

# Activity Pack

We know these are difficult times so we thought we would create something to keep you occupied. We hope it helps.

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## **Quiz**

### **Finish the saying**

It was in the back of \_\_\_\_\_

Bring home the \_\_\_\_\_

Barking up the wrong \_\_\_\_\_

Sat here waiting with bated \_\_\_\_\_

### **Questions**

Tripoli is the capital of which North African country?

Which word immediately precedes 'Queen' in the opening line of the British National Anthem?

The English singer and television presenter Cilla Black was born in which city?

The Irish dish Colcannon traditionally sees mashed potato mixed with which leafy green?

Which word can follow both jelly and sword to give the names of two creatures?

### **How many can you get?**

Name the top 10 best-selling music artists of all time

Name the top 10 heaviest animals

Name teams who have won the football Premier League

## **Jokes**

Somebody broke into my house and only stole my coffee, my lamp and my parrot.

I don't know how they sleep at night.

My boss always laughed at my jokes at work but since the pandemic she never laughs at them in Zoom chats. I asked her why doesn't she laugh at them anymore.

She replied, "Because your jokes aren't remotely funny."

Pandora's box wasn't actually a box.

In fact, all the trouble started because it was ajar.

My friend said, "I don't really understand the science behind human cloning."

I said, "That makes two of us."

My mate broke his leg, so I wrote "You are stupid" on his cast.

I was just adding insult to injury.

## Beach

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sunshine  
sand  
sea  
shells  
pebbles  
waves  
seagulls  
crabs  
lolly  
shade  
swimming  
beach

### Drawing Challenge

Draw:

- Something purple
- Something used to send a message
- A shadow

It's up to you what you draw with these challenges, it can mean something different for you than it might be for someone else.

Use different forms if you have them paint, pencils, felt tips, chalk, crayons. These can be helpful to layer up and bring texture if they suit your drawing.

### **Maths quiz**

$$3829 + 39284 =$$

$$8302 - 99 =$$

What are the first 5 multiples of 6?

Is 19 a prime number?

### **Poetry**

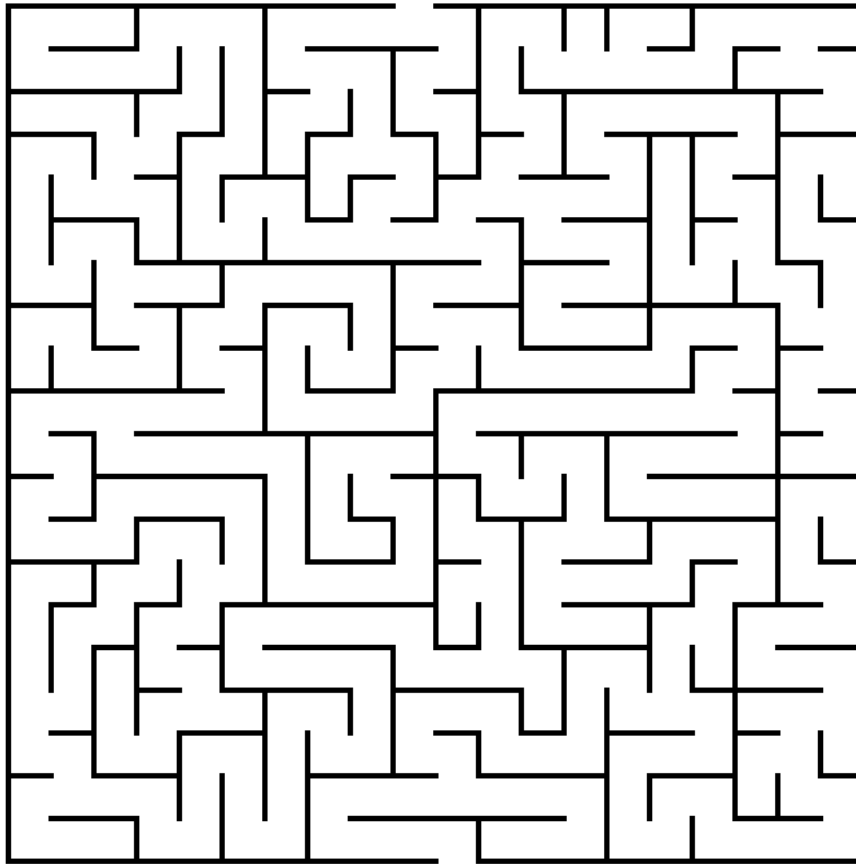
Make the following into a poem;

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The rev....

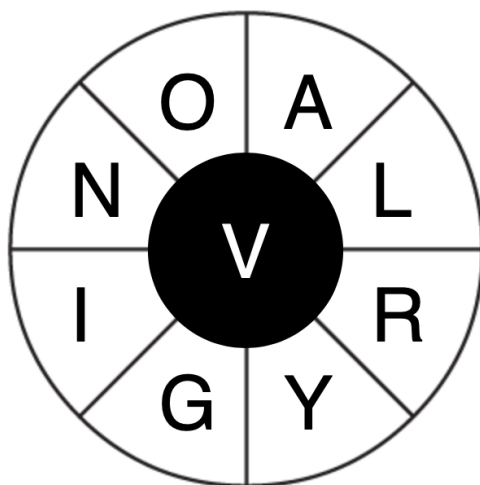
I turned the ignition .....

## Maze



## Word Wheel

How many words can you make with the letters from the word wheel? Each word must use the letter in the centre of the wheel.



**Read: The Miser by Mona Van Duyn**

I was out last night,  
the very picture of a sneak, dark and hunched-over,  
breaking and entering again.  
Why do I do it?

And why, when I can afford serious residences,  
do I keep to this one room?  
Perhaps if I had not lost track of the difference  
between the real and the ideal  
it would never have happened.  
I hide here almost entirely now.

When I go out, when I creep into those silent houses,  
I steal newspapers.  
An armload, no more than I can carry comfortably.  
Sometimes they are already tied up  
on the side porch or by the kitchen stove.  
Nobody misses them.  
They think each other or the maid  
has carried them out to the street.

They say there is something intractable out there,  
the Law, the Right to Privacy,  
the World.  
In the days when my obsession was only a wound-up toy,  
squeaking and jabbering in my chest,  
I could have believed them.

I sit by the window today  
(There is very little space left now,  
thought I have left corridors wide enough to walk through  
so I won't lose touch)  
holding my latest on my lap,  
handling them, fondling them, taking in every column.  
They are becoming more and more precious.

My delusion grows and spreads.  
Lately it seems to me  
as I read of murders, wars, bankruptcies, jackpot winnings,  
the news if written in that perfect style  
of someone speaking to the one  
who knows and loves him.

Long before they miss me, I think,  
the room will be perfectly solid.  
When they break in the door and, unsurprised,  
hardened to the most bizarre vagaries,  
begin to carry out my treasure,  
death's what they'll look for underneath it all,  
those fluent, muscled, imaginative men,  
sweating in their innocent coveralls.

But I will be out in broad daylight by then,  
answering,  
having accepted utterly the heart's conditions.  
Tell them I wish them well, always,  
that I've been happy.

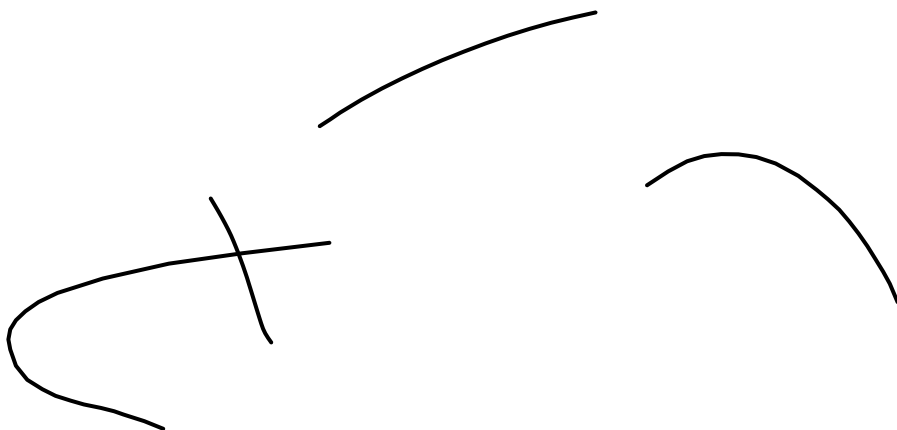
### **Caption competition**

Come up with a caption for the following image, the funnier the better!

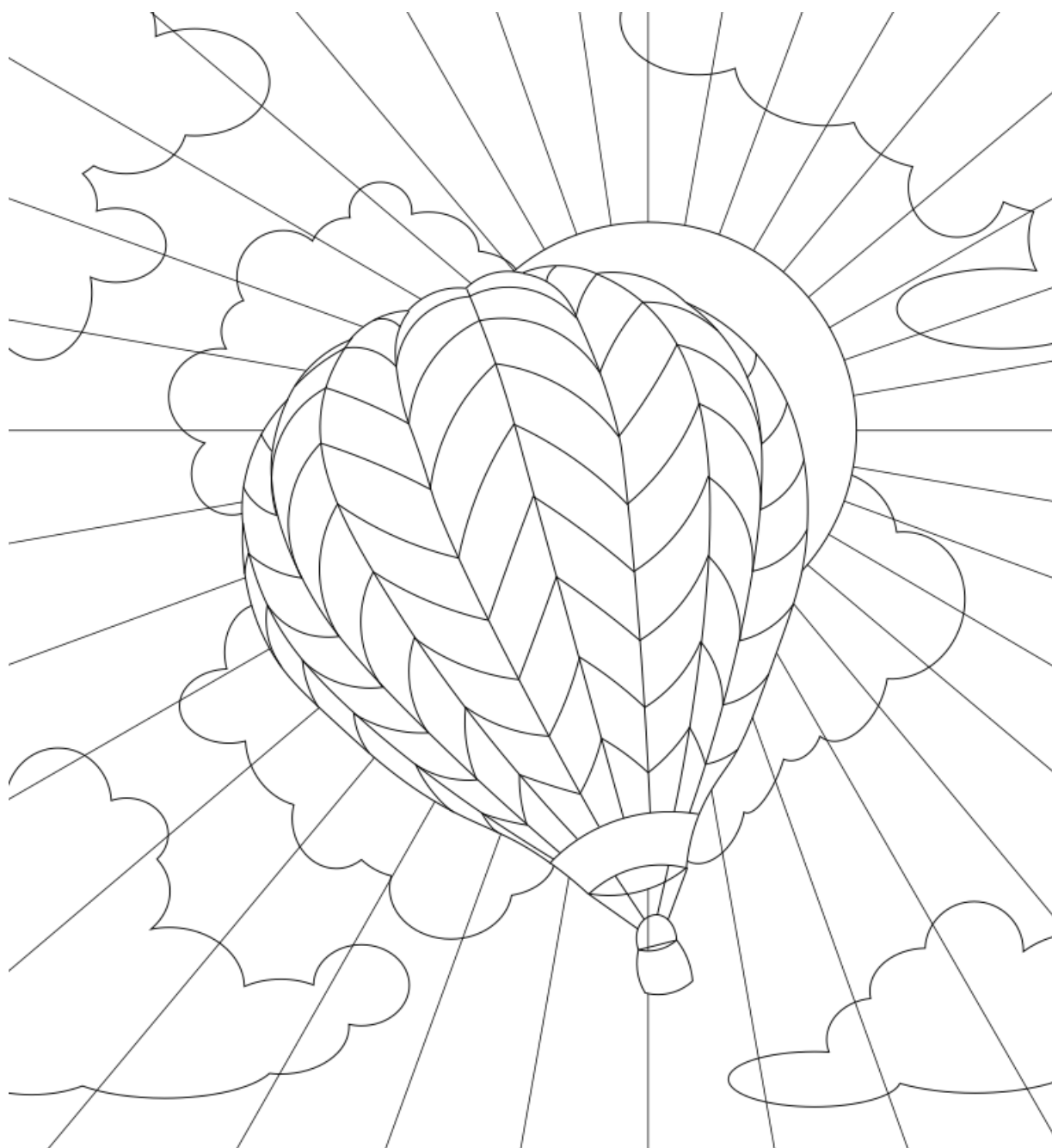




## Create a picture



## Colour



## **Who said that Quiz**

"Two things are infinite: the universe and human stupidity; and I'm not sure about the universe."

A musician recognisable by his moustache once said "So many books, so little time."

Often quoted American First Lady - "No one can make you feel inferior without your consent."

Famous American novelist - "If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything."

Irish playwright, poet and author - "Always forgive your enemies; nothing annoys them so much."

Indian politician and statesman - "Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever."

Civil rights activist - "Darkness cannot drive out darkness: only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate: only love can do that."

Actress, model and Icon - "Imperfection is beauty, madness is genius and it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than absolutely boring."

Politician - "There is no such thing as society. There are individual men and women and there are families."

Playwright - "The fool doth think he is wise, but the wise man knows himself to be a fool."

## Quiz Answers

### **Finish the saying**

It was in the back of \_\_\_ *beyond* \_\_\_\_\_

Bring home the \_\_\_ *bacon* \_\_\_\_\_

Barking up the wrong \_\_\_ *tree* \_\_\_\_\_

Sat here waiting with bated \_\_\_ *breath* \_\_\_\_\_

### **Questions**

Tripoli is the capital of which North African country? *Libya*

Which word immediately precedes 'Queen' in the opening line of the British National Anthem? *Gracious*

The English singer and television presenter Cilla Black was born in which city? *Liverpool*

The Irish dish Colcannon traditionally sees mashed potato mixed with which leafy green? *Cabbage*

Which word can follow both jelly and sword to give the names of two creatures? *Fish*

### **How many can you get?**

Name the top 10 best-selling music artists of all time

*Pink Floyd, AC/DC, Elton John, Michael Jackson, Billy Joel, Led Zeppelin, Eagles, Elvis Presley, Garth Brooks, The Beatles*

Name the top 10 heaviest animals

*Kodiak Bear, Crocodile, Asian Guar, Giraffe, Hippopotamus, White Rhinoceros, Asian Elephant, African Elephant, Walk Shark, Blue Whale*

Name teams who have won the football Premier League

*Manchester United, Manchester city, Liverpool, Chelsea, Leicester City, Arsenal, Blackburn Rovers*

## Maths quiz answers

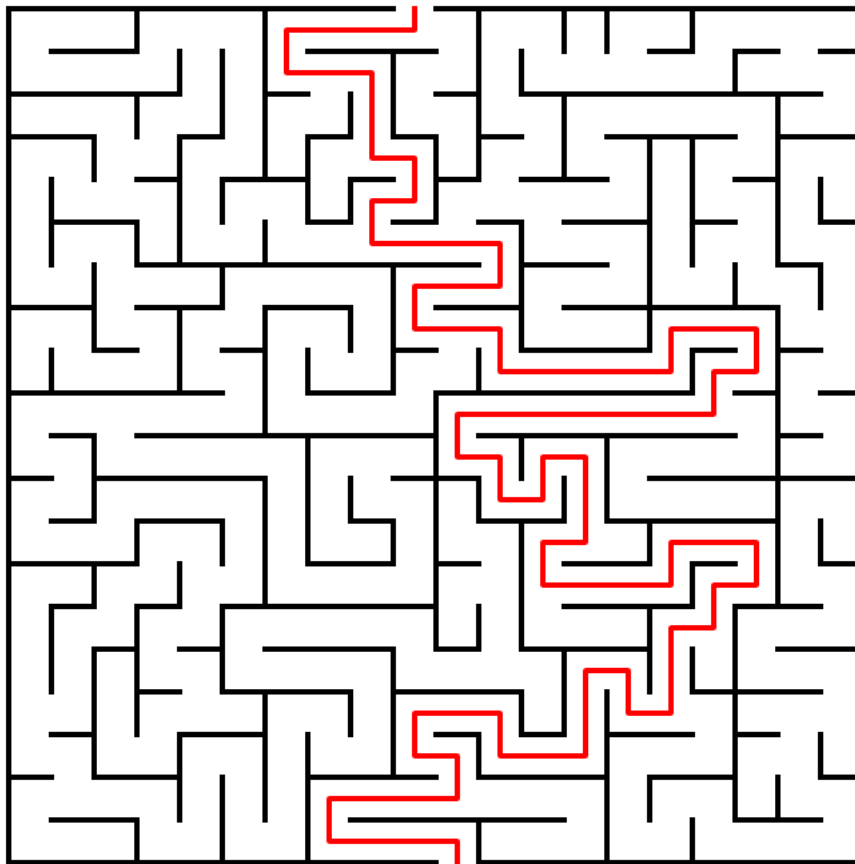
$$3829 + 39284 = 43,113$$

$$8302 - 99 = 8,203$$

What are the first 5 multiples of 6? 6,12,18, 24, 30

Is 19 a prime number? **Yes**

## Maze solution



## **Who said that quiz answers**

"Two things are infinite: the universe and human stupidity; and I'm not sure about the universe."

*Albert Einstein*

A musician recognisable by his moustache once said "So many books, so little time."

*Frank Zappa*

Often quoted American First Lady - "No one can make you feel inferior without your consent."

*Eleanor Roosevelt*

Famous American novelist - "If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything."

*Mark Twain*

Irish playwright, poet and author - "Always forgive your enemies; nothing annoys them so much."

*Oscar Wilde*

Indian politician and statesman - "Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever."

*Mahatma Gandhi*

Civil rights activist - "Darkness cannot drive out darkness: only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate: only love can do that."

*Martin Luther King Jr*

Actress, model and Icon - "Imperfection is beauty, madness is genius and it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than absolutely boring."

*Marilyn Monroe*

Politician - "There is no such thing as society. There are individual men and women and there are families."

*Margaret Thatcher*

"The fool doth think he is wise, but the wise man knows himself to be a fool."

*William Shakespeare*