

# Daily Delight

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## National Chocolate Chip Day

If you love chocolate chips, this is your big day! May 15th is National Chocolate Chip Day, but have you ever wondered where those delightful morsels came from? You can thank one curious and creative baker. In 1937, while working at the Toll House Inn, Ruth Graves Wakefield of Whitman, Massachusetts, decided to add some chocolate to the cookies she was making. She added cut-up chunks of a semi-sweet Nestle chocolate bar to a cookie recipe. The cookies were a huge success, and in 1939, Wakefield signed an agreement with Nestle to add her recipe to the chocolate bar's packaging. In exchange for the recipe, Wakefield received a lifetime supply of chocolate. And, you guessed it, Toll House cookies were named for the inn where they were created.



## Today in History



In 1869, Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton founded the National Woman Suffrage Association. Stanton was best known for organizing the 1st women's right convention in 1848. She spent a decade as a popular lecturer on women's rights and other reform topics.

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## DID YOU KNOW?

### A Little Ellis Island History

For healthy European immigrants with proper documentation, the inspection at Ellis Island took about half a day. It included physical examinations, a reading test, and questions about family in America, criminal history, and political beliefs, amid rising fears of communism and anarchy. Up to 20% were detained for political, legal, or health issues, while approximately 2% were ultimately sent back home.

## TRIVIA

What does "the elephant in the room" refer to?

**A**

A big issue everyone ignores

**B**

A rare and valuable object

**C**

A topic on everyone's lips

**D**

A big idea or plan

## TODAY'S FUNNY

What's green and loud?

*A froghorn.*

## TODAY'S WISDOM

*"Go out into the world and do good until there is too much good in the world."*

*- Larry H. Miller*

# WORD SEARCH

## HEROS

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

FALLEN  
OFFICERS  
OATH  
FAMILIES

HONOR  
SACRIFICE  
PROTECTION  
SAFETY  
COMMUNITY

REMEMBRANCE  
DEPARTMENT  
DEDICATION  
BLUE

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# 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.

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

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

## Helpful Tip:

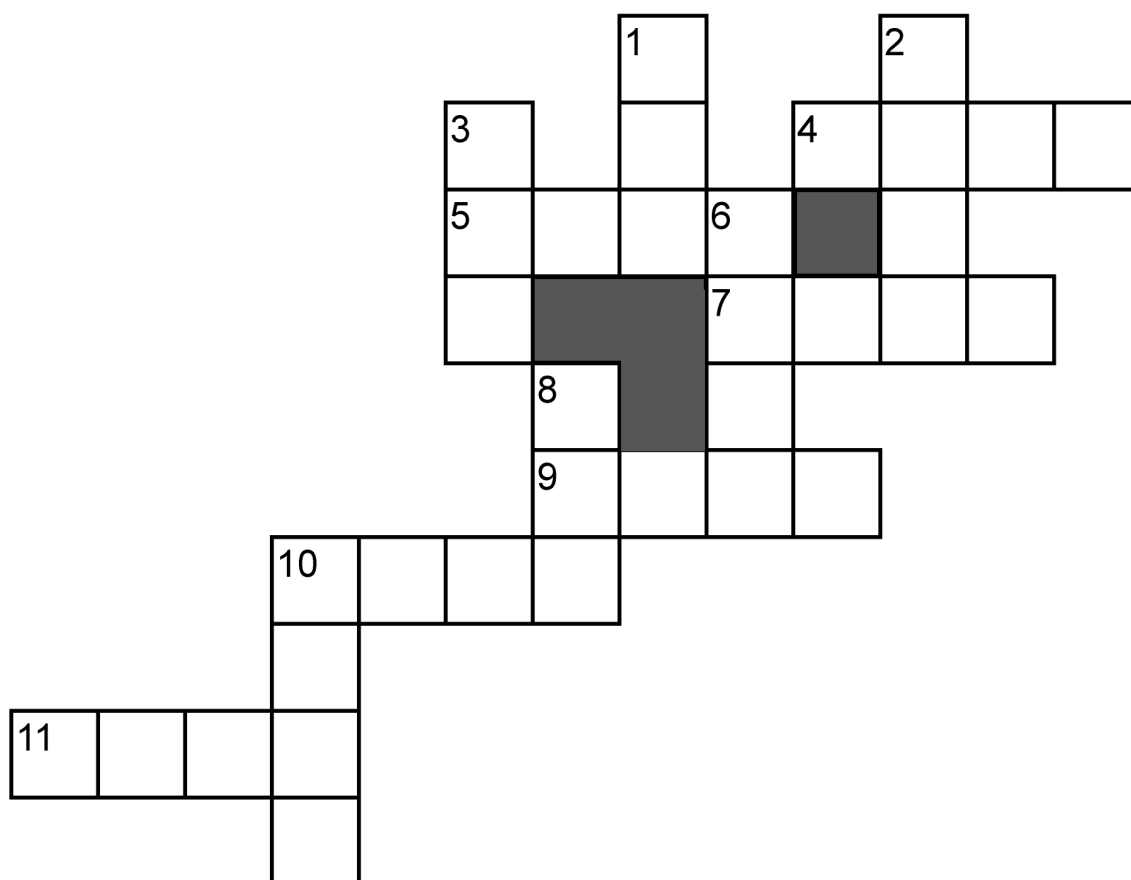
If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.



# WORD JUMBLE

Every answer uses only the letters in the word:

**DEDICATION**



## Down

- 1. Clinks in a glass
- 2. Money that jingles
- 3. Can material
- 6. Erosive agent
- 8. Done in front of crowds
- 10. Used to lose weight

## Across

- 4. Sound pitch
- 5. Brainstorm result
- 7. Helps with walking
- 9. A secret phrase
- 10. Happens to car doors
- 11. Eat at a bistro

## CRYPTOGRAM

**Each number stands for a letter. The correlating number for 3 of the letters has been provided as a starting point. Find the numbers in the puzzle and write the assigned letter. Single letters and word length are all hints. Be sure to keep track of what numbers are used for each letter to decode the message!**

A B C D E F G H I J K L M  
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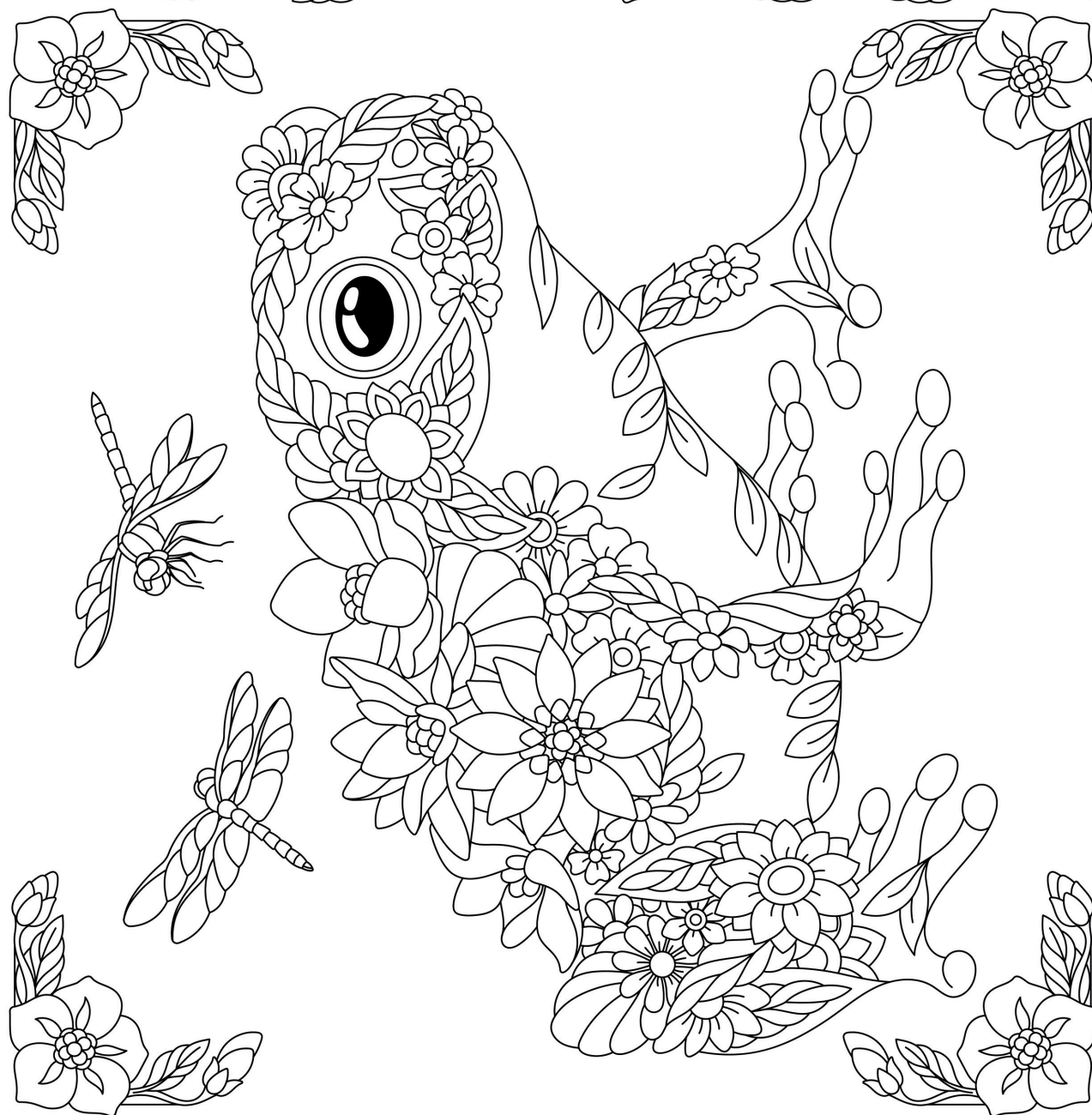
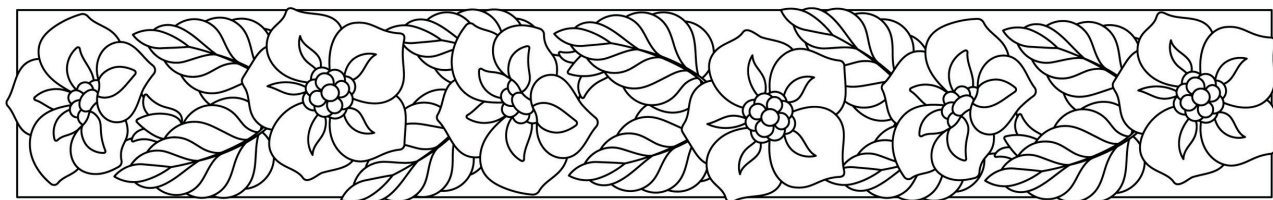
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$$\overline{21} \quad \overline{25} \quad \overline{11} \qquad \overline{2} \quad \overline{11} \quad \overline{21} \qquad \overline{10} \qquad \overline{19} \quad \overline{25} \quad \overline{13} \quad \overline{11} \quad \overline{1},$$

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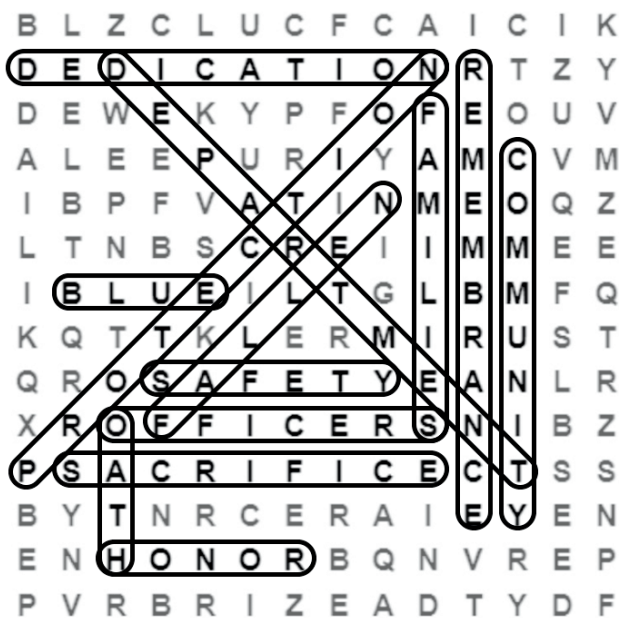
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$$\overline{14} \quad \overline{13} \qquad \overline{14} \quad \overline{1}$$



# SOLUTIONS

## Trivia Answer: A.

"The elephant in the room" is an idiom that means a big issue everyone ignores. Example: "We discussed everything but the elephant in the room."

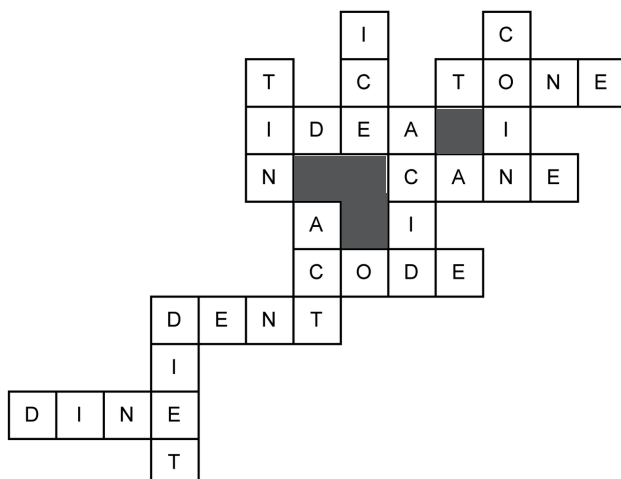


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3	6	4	8	7	5	9	2	1
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A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
10	2	7	19	23	12	26	3	14	17	4	20	8

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
13	25	5	15	22	24	1	11	18	6	16	21	9



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