

Daily Delight

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National Amelia Earhart Day

To honor one of America's pioneers in aviation on her birthday, Amelia Earhart Day celebrates Amelia's life and achievements. Her love of flying started in December of 1920, when she flew to California with World War II pilot Frank Hawks. Twelve years later, in 1932, she became the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean.

The only other person to have made the same flight at that time was Charles Lindbergh. On June 1st, 1937, she began her famous flight around the world and was last seen with her navigator, Fred Noonan, on July 2nd. They only had 7,000 miles remaining on their journey. Amelia's disappearance is still a mystery today, and many theories have been presented. What do you think happened to her?



Today in History



In 1952, the American Western film "High Noon" was released. The movie starred Gary Cooper, who won an Academy Award for Best Actor, his second. With a career that spanned 36 years, the American Film Institute ranked him at number 11 on its list of the 50 greatest screen legends.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Brooklyn Bridge Legacy

The iconic Brooklyn Bridge, designed by German immigrant John Augustus Röbling, symbolizes New York City. Röbling, who emigrated from Prussia in 1831, faced challenges in securing engineering work due to the Napoleonic Wars. Though he tragically passed away in 1869, the year construction began, his sons continued the project. The bridge measures 1,595 feet long and uniquely combines elements of both a suspension and a cable-stayed bridge, connecting Brooklyn to Manhattan.

TRIVIA

What is another name for myopia?

- A** Kidney Disease
- B** Deafness
- C** Diabetes
- D** Nearsightedness

TODAY'S FUNNY

I don't make puns about maize, they're too corny.

TODAY'S WISDOM

"The conductor of an orchestra doesn't make a sound. He depends, for his power, on his ability to make other people powerful."
- Benjamin Zander

WORD SEARCH

Safety Harbor



Beacon

Boats

Danger

Foggy

Guide

Lantern

Light

Marker

Safety

Sea

Ships

Watch

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.

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

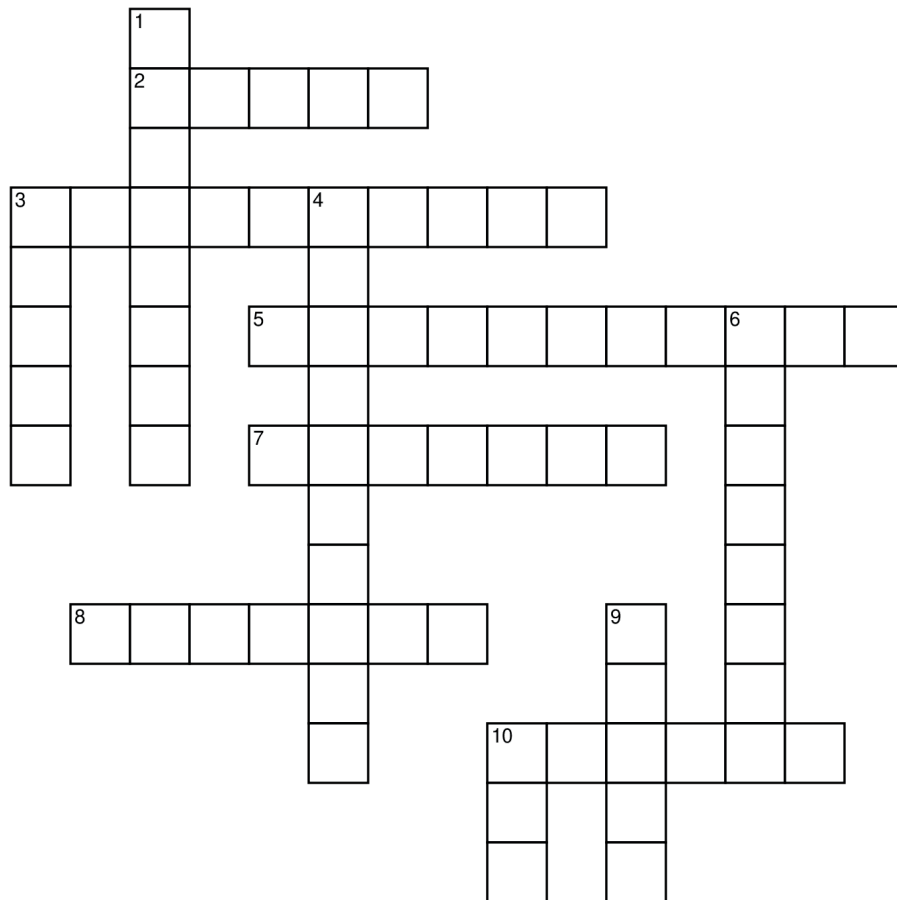
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	5	3		9	6			
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	9	1		5	8			
7		5	6	4	2			1
5		9		7	1		4	
6	1		9	2			5	
		7		6		9	1	2

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.

MINI CROSSWORD

Reasons to Blush



Across

- [2] Deception
- [3] Romantic feeling
- [5] Mortified
- [7] Spirits
- [8] Nervous tension
- [10] Seasonings

Down

- [1] It'll get you nowhere
- [3] Fury
- [4] Praise
- [6] Shock
- [9] Court concern
- [10] Bashful

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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N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
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16	19	12	24	5	19	19	25	8
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23	5	4	13	19	25	4	19
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26	1	8	4	2	12	22	5	10	13	5	18	24
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16	19	12	19	25	8	18	4	22	22	5	10
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14	4	1	1	22	16	19
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SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: D

Myopia, also known as nearsightedness, is a very common vision disorder that is usually diagnosed before age 20.

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

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

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

[illegible]

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
4	26	14	13	8	20	7	25	16	11	2	23	21

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
24	5	9	17	1	12	19	10	3	18	15	22	6

$$\frac{I}{16} \quad \frac{T}{19} \quad \frac{S}{12} \qquad \frac{N}{24} \quad \frac{O}{5} \quad \frac{T}{19} \qquad \frac{T}{19} \quad \frac{H}{25} \quad \frac{E}{8}$$

$$\frac{L}{23} \quad \frac{O}{5} \quad \frac{A}{4} \quad \frac{D}{13} \qquad \frac{T}{19} \quad \frac{H}{25} \quad \frac{A}{4} \quad \frac{T}{19}$$

$$\frac{B}{26} \frac{R}{1} \frac{E}{8} \frac{A}{4} \frac{K}{2} \frac{S}{12} \quad \frac{Y}{22} \frac{O}{5} \frac{U}{10} \quad \frac{D}{13} \frac{O}{5} \frac{W}{18} \frac{N}{24};$$

I T'S T H E W A Y Y O U
16 19 12 19 25 8 18 4 22 22 5 10

$$\frac{C}{14} \frac{A}{4} \frac{R}{1} \frac{R}{1} \frac{Y}{22} \quad \frac{I}{16} \frac{T}{19}.$$