

# Daily Delight

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## Kiss and Make-Up Day

Life is too short. It's time to make amends. Kiss and Make-Up Day is a great way to end a spat. Everyone has an argument, a fight, or a tiff once in a while. Family, friends, lovers—no one escapes without an occasional fight. Use this August 25 holiday to end the fight, be it a short spat or a long-standing feud. Kiss and make-up! Or at least shake hands.

Here's a hint: Kiss and Make-Up Day might be a good day to send flowers or candy. Or, both! According to Jacqueline V. Milgate, who created this day: "Life is too short to hold a grudge. If someone is important to you, kiss and make up!"



## Today in History



In 1920, American backstroke swimmer Ethelda Bleibtrey became the first female Olympic champion in the Antwerp Olympics Women's 100-meter freestyle, where she won 3 gold medals in 3 events. In 1967, Bleibtrey was inducted into the International Swimming Hall of Fame.

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## DID YOU KNOW?

### Why Dogs Lick

Dogs licking people is often seen as a sign of affection, much like wild dog species welcoming home their pack. However, there are other reasons for this behavior. You might simply taste delicious, especially after a meal! Licking can stem from food-seeking instincts or express submission. But if your dog's licking becomes obsessive, it may indicate allergies, boredom, or pain, making a vet visit a good idea to rule out any issues.

## TRIVIA

What was the original name of cotton candy given by its inventors?

- A** Fairy Floss
- B** Sugar Cloud
- C** Clown Candy
- D** Candy Wool

## TODAY'S FUNNY

Where would you find an elephant?

*The same place you lost her.*

## TODAY'S WISDOM

*"Some days I feel like playing it smooth.  
Some days I feel like playing it like a waffle iron."  
- Raymond Chandler*

# WORD SEARCH

## READ A BOOK



Books

Library

Reading

Peruse

Stories

Nonfiction

Biographical

Memory

Historical

Stimulating

Novels

Concentration

# 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.

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

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

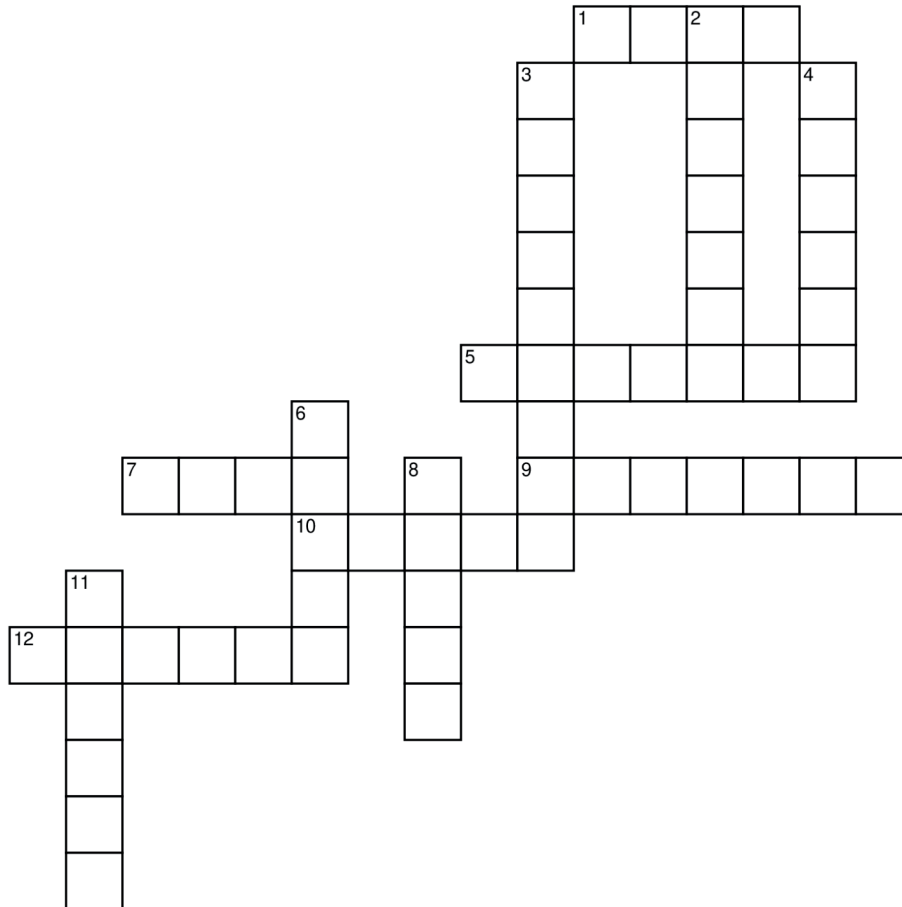
## Helpful Tip:

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

## Things That Change Color



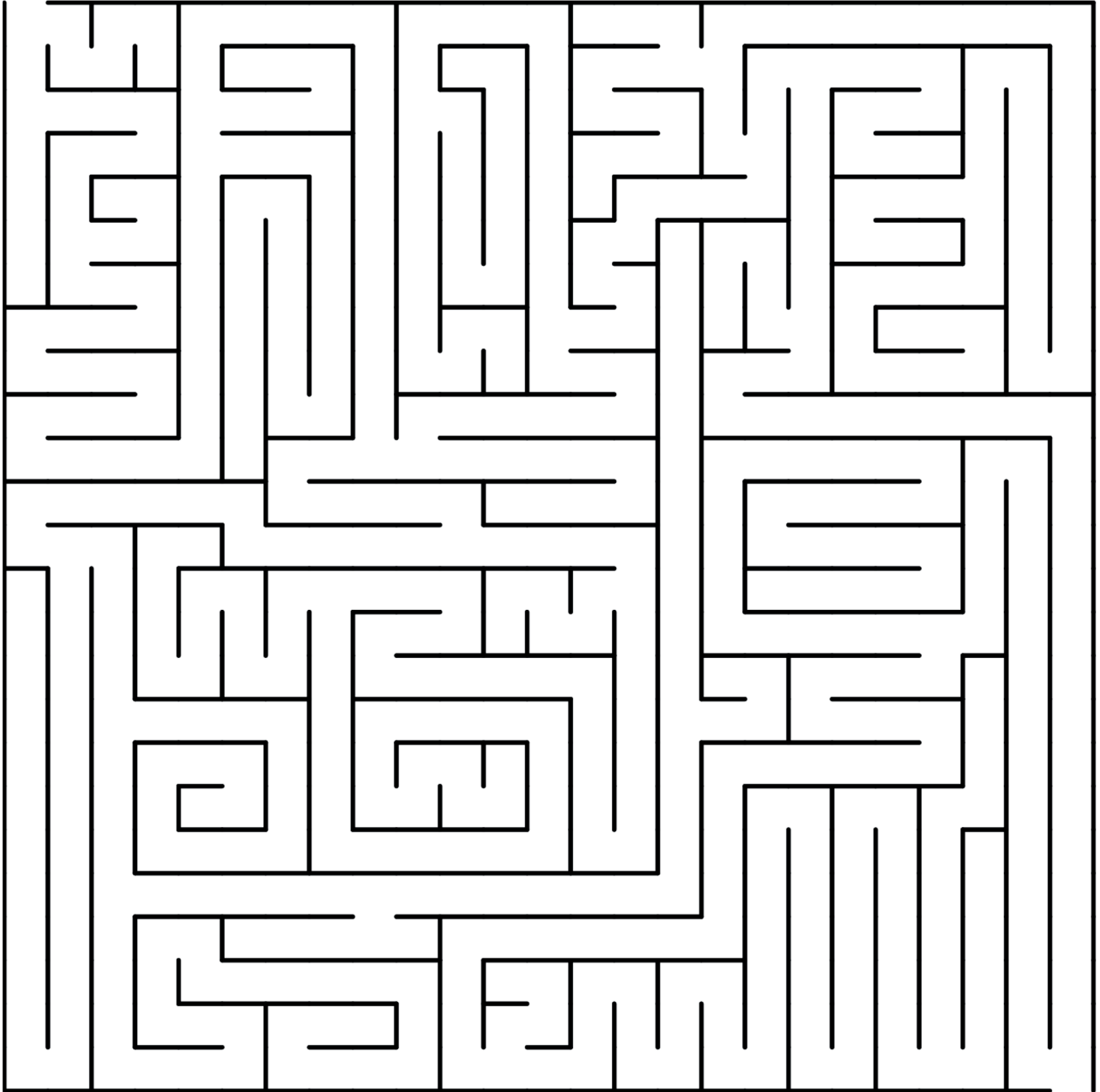
### Across

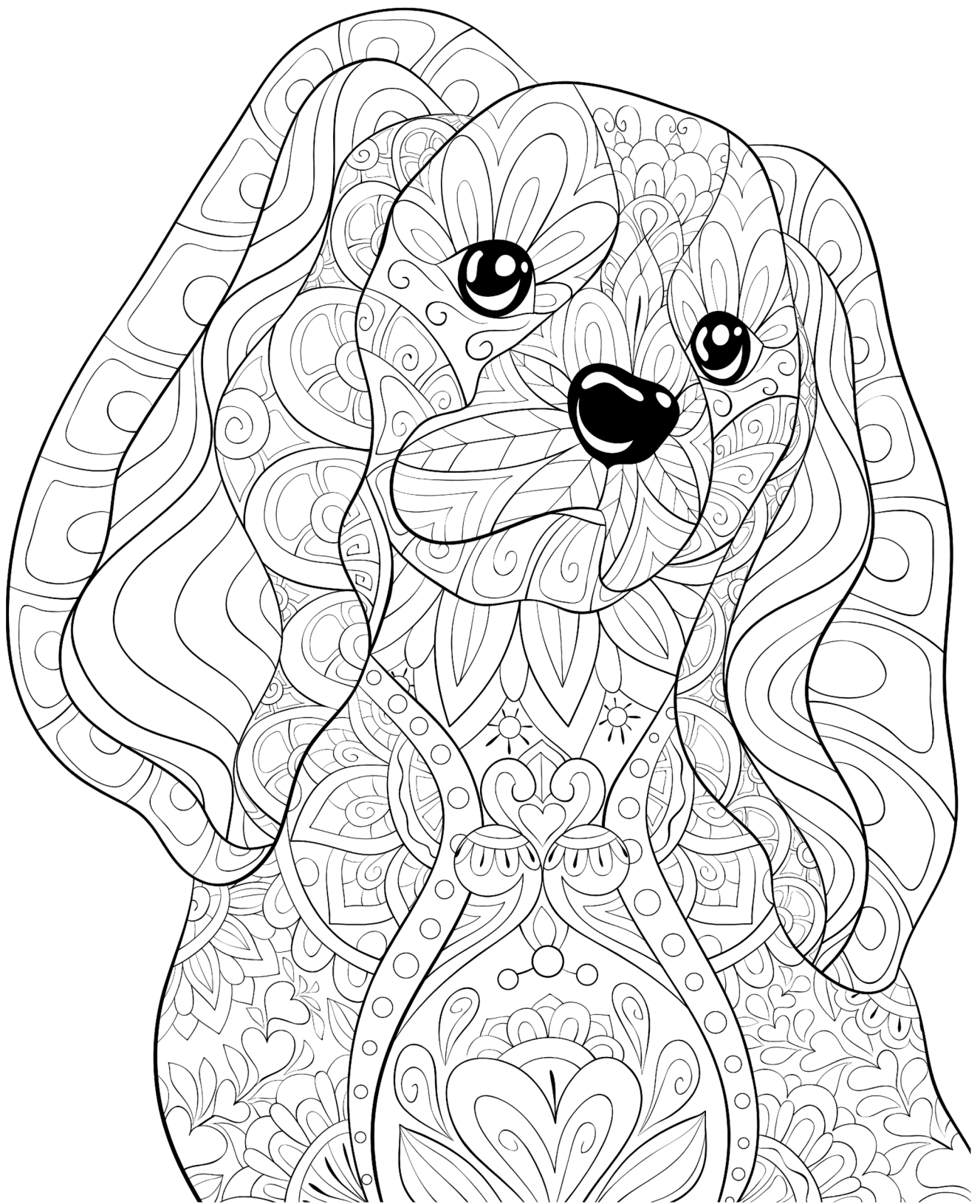
- [1] Oxidize
- [5] Blooms
- [7] Curly, straight, coarse
- [9] Eight-armed creature
- [10] Poseidon's domain
- [12] Type of salad

### Down

- [2] Dawn
- [3] Lizard
- [4] Seasons change these
- [6] Fly catchers
- [8] Jeans fabric
- [11] Leave a mark

# MAZE





## SOLUTIONS

**Trivia Answer: A.**

In 1904, Morrison and Wharton took their cotton candy, which they called “fairy floss,” to the St. Louis World’s Fair. They sold each box for 25 cents.

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

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

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

