

TRAIN
— YOUR —
BRAIN



Week 9

Riddle it Out!

1. I can be long, or I can be short. I can be grown, and I can be bought. I can be painted, or left bare. I can be round, or square. What am I?

2. A detective who was mere days from cracking an international smuggling ring has suddenly gone missing. While inspecting his last-known location, you find a note: 710 57735 34 5508 51 7718 Currently there are 3 suspects: Bill, John, and Todd. Can you break the detective's code and find the criminal's name?

3. What question can you never honestly answer yes to?

4. There is a word in the English language in which the first two letters signify a male, the first three letters signify a female, the first four signify a great man, and the whole word, a great woman. What is the word?

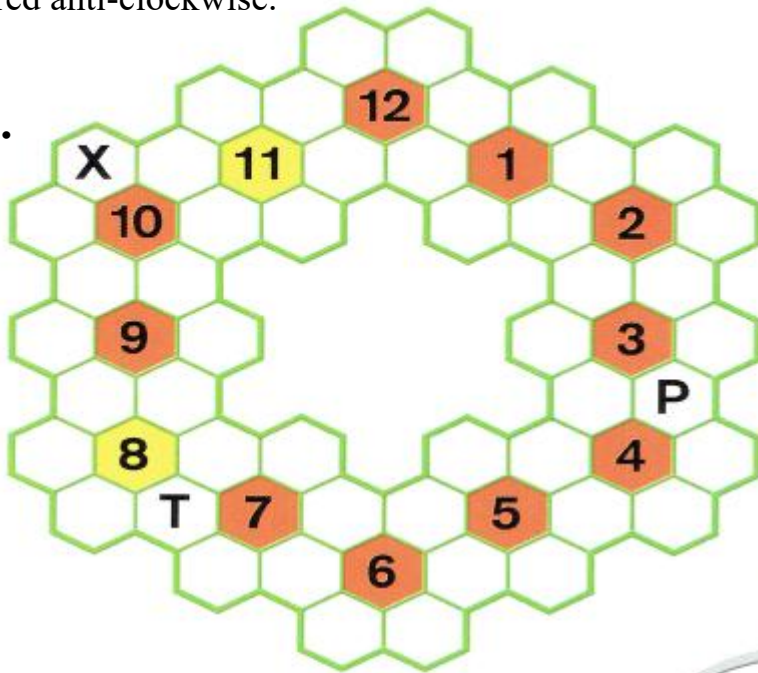
5. A boy was at a carnival and went to a booth where a man said to the boy, "If I write your exact weight on this piece of paper then you have to give me \$50, but if I cannot, I will pay you \$50." The boy looked around and saw no scale so he agrees, thinking no matter what the man writes he'll just say he weighs more or less. In the end the boy ended up paying the man \$50. How did the man win the bet?

6. What has a neck but no head?

Hexagon Words

To complete the puzzles, fit each of the listed words into the six spaces around a number, so each word correctly interlinks in the hexagons on either side. Each word has two consecutive letters in common with the adjoining words. The words need to be inserted clockwise or anti-clockwise according to the instructions provided and the colour code of the number. Orange means a word must be entered clockwise and yellow means a word must be entered anti-clockwise.

1.



Ten words must be entered clockwise and two words must be entered anti-clockwise.

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|--------|--------|--------|
| credit | admire | melody |
| captor | elixir | parole |
| bridge | butter | deploy |
| tumult | jumble | leader |

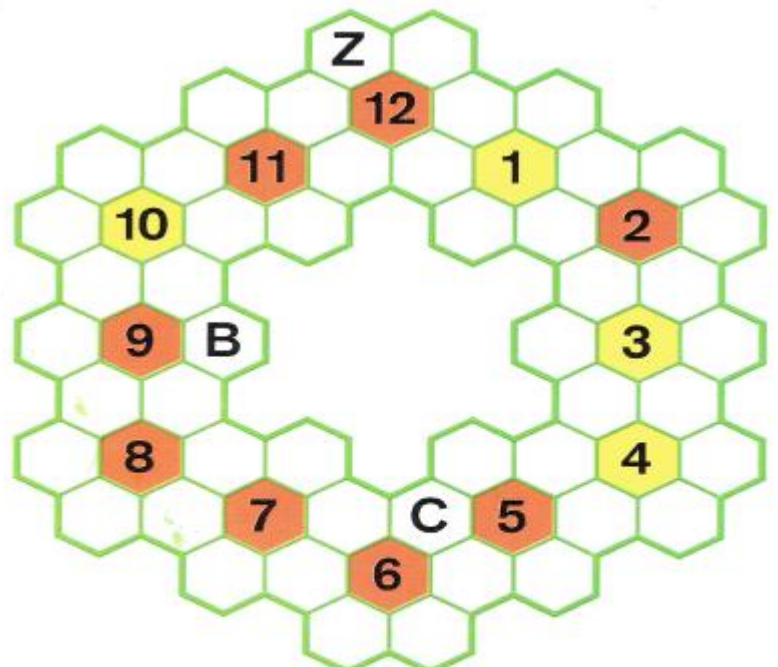


Look for words without repeated letters to fit into the grid first of all.

2.

Eight words must be entered clockwise and four words must be entered anti-clockwise.

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|--------|--------|--------|
| search | chalet | zodiac |
| clutch | cradle | hamper |
| edible | deputy | canard |
| ordain | chance | browse |



Logic Grids

The key to solving these puzzles is to first work out the facts that are known for sure from the information provided. Then deduce the rest of the information from there.

	Battersea	Islington	Paddington	8 years	11 years	16 years	Meadow View	Rose Cottage	White Gates
Alan Bradley									
Mavis Norton									
Walter Young									
Meadow View									
Rose Cottage									
White Gates									
8 years									
11 years									
16 years									

Tackfield St Andrew is a pretty Suffolk village in England whose inhabitants are very conservative – they still refer to a number of retired Londoners who moved there years ago as ‘the new people’. From the clues below, work out where in London each of ‘the new people’ came from originally, how long they’ve lived in the village, and the name of each one’s home there.

Clues

1. Walter Young, who lives at Meadow View, is not the former Londoner who used to live and work in Islington.
2. The person whose ex-home was just behind Paddington railway station has lived in Tackfield St Andrew longer than Alan Bradley.
3. The resident of White Gates has lived in the village for more than eight years.
4. One of the ‘new people’ has actually been living at Rose Cottage for 16 years.

Name	Area	Period	House

Find the Right Shadow

Turn page sideways



Find the right shadow!

Identical Plates

Find
2 identical plates



Colour to Relax

Turn over page for colour sample



Colour to Relax

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Answers

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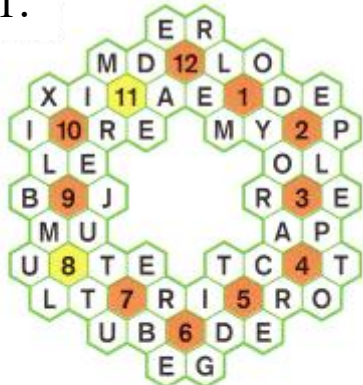
1. Fingernails
2. The criminal is Bill. If you look at the note upside down, you'll notice that the numbers resemble letters and that those letters form legible sentences. The message is "Bill is boss. He sells oil."
3. Are you asleep? (or dead)
4. Heroin
5. When the boy was handed the paper it read "your exact weight"
6. A bottle

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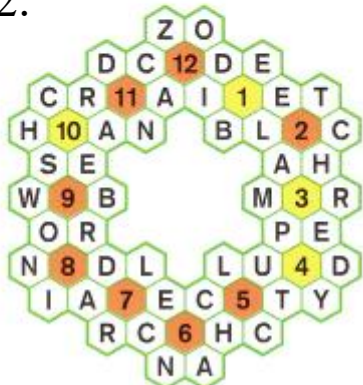
The 16-year resident lives at Rose Cottage (clue 4). The 8-year resident's home isn't White Gates (clue 3), so must be Meadow View, and he is therefore Walter Young (clue 1). He isn't from Islington (clue 1), and can't be from Paddington (clue 2), so must be from Battersea. Alan Bradley can't be from Paddington (clue 2), so must come from Islington, leaving Mavis Norton as the person from Paddington, who must have lived in the village for 16 years (clue 2), at Rose Cottage. By elimination, Alan Bradley must have lived in the village for 11 years, at White Gates. **Alan Bradley, Islington, 11 years, White Gates.**
Mavis Norton, Paddington, 16 years, Rose Cottage.
Walter Young, Battersea, 8 years, Meadow View.

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2.



Spot the Difference pg. 4



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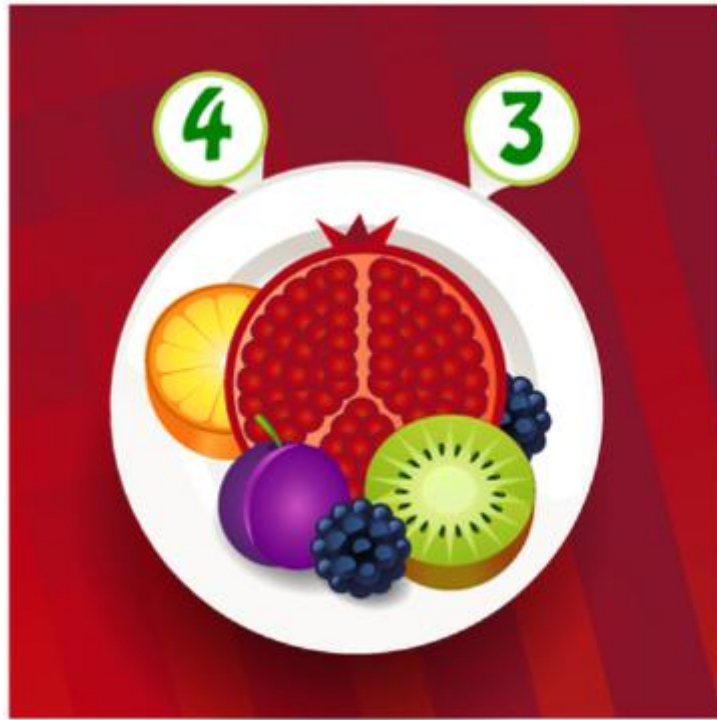


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There are over 803 words in 'CONCENTRATION'

Answers

Identical Plates pg. 7



Great Job!

