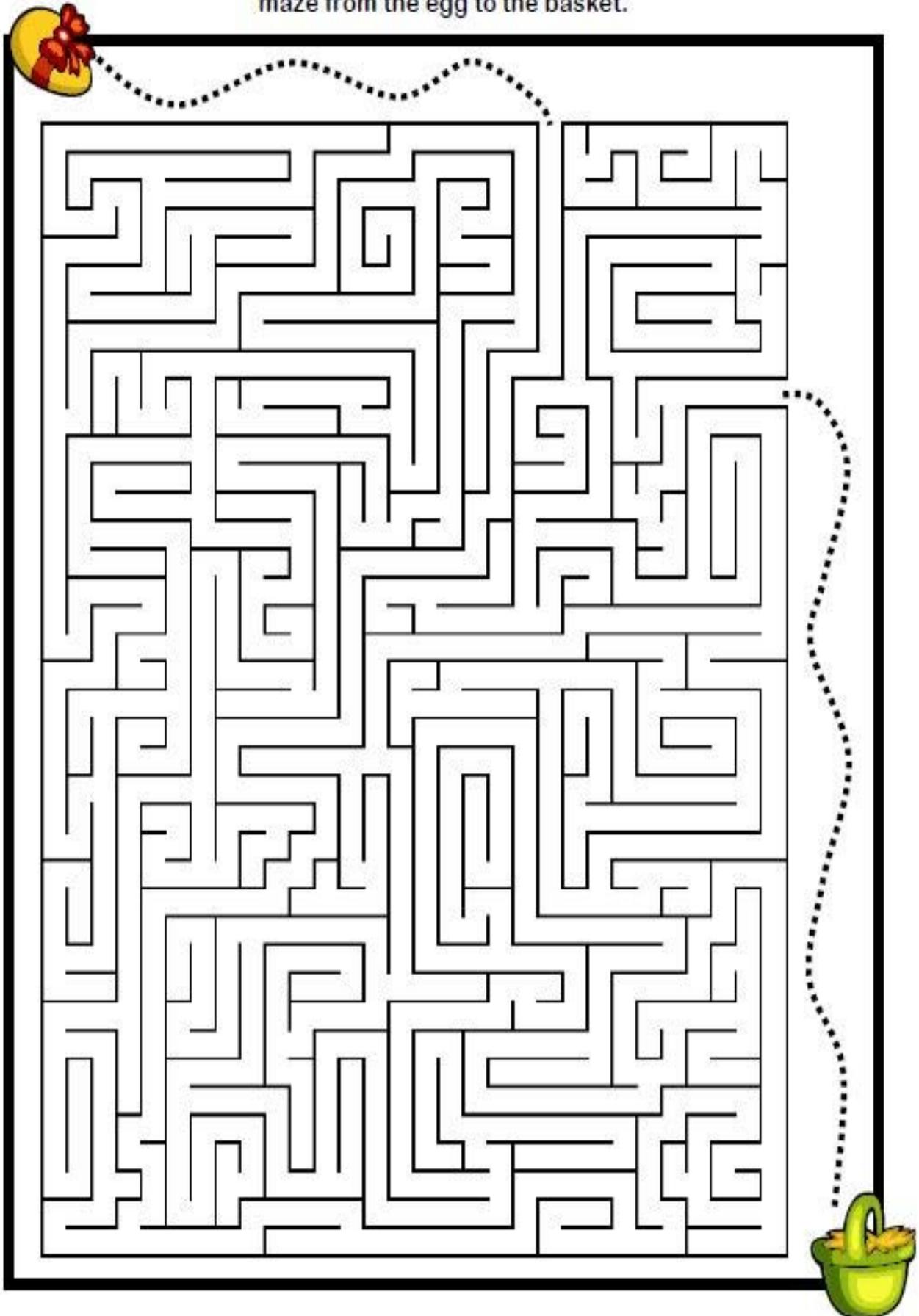
Hungry Bunny Maze

The Easter Bunny is hungry. Find a way through the maze from the Easter Bunny to the carrot.



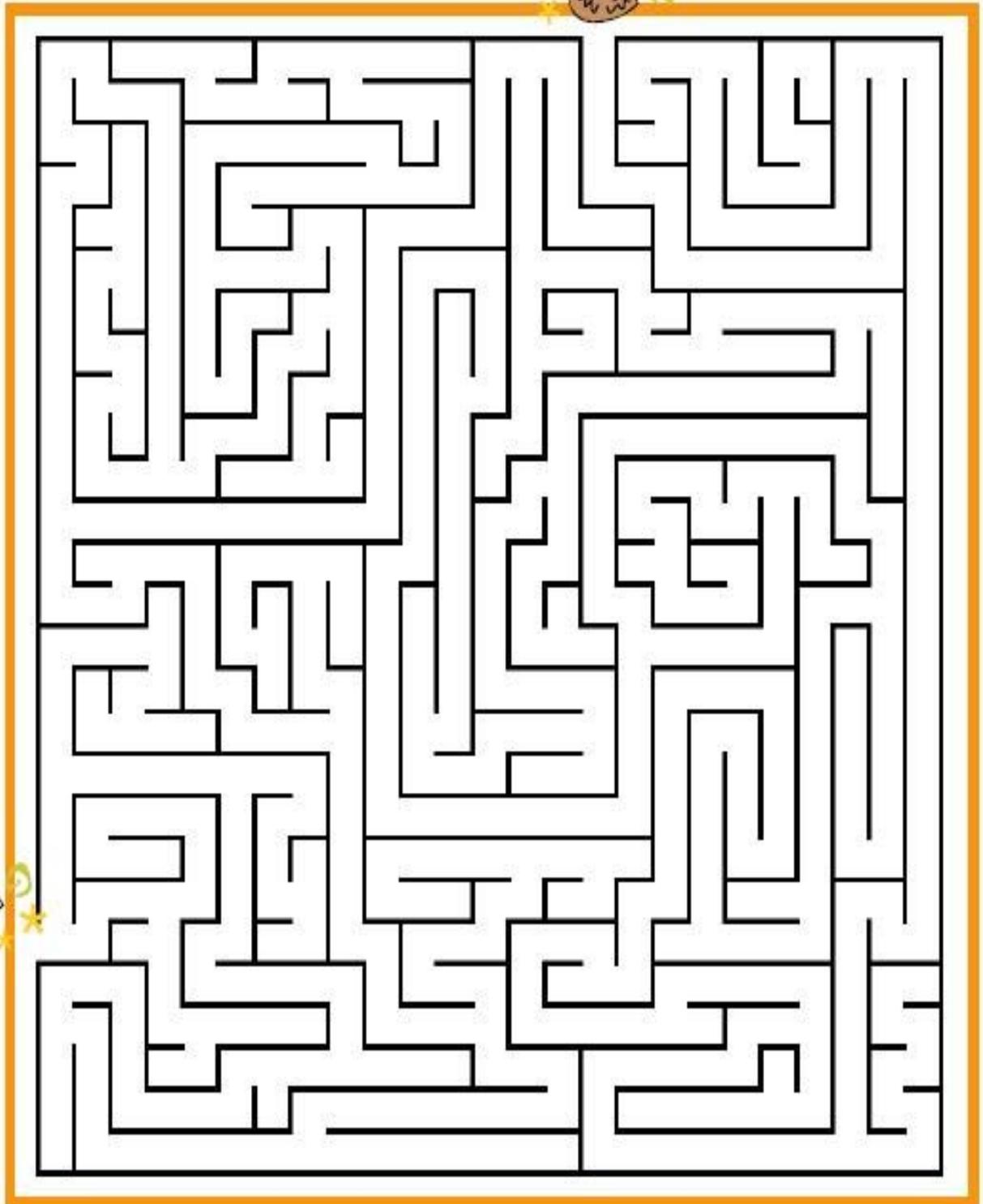
Egg Basket Maze

Take the Easter Egg to the basket. Find a way through the maze from the egg to the basket.



Easter Maze

Help the Easter Bunny find his basket. Find a way through the maze from the Easter Bunny to the basket.



Colouring



Palm Sunday

R X Q V P Z A O W C E I N U W W B U P S
 E X Y H P R A X V Z W Q S P R U L L R M
 Q C A V C R B N H J E V D O K K C W O B
 L F E I G V E E H R P Y I F X E C R A W
 W M X B C G X J O B N C V L K F L Z D C
 W V Q A P K C O D H X G A N L D Z G Y R
 D U J Y R E T D S E T I D S I A R C E S
 C O R S E B O K D E V P R S Q X G A M Z
 E F N A T P A P M M V M C X O P K E T V
 U V O K B B V K L I P I Y K D P V A W Z
 C H J G E D L A M E P N L G Q B C E M Y
 B N A A A Y P K K L P Y B O O I U G J A
 I S V B L J M J E R U S A L E M G U N Q
 R V Q C O V B S F W K E D U I P J A R W
 X G C O D K N D G N T Z X X Z S Q T X Z
 Y R O L G R T D E S V G O O P H B Q F X
 R A T T P S L V U S Z V A F R U Z D O L
 R B M E E E Z S K R S J B Q V T K F A B
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 Z E G I L J O T A Y O Q L Y V B R J R I
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BLESSED
 CLOAKS
 COLT
 DAVID
 DISCIPLES
 DONKEY
 GLORY
 HEAVEN
 HOSANNA
 JERUSALEM
 JESUS
 MASTER
 OLIVES
 PALM
 PEOPLE
 ROAD
 VILLAGE

Cricket Quiz

1. If a test match runs its full time how many days would it be?

2. Which two cricket teams play for 'The Ashes'?

3. How many runs are awarded for a boundary?

4. How many wickets need to fall to complete an innings?

5. What do the letters 'L.B.W' stand for?



6. What is a maiden over?



7. In which N.S.W. country town did Sir Donald Bradman grow up?

8. By what nickname was Sir Donald Bradman known?

9. If the umpire holds his right arm out horizontally, what is he signalling?

10. What is the only way a batsman can be given out from a no ball?

Proverbs

1. A slip of the tongue is _____
2. Too many cooks _____
3. Don't look a gift _____
4. Never cry over _____
5. Laugh and the world laughs _____
6. More haste _____
7. It is a long lane _____
8. Marry in haste, _____
9. Every cloud _____
10. The devil finds _____
11. Live and _____
12. The early bird _____
13. Never put off till tomorrow _____
14. The proof of the pudding _____
15. It never rains _____
16. Still waters _____
17. The darkest hour _____

Revisiting The Titanic

The sinking of the **RMS *Titanic*** occurred on the night of 14 April through to the morning of 15 April 1912 in the north Atlantic Ocean, four days into the ship's maiden voyage from Southampton to New York City. The largest passenger liner in service at the time, *Titanic* had an estimated 2,224 people on board when she struck an iceberg at around 23:40 (ship's time)^[a] on Sunday, 14 April 1912. Her sinking two hours and forty minutes later at 02:20 (05:18 GMT) on Monday, 15 April resulted in the deaths of more than 1,500 people, which made it one of the deadliest peacetime maritime disasters in history.

Titanic received six warnings of sea ice on 14 April but was travelling near her maximum speed when her lookouts sighted the iceberg. Unable to turn quickly enough, the ship suffered a glancing blow that buckled her starboard (right) side and opened five of her sixteen compartments to the sea. *Titanic* had been designed to stay afloat with four of her forward compartments flooded but not more, and the crew soon realised that the ship would sink. They used distress flares and radio (wireless) messages to attract help as the passengers were put into lifeboats. However, in accordance with existing practice, *Titanic's* lifeboat system was designed to ferry passengers to nearby rescue vessels, not to hold everyone on board simultaneously. So with the ship sinking fast and help still hours away, there was no safe refuge for many of the passengers and crew. Compounding this, poor management of the evacuation meant many boats were launched before they were totally full.

Titanic sank with over a thousand passengers and crew still on board. Almost all those who jumped or fell into the water died from hypothermia within minutes. RMS *Carpathia* later arrived on the scene about an hour and a half after the sinking and had rescued the last of the survivors by 09:15 on 15 April, some nine and a half hours after the collision. The disaster caused widespread outrage over the lack of lifeboats, lax regulations, and the unequal treatment of the three passenger classes during the evacuation. Subsequent inquiries recommended sweeping changes to maritime regulations, leading to the establishment in 1914 of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), which still governs maritime safety today.

Resource: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sinking_of_the_RMS_Titanic



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The Unsinkable Titanic

Q Y T S Y H A L S W E T A O P P H A Y D	CAPTAIN
P J K R Q F S T E A M S H I P D V N G A	CARPATHIA
J B E Z G T E J B U T L R F N Y T T N Y	COLD
Z Q S U N S I N K A B L E U S Y I H D L	CREW
Q Q Q U R E T A W A J F K I I I T I F D	DEATH
L C D X B N M U M Q C S N H U K A J R M	DISTESS
O Q K U T A W E F Z Y K D A L R N U C F	ICEBERG
K Y I L G X S T R A I J E L C Q I J E P	IRELAND
O J T J W S D W Y N C A J I F L C Y C X	LIFEBOAT
L X U I A W O H G J L N I N T K I S J F	LINER
H U M G Q L T V H Y E A S H P C E C Q A	MAIDEN
Y C E I Y R O O L D Y B H D T R V J Q Z	MESSAGES
D S K M O G F Y I E O T E T R A U Q V Z	OCEAN
Z V P W B L D A F A W A W J N G P A E G	OLYMPIC
U I A P D B M G E X T Z E B N D N R Z J	PASSENGERS
C E J S X Q R E B H V A R I N P R F A D	QUARTET
S W C J X E O O O W T R M A K K U L Z C	SEAWORTHY
R A D P B O V T A C M M L Z J R J R X L	SIGNALS
E R K E U G R F T C I E P S C J P N M C	SINKING
G N C X V S K A P W R J A Y W L Z L G W	SOUTHAMPTON
N I S G Y I R J S I D S H W R T X D S C	STEAMSHIP
E N Q W Q G J J Y D Q T I Y O Q I W A M	SURVIVOR
S G T E X N I C B N S I L H N S A P H A	SWIMMING
S Y A W R A L B U S M H H O S E T B K W	TITANIC
A F M B Z L K U E D E F T Q M A O I S A	TRAGIC
P X P W A S Z T S Y K P H Y I U H D M F	UNSINKABLE
Q N R D A Z S I W U M V L N Q P M P R T	VOYAGE
H B O W J I Q E I A R C C T Q R V E L T	WARNING
O O F C D P R H H Z T V L W Y R N M V O	WATER
S M T E J C P T K F T R I O L I A X S Z	
I X O Q N O U D J B Q F A V L D E X P I	
C X R G G O J G G I M D S G O B C O L D	
V M W T S Q S X G G K U N A I R O J H Y	
F F M L K H E X H A V P A C U C A G D D	
A R C B H J B H N Z H S U W R X E B Z P	

SPLIT WORDS

Begin with the first word in Column A and then select a word from Column B, so that the two words combine to form one large word. E.g. Mini Mum .. Forms Minimum

COLUMN A

1. HEAD
2. STRAW
3. SUPER
4. HANG
5. BLOCK
6. FRY
- 7 SHELL
8. SEE
9. PINE
10. MID
11. SEA
12. NEWS
13. GENTLE
14. TEA
15. HOME
16. PHOTO
17. WIRE
18. TOOTH
19. SUN
20. WEEK

COLUMN B

- FISH
- ADE
- OVER
- WORK
- PICK
- SET
- PAPER
- BERRY
- LESS
- APPLE
- POT
- PAN
- ACHE
- GRAPH
- MARKET
- WIFE
- END
- WEED
- MAN
- SAW

ANALOGIES

A similarity between two basically different things is called an analogy.

E.g. Little is to big as dwarf is to giant.

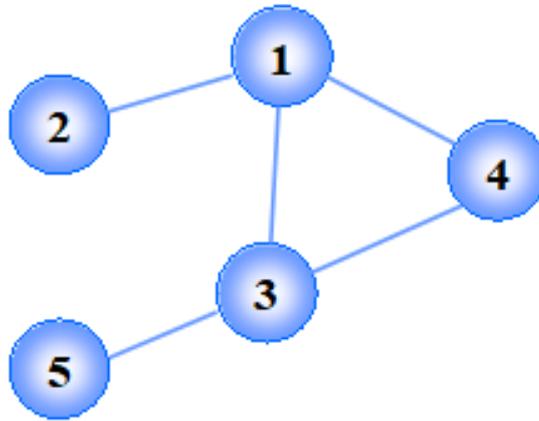
1. Spider is to fly as cat is to _____
2. Sheep is to mutton as pig is to _____
3. Boy is to girl as _____ is to woman
4. Uncle is to _____ as aunt is to niece
5. Soldier is to _____ as sailor is to navy
6. _____ is to hand as toe is to foot
7. _____ are to birds as scales are to fish
8. Tear is to sorrow as smile is to _____
9. Wrist is to arm as ankle is to _____
10. Arrow is to bow as _____ is to rifle
11. Water is to _____ as liquid is to solid
12. Wing is to bird as fin is to _____
13. Rich is to poor as ancient is to _____
14. Flock is to sheep as _____ is to cattle
15. Here is to there as _____ is to that
16. Day is to week as _____ is to year
17. Table is to wood as window is to _____
18. Food is to hungry as drink is to _____
19. Statue is to sculptor as book is to _____
20. Wrist is to cuff as _____ is to collar
21. Walk is to legs as _____ is to wings
22. Picture is to _____ as carpet is to floor
23. Graceful is to _____ as polite is to rude
24. _____ is to church as tower is to castle
25. _____ is to egg as rind is to orange

CONNECTIONS 1

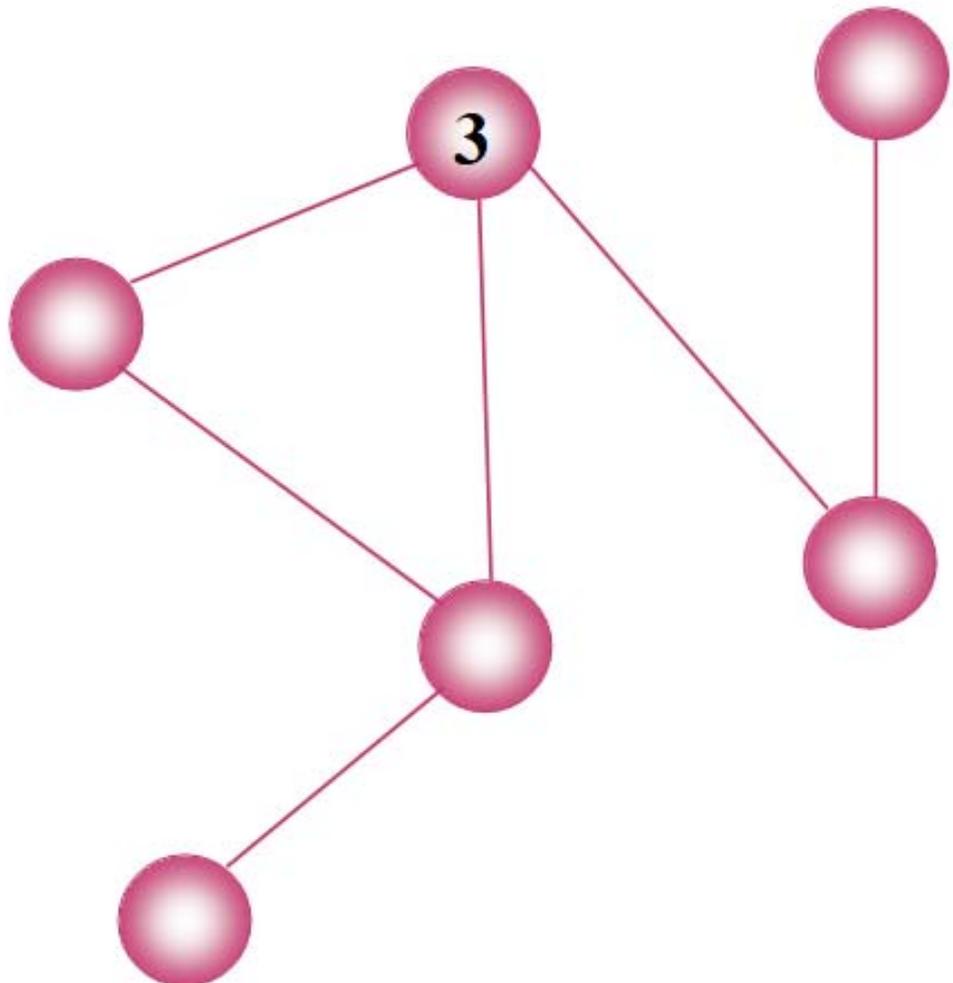
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Example

1 = 9
2 = 1
3 = 10
4 = 4
5 = 3



Clues
1 = 8
2 = 4
3 = 10
4 = 5
5 = 10
6 = 5

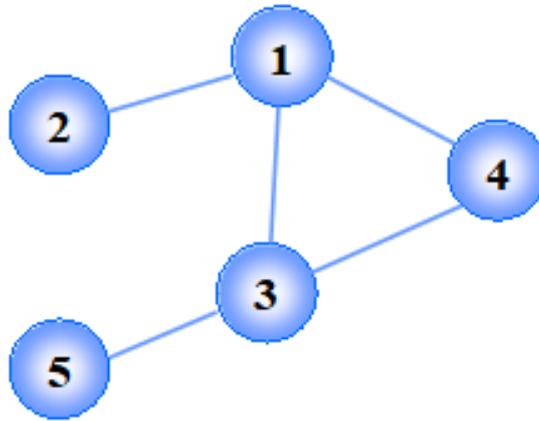


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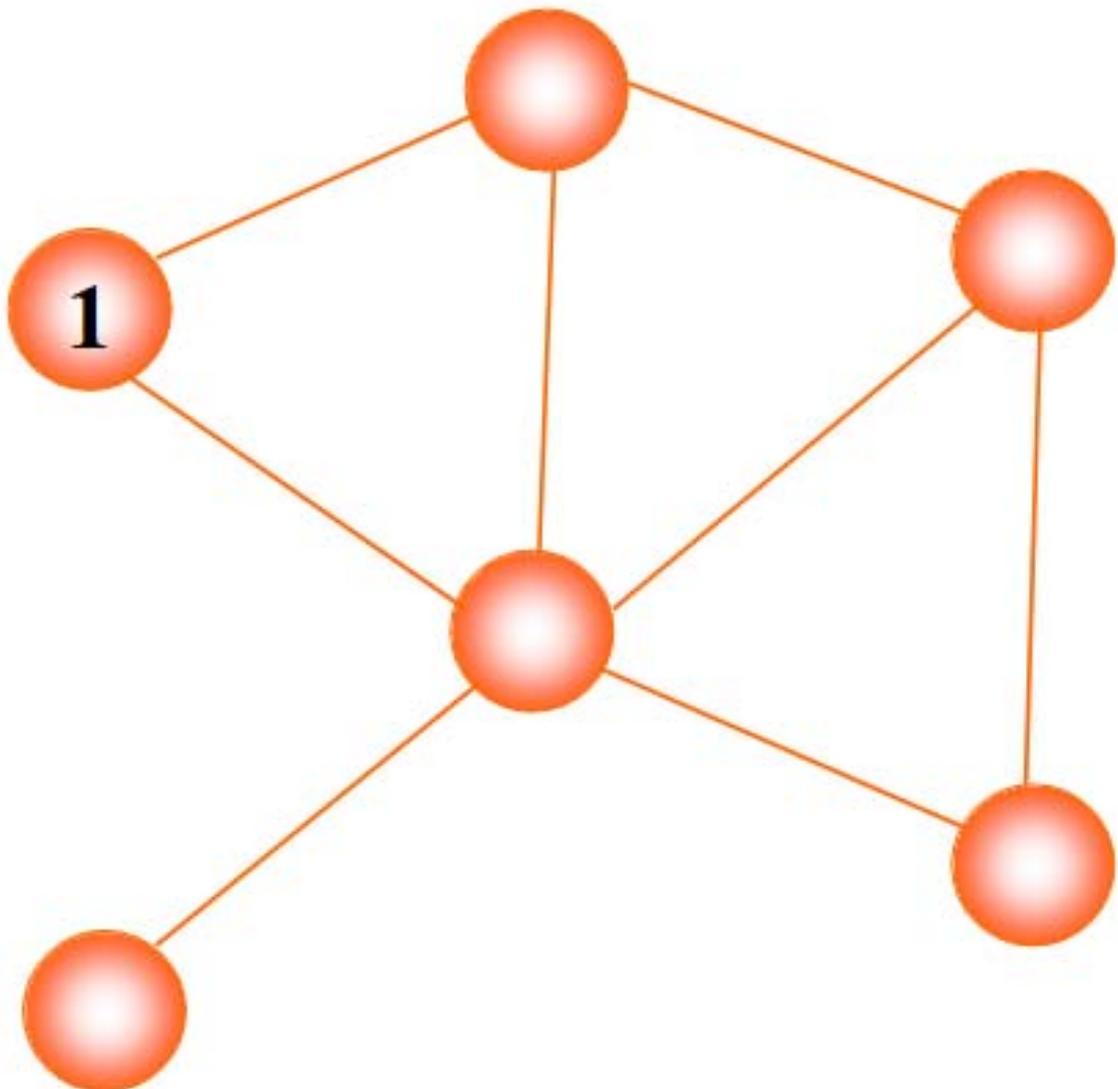
Example

1 = 9
2 = 1
3 = 10
4 = 4
5 = 3



Clues

1 = 10
2 = 4
3 = 15
4 = 17
5 = 7
6 = 8



Poppy Quiz

1. Apart from poppies, the other plant associated with war is?
 - A) *Roses*
 - B) *Sunflowers*
 - C) *Rosemary*
 - D) *Daffodils*
2. Why have some poppies gotten a bad name?
 - A) *They have spiky thorns*
 - B) *they smell awful*
 - C) *They look terrible*
 - D) *They can be used to produce opium*
3. Poppy is also:
 - A) *A type of medical instrument*
 - B) *A brand of car*
 - C) *A girl's name*
 - D) *The name of a city in India*
4. Why does the RSL sell poppies now-a-days?
 - A) *Employ a full-time gardener*
 - B) *Keep it's members busy*
 - C) *Raise funds for welfare work*
 - D) *Provide Christmas cakes to the homeless*
5. The British equivalent of the RSL is called?
 - A) *The British RSL*
 - B) *The Royal British Legion*
 - C) *The BSL*
 - D) *The British Soldiers Movement*
6. Soldiers' folklore maintained that the Flanders poppies were vivid red in colour because they had been drenched in the blood of the fallen.
 - A) *True*
 - B) *False*
7. Before the war, poppies traditionally symbolized action.
 - A) *True*
 - B) *False, they symbolised sleep.*
8. Initially, money raised through the selling of poppies was given to war widows, orphans, needy veterans and their dependents.
 - A) *True*
 - B) *False*
9. The forerunner to the RSL was called "The Australian Returned Soldiers and Sailors Imperial League".
 - A) *True*
 - B) *False*
10. In 1921, The Australian Returned Soldiers and Sailors Imperial League imported at least 5 million silk poppies made in French orphanages.
 - A) *True*
 - B) *False, they imported 1 million only.*



Anzac Day

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

ANZAC
 APRIL
 ARMY
 AUSTRALIA
 COURAGE
 GALLIPOLI
 HONOUR
 LESTWEFORGET
 NEWZEALAND
 POPPY
 REMEMBER
 RESPECT
 RISINGSUN
 ROSEMARY
 SACRAFICE
 SOLDIER

Anzac Day Crossword

Puzzle is on next page.

Across

- 1 People _____ during Anzac Day Parades
- 3 Lest We _____
- 4 The Anzacs fought at _____
- 6 Anzac _____ are often eaten around Anzac Day
- 7 There is always an Anzac Day Dawn _____
- 8 A slang term for soldiers
- 11 Football and Rugby _____ are played on Anzac Day
- 13 The Anzacs fought during World War _____
- 14 The _____ who fought are remembered
- 16 Gallipoli is in a region of _____
- 18 Soldiers wear _____ to signify bravery

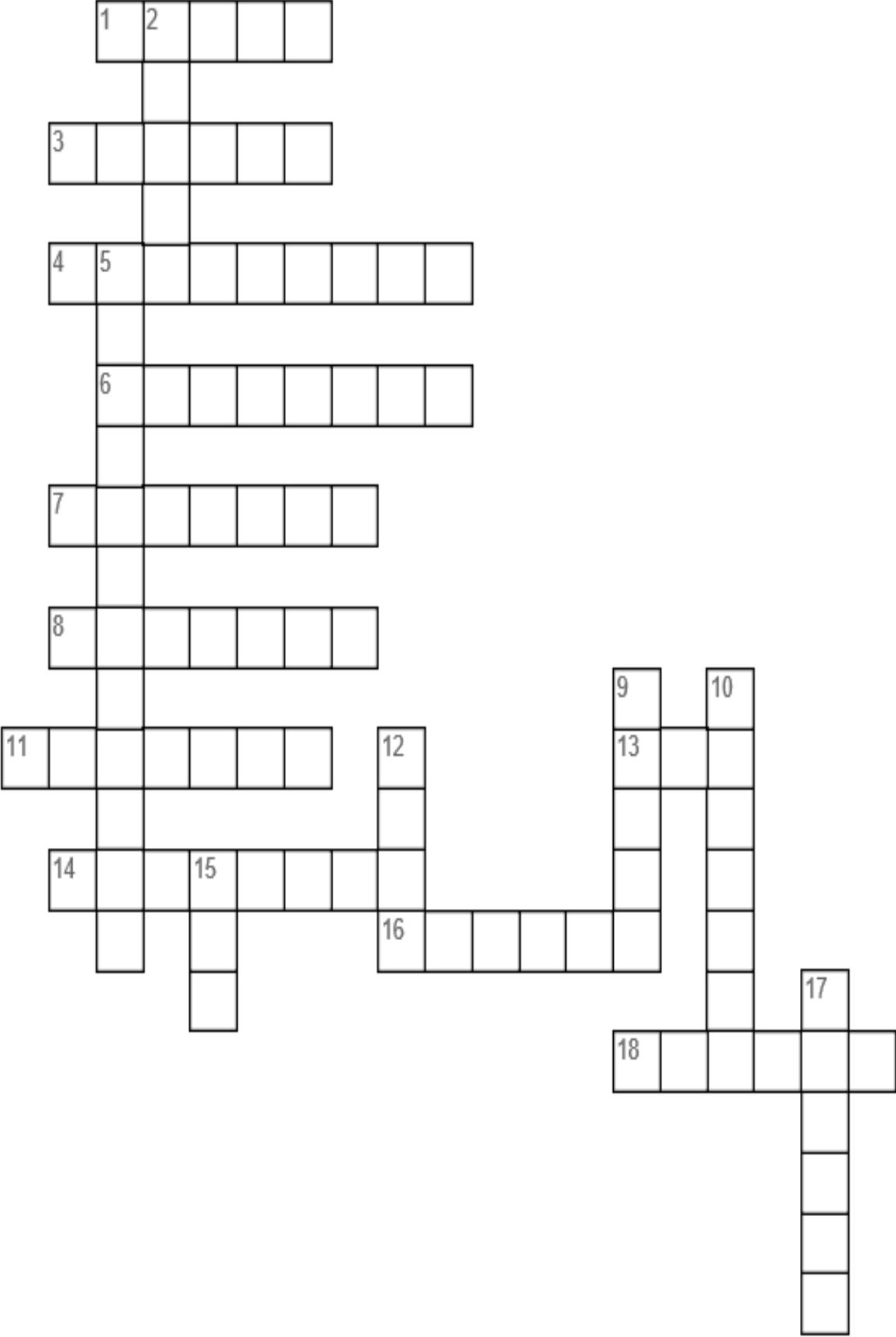
Down

- 2 Anzac Day is celebrated annually on _____ 25th
- 5 Anzac is an _____ for Australian and New Zealand Army Corps
- 9 The lower that symbolizes remembrance is a _____
- 10 Anzac Day honours members of the Australian and New _____ Army Corps
- 12 A bugle plays The _____ Post at Anzac Day Services
- 15 Anzac _____ is an important occasion
- 17 Two - Up is often _____ on Anzac Day

WORD BANK:

ABBREVIATION, APRIL, BISCUITS, DAY, DIGGERS, FORGET, GALLIPOLI, LAST, MARCH, MATCHES, MEDALS, ONE, PLAYED, POPPY, SERVICE, SOLDIERS, TURKEY, ZEALAND

Anzac Day Crossword



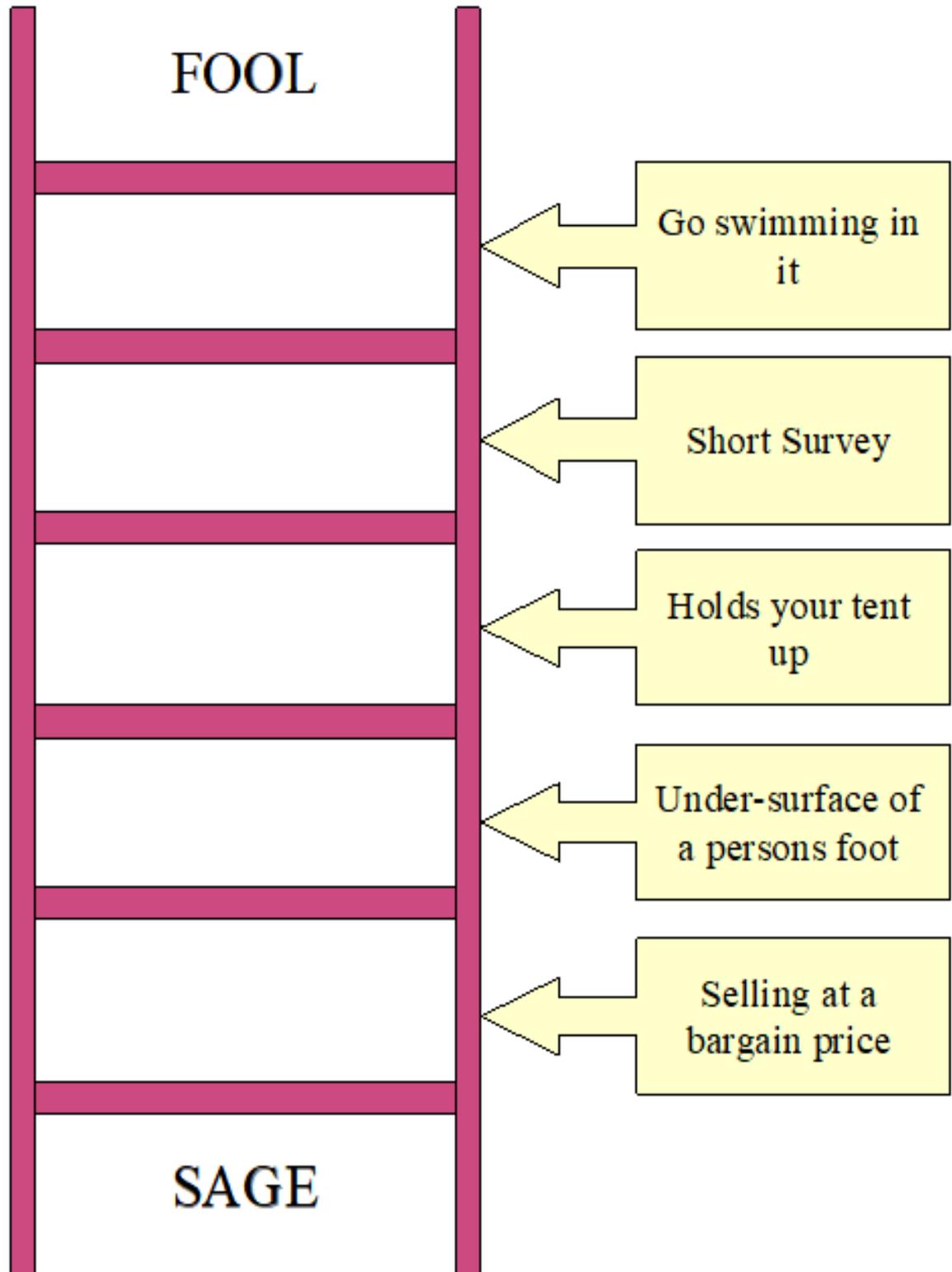
Change One Letter

Change one letter in each word in column B to form a group of words that belong to the category of column A

COLUMN A	COLUMN B	ANSWERS
GYM	FUMBELL	
	BRAINER	
	FENCH	
NUTRITION	PIET	
	WEALTH	
	MITAMINS	
CANDLES	HICK	
	FAX	
	SWELL	
TRAVEL	NAG	
	ALY	
	POTEL	
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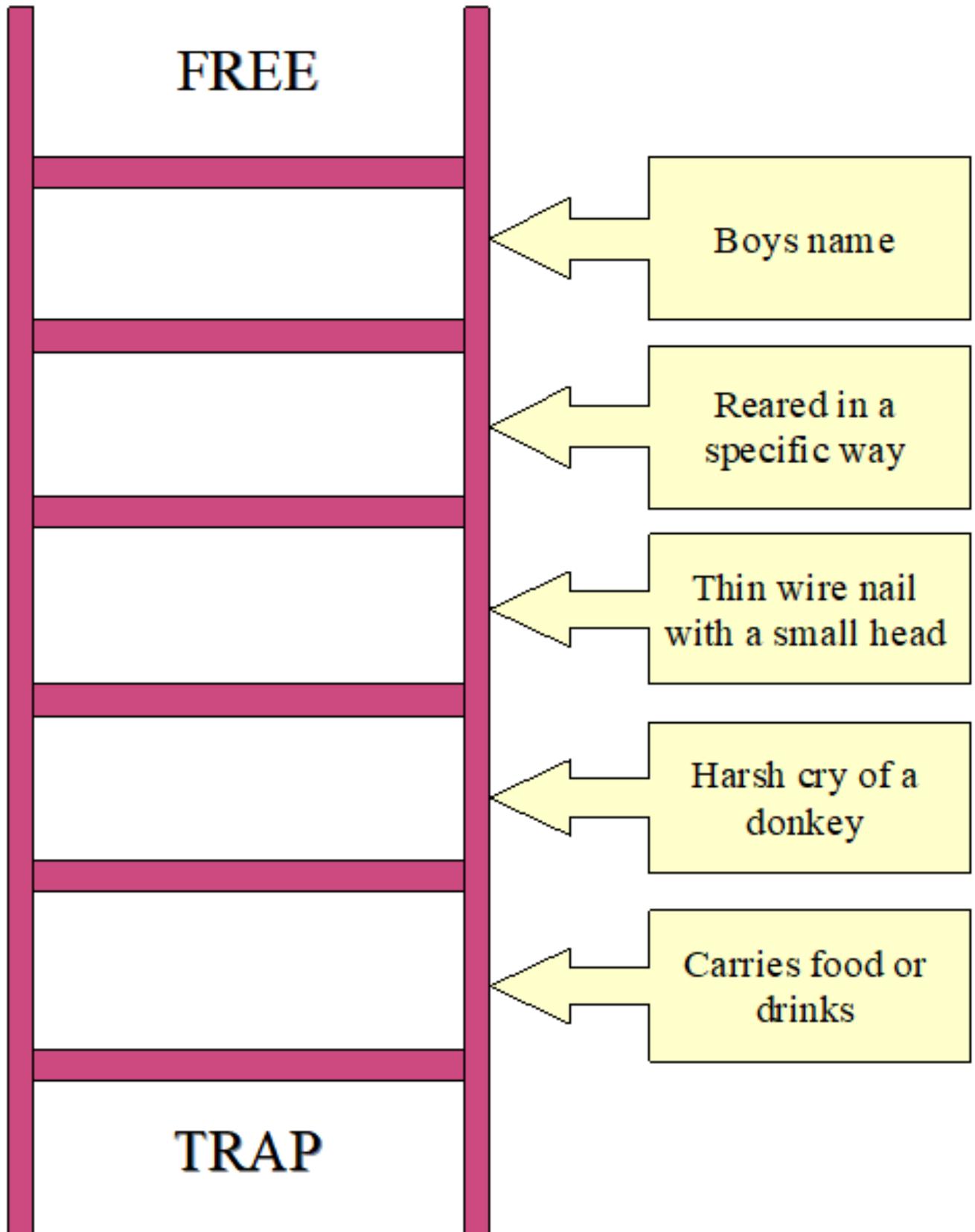
Word Ladders - Fool to Sage

Turn **FOOL** into **SAGE**



Word Ladders - Free to Trap

Turn **FREE** into **TRAP**



Quizzes / Word Games

Word Ladders - Tart into Dish

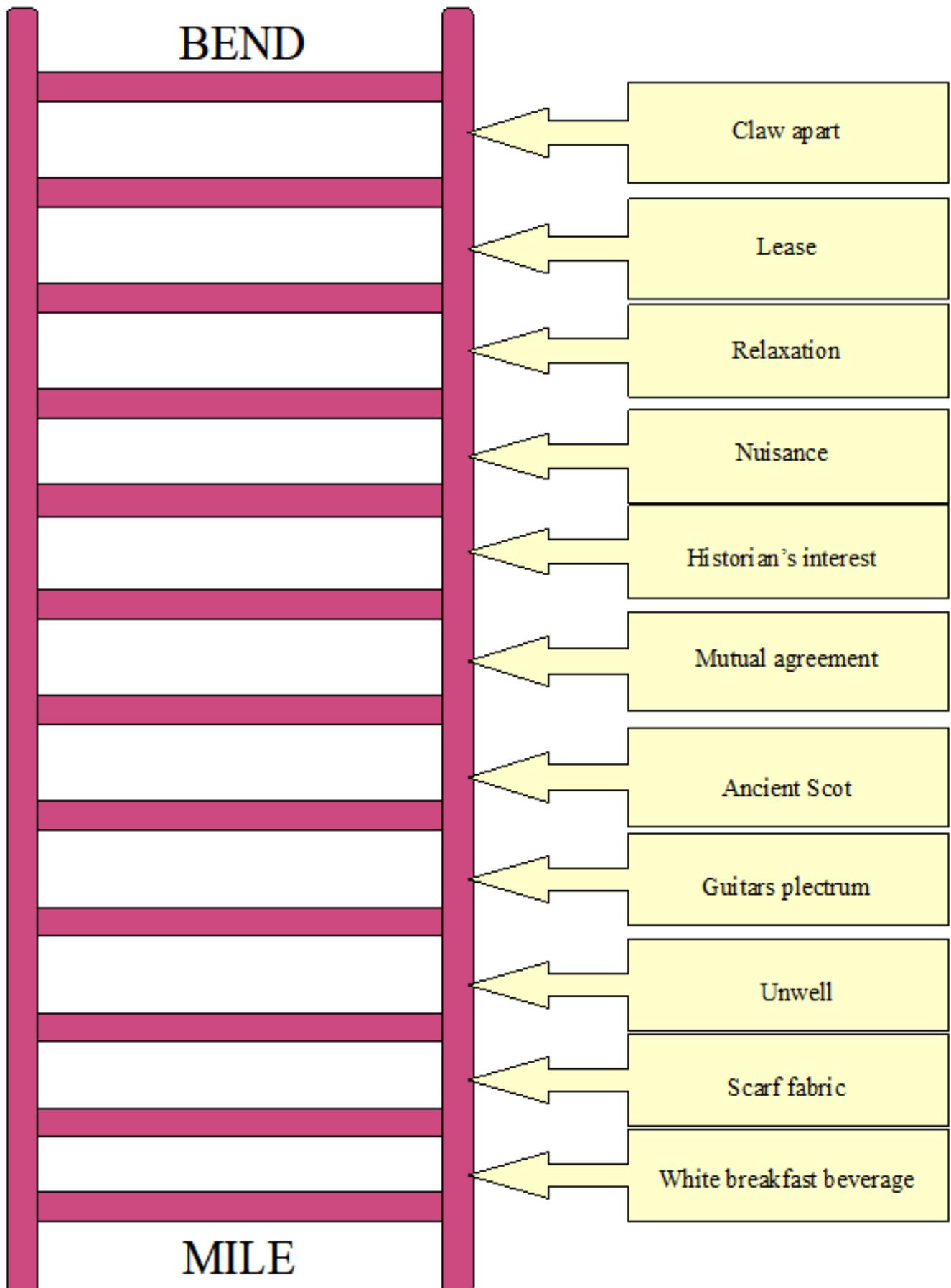
Turn **TART** into **DISH**

The word ladder consists of two vertical pink bars connected by four horizontal pink bars. The top bar is labeled 'TART' and the bottom bar is labeled 'DISH'. To the right of the ladder, four yellow boxes with black outlines contain clues, each with a yellow arrow pointing left towards a horizontal bar on the ladder.

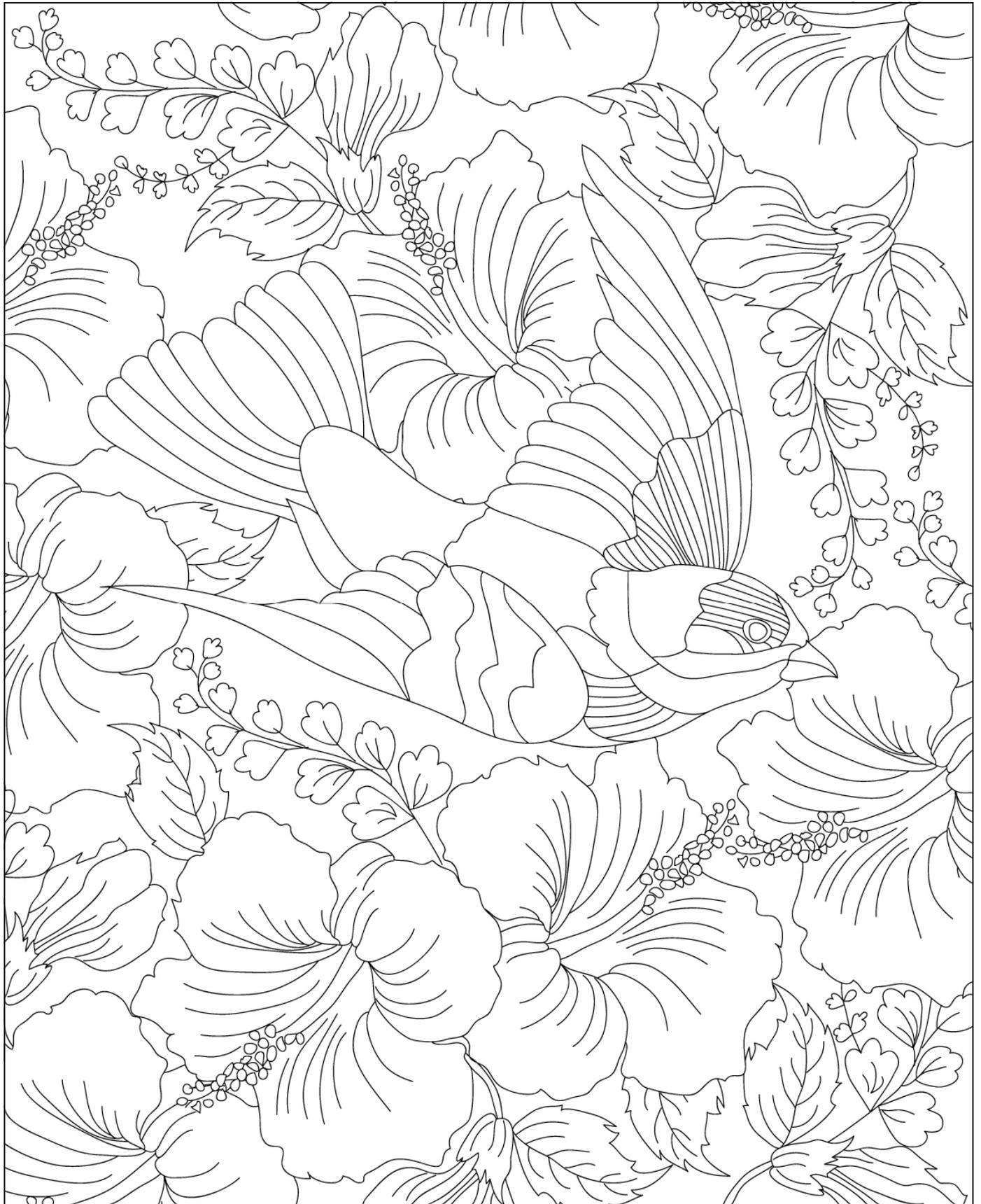
- Clue 1: Horse before the
- Clue 2: Do this when fishing
- Clue 3: In your wallet
- Clue 4: Hurry

Word Ladders - Bend to Mile

Turn **BEND** into **MILE**



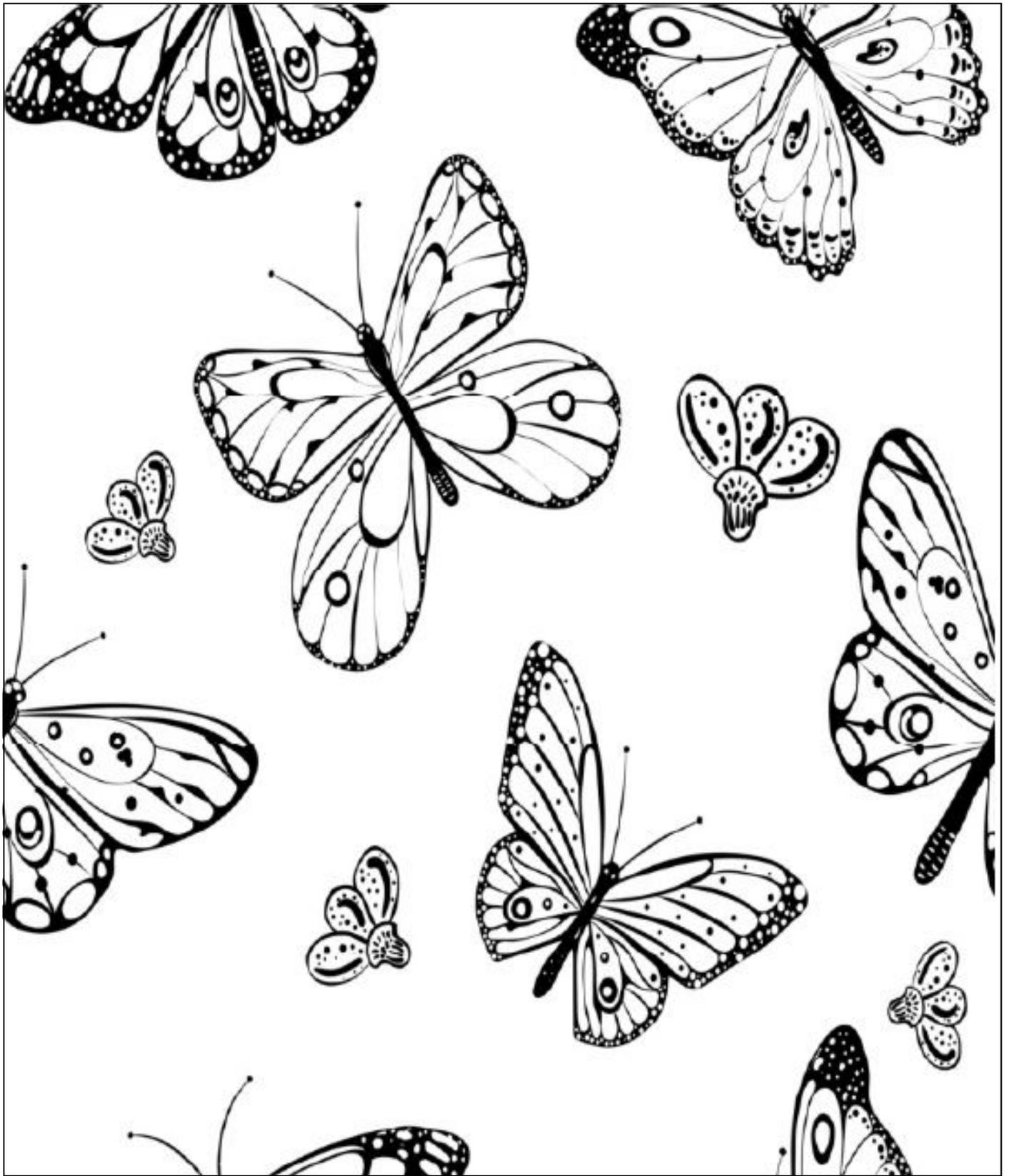
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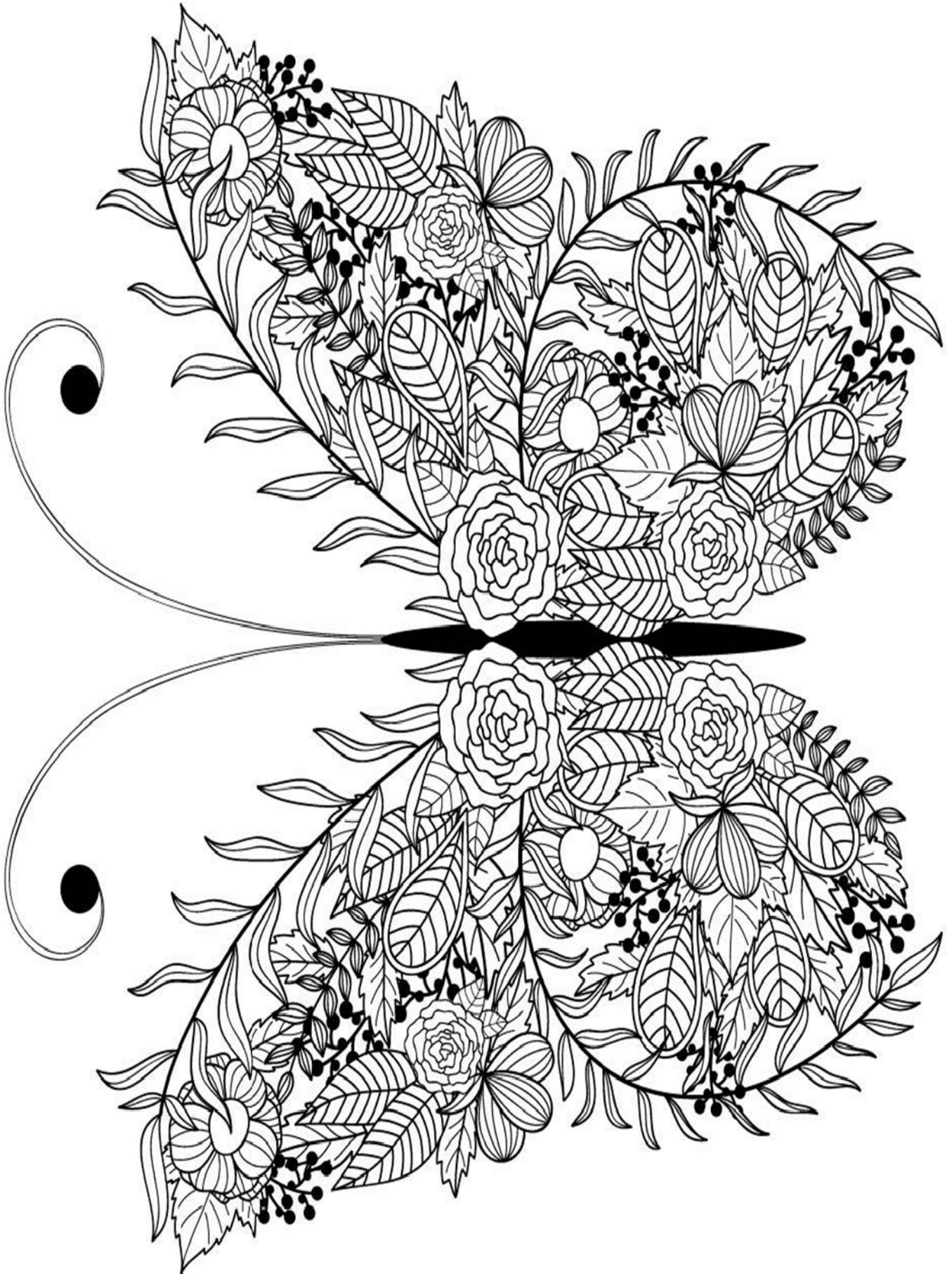
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Answers

CRICKET pg. 9

1. Five
2. England and Australia
3. Four
4. Ten
5. Leg before Wicket
6. A bowling over during which no runs are scored
7. Bowral
8. 'The Don'
9. No Ball
10. Run Out

ANALOGIES pg 15

1. MOUSE
2. PORK
3. MAN
4. NEPHEW
5. ARMY
6. FINGER
7. FEATHERS
8. JOY
9. LEG
10. BULLET
11. ICE
12. FISH
13. MODERN
14. HERD
15. THIS
16. MONTH
17. GLASS
18. THIRSTY
19. AUTHOR
20. NECK
21. FLY
22. WALL
23. AWKWARD
24. SPIRE
25. SHELL

PROVERBS pg. 10

1. no fault of the mind
2. spoil the broth
3. horse in the mouth
4. spilt milk
5. with you, weep and you weep alone
6. less speed
7. that has no turning
8. repent at leisure
9. has a silver lining
10. work for idle hand
11. let live
12. catches the worm
13. what you can do today
14. is in the eating
15. but it pours
16. run deep
17. is just before dawn

POPPY QUIZ pg. 18

1. C
2. D
3. C
4. C
5. B
6. TRUE
7. FALSE, they symbolised sleep
8. TRUE
9. TRUE
10. FALSE, they imported one million only

SPLIT WORDS pg 14

HEADACHE
STRAWBERRY
SUPERMARKET
HANGOVER
BLOCKADE
FRYPAN
SHELLFISH
SEESAW
PINEAPPLE
MIDWIFE
SEAWEED
NEWSPAPER
GENTLEMAN
TEAPOT
HOMEWORK
PHOTOGRAPH
WIRELESS
TOOTHPICK
SUNSET
WEEKEND

CHANGE ONE LETTER

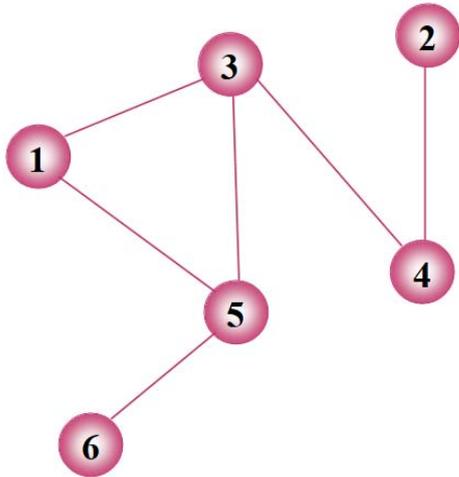
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DUMBBELL
TRAINER
BENCH
DIET
HEALTH
VITAMINS
WICK
WAX
SMELL
BAG
FLY
HOTEL
RING
VOW
SPOUSE

Answers

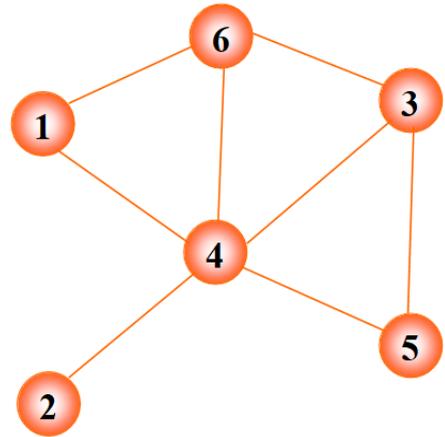
CONNECTIONS 1 pg 16

- 1 = 8
- 2 = 4
- 3 = 10
- 4 = 5
- 5 = 10
- 6 = 5

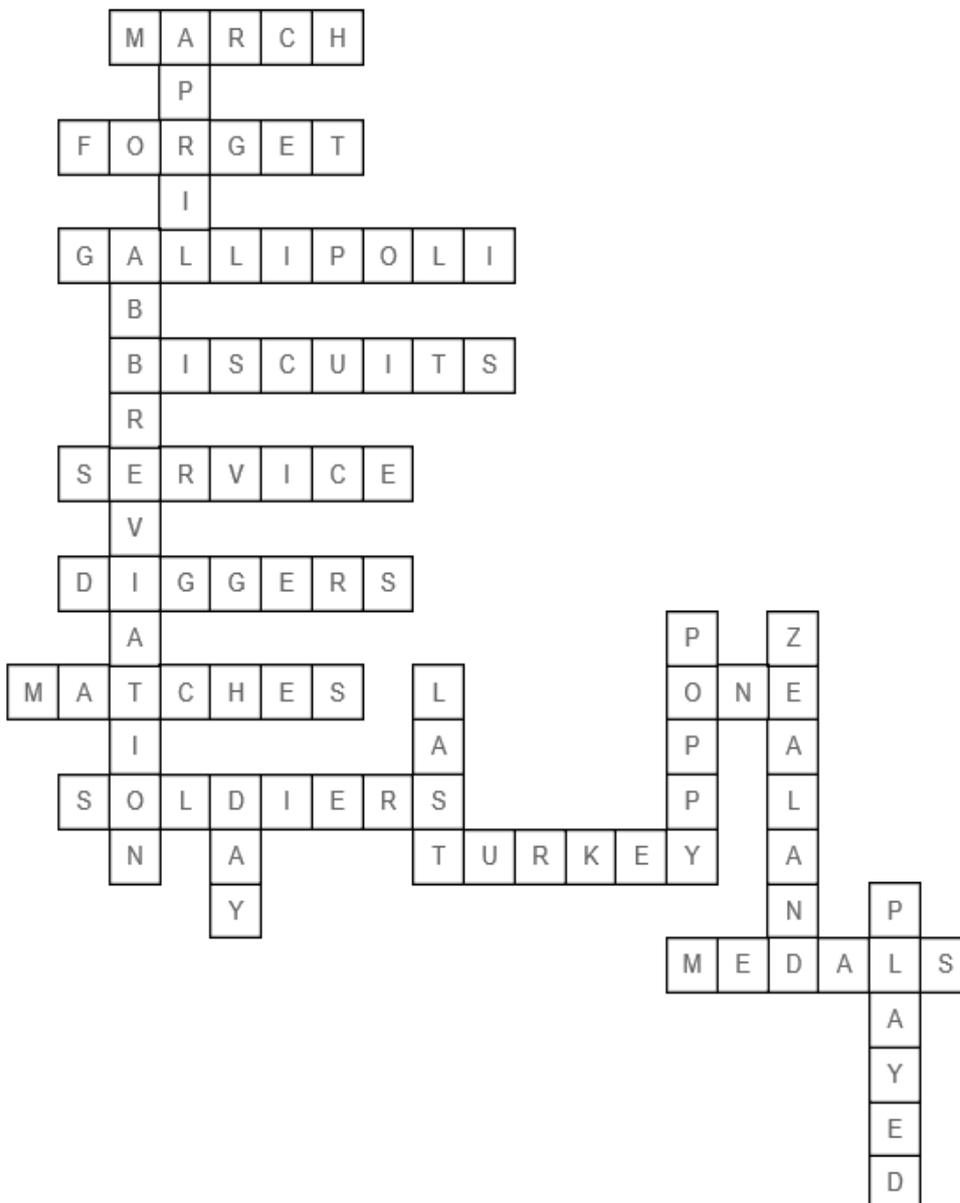


CONNECTIONS 2 pg 17

- 1 = 10
- 2 = 4
- 3 = 15
- 4 = 17
- 5 = 7
- 6 = 8

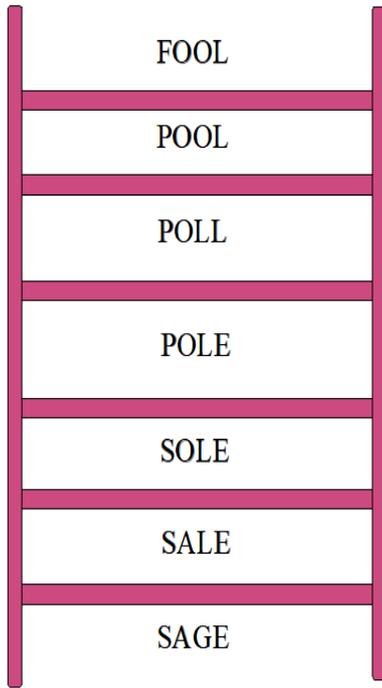


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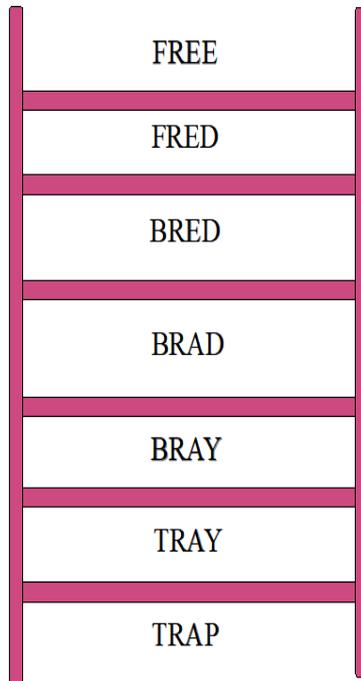


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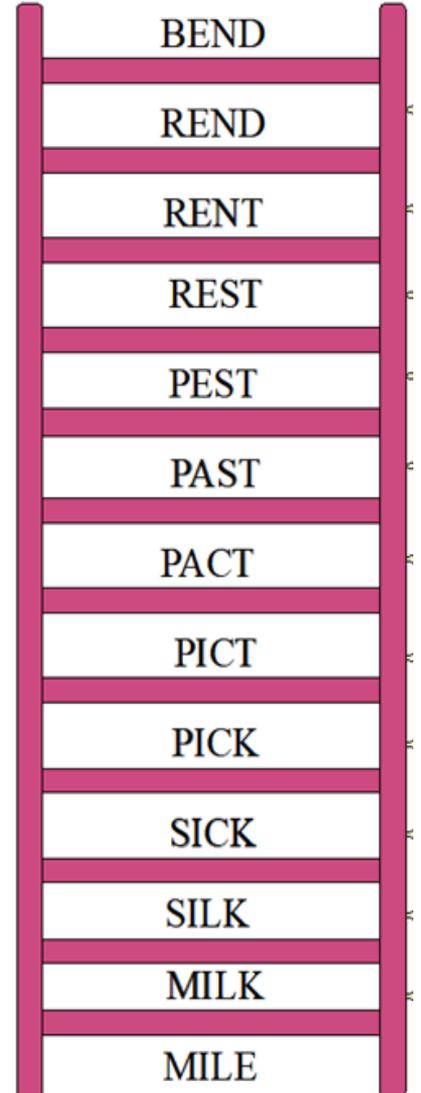
FOOL - SAGE LADDER pg 23



FREE - TRAP LADDER pg 24



BEND - MILE LADDER pg 26



TART - DISH LADDER pg 25

