

Daily Delight

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International Joke Day

Why did the chicken cross the road? To get to the other side! The classic chicken joke was first published by “The Knickerbocker” in 1847. We can blame William Shakespeare for the knock-knock joke. He introduced it in Macbeth. The oldest joke on record is a Sumerian proverb from 1900 BCE that contains, you guessed it, toilet humor. People haven’t changed at all!

What’s the secret to telling a good joke? It’s more than just memorizing the words. Timing, reading your audience, a solid delivery, and articulation make all the difference. Oh, and don’t forget to practice! Once you test your joke and know you’ll get some laughs, use it when things get a little awkward.



Today in History



In 1972, feminist magazine “Ms” published its first regular issue with Wonder Woman on the cover. The magazine was founded by journalist and activist Gloria Steinem, who became nationally recognized for becoming a leader and spokeswoman of the feminist movement.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Pull-up Record

The most pull-ups in 24 hours by a male was achieved by Gary Lloyd at 8,600 pull-ups in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia, on October 15-16, 2023. As per Guinness World Records guidelines, one pull-up consists of the body being raised until the chin is above the level of the bar, then lowered until the arms are straight. The body must remain straight throughout, and an overhand grip must be used.

TRIVIA

A V8 engine has 8 what?

A Cylinders

B Valves

C Tires

D Engines

TODAY'S FUNNY

Why did they quit giving tests at the zoo?

Because it was full of cheetahs!

TODAY'S WISDOM

*"I'm not concerned with your liking or disliking me...
All I ask is that you respect me as a human being."*

-Vince Lombardi

WORD SEARCH

UNCOMMON MUSIC MAKERS

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

DAXOPHONE

FOTOPLAYER

GAMEESTE

STRANGE

THEREMIN

UNCOMMON

XAPHOON

ARMONICA

HISTORY

INSTRUMENTS

MUSICIANS

TRADITION

SUDOKU

How To Play:

Each 9x9 box is comprised of 9 smaller 3x3 boxes. Each of these smaller boxes must be filled in with numbers from 1-9. Each row and column of the larger 9x9 box should not have any numbers repeated.

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

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		8						9
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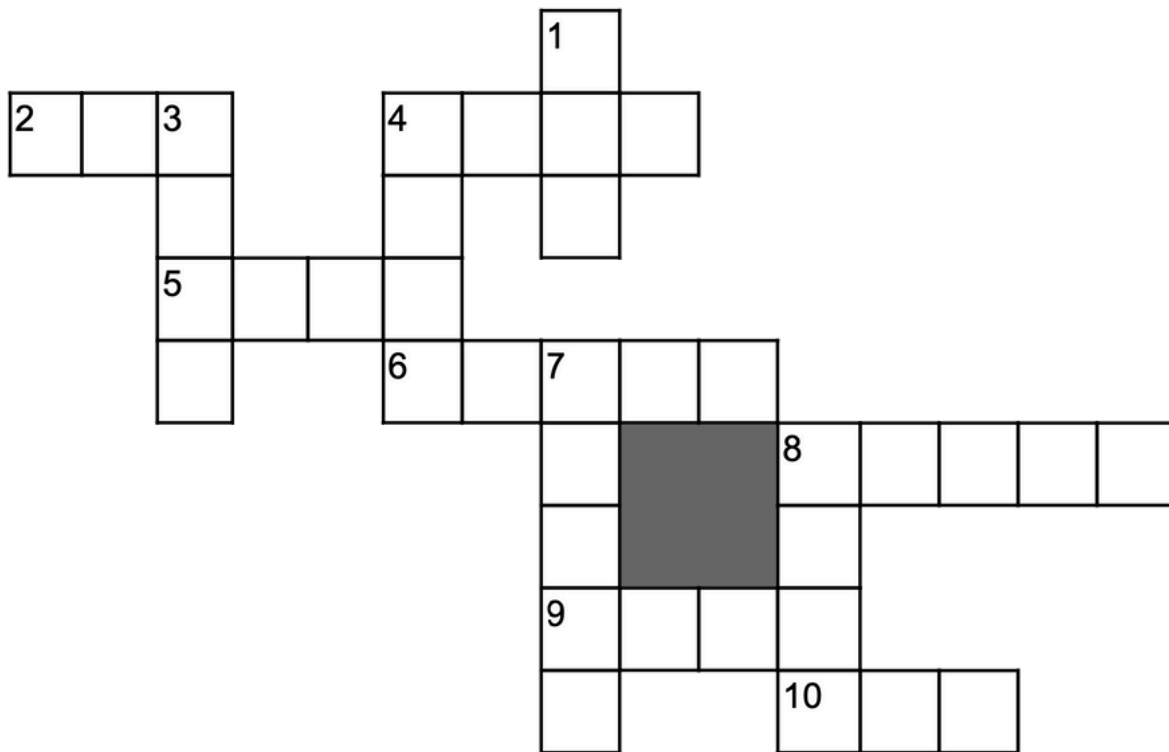
Helpful Tip:

If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.

WORD JUMBLE

Every answer uses only the letters in the word:

APPRECIATION



Down

1. Furry mouse-chaser
3. Stumble
4. Penny
7. Cost
8. Vacant

Across

2. Ratatouille star
 4. Blazer, for one
 5. Twitter bird, etc.
 6. Discussion need
 8. Continent separator
 9. Tend
 10. Tot's downtime
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Conversation Starters

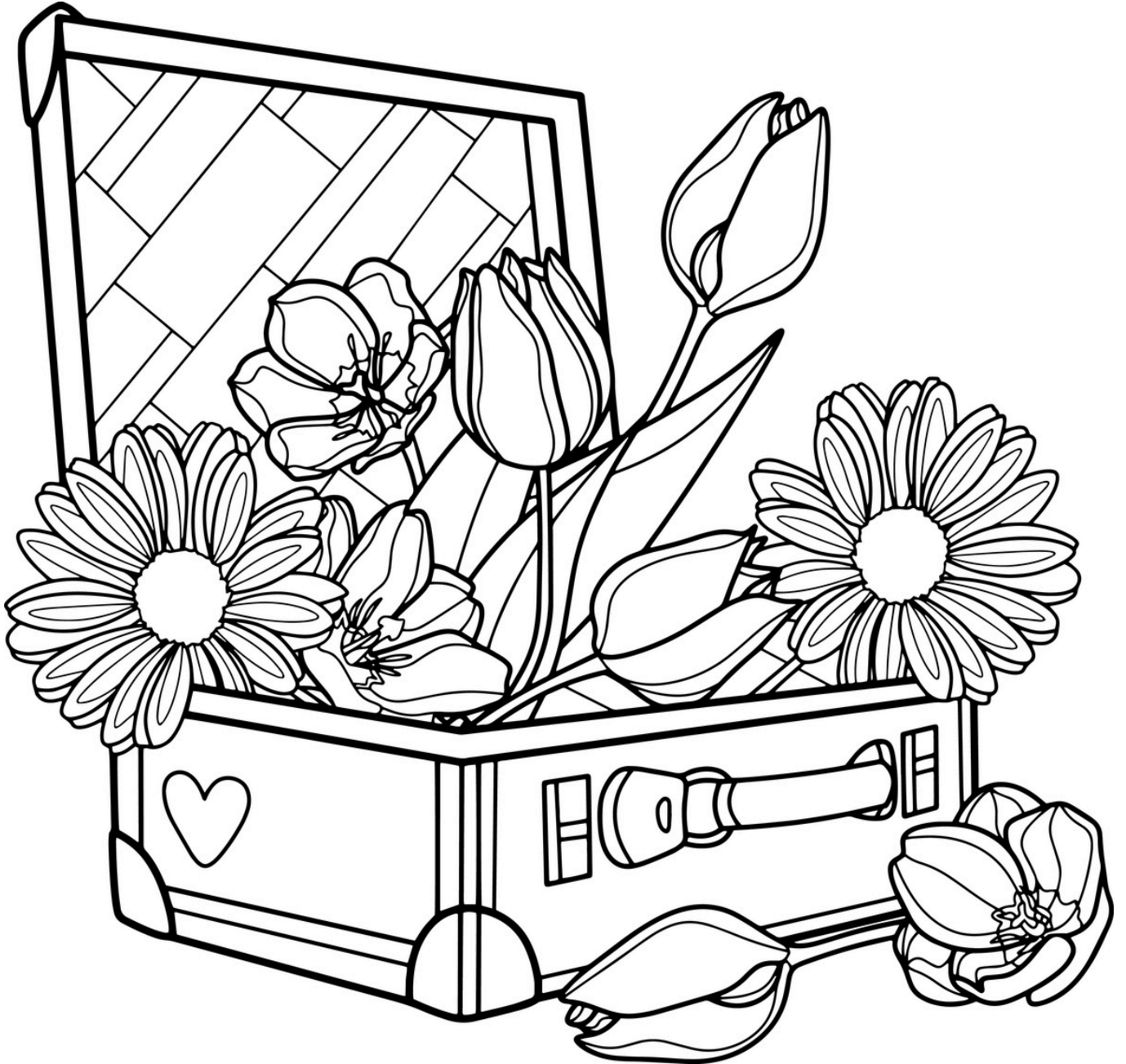
Use the following conversation prompts to start a discussion with friends or family! You may also use the provided lines to answer the questions on your own if you prefer.

What do you think is the greatest technological advancement in your lifetime?

If you could invent something, what would it be?

How has technology changed your life?

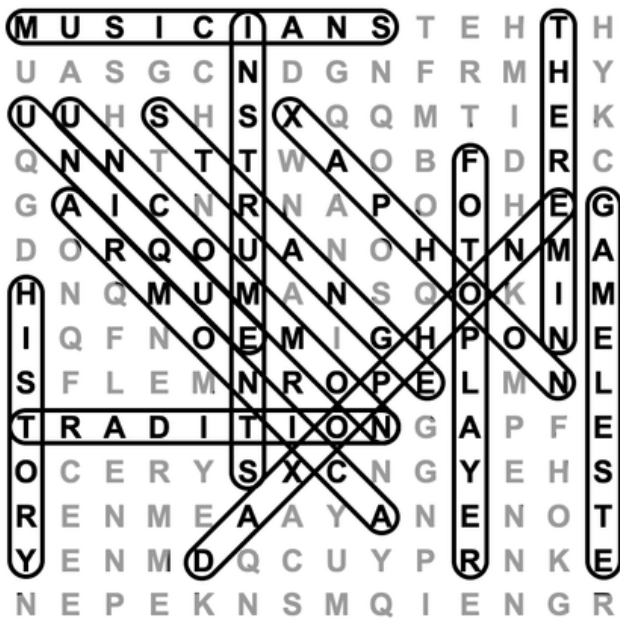




SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: A

Designed as two rows of four cylinders. V's are common in trucks, large SUVs, and sports cars.



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