

Daily Delight

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International Tolerance Day

International Tolerance Day is an annual event that was created by the United Nations in 1993 and sponsored and promoted by UNESCO to strengthen tolerance by fostering mutual understanding among cultures and peoples, especially in times of war, terrorism, and disregard for human life.

According to UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon, “The United Nations promotes tolerance as a matter of its fundamental identity. When tolerance is upheld, we encourage the world to emulate those fine examples. When tolerance is threatened, we must speak out.” Although countries around the world celebrate this day by holding conferences, fairs, and other events to teach the meaning and importance of tolerance, you can celebrate it as an individual today and every day by practicing tolerance, respect, and dignity towards everyone in your life, as well as those you meet.



Today in History



In 2022, Congresswoman Karen Bass became the first woman to be elected mayor of Los Angeles. She is also the second Black person to hold that position. Bass worked as an emergency medicine physician assistant and a clinical instructor before starting a career in politics in 2004.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Baseball's Seoul Mate

The 2024 MLB season kicked off in South Korea with the "Seoul Series," marking the first regular-season Major League Baseball games ever played in the country. Held at Seoul's Gocheok Sky Dome, the two-game matchup between the Los Angeles Dodgers and San Diego Padres featured Shohei Ohtani's official debut in a Dodger uniform and a celebrated homecoming for Padres shortstop Ha-Seong Kim.

TRIVIA

What is the Greek god of the sea?

A Poseidon

B Hades

C Zeus

D Apollo

TODAY'S FUNNY

Why was the clarinetist arrested?

He was in treble.

TODAY'S WISDOM

"Even a man who is pure in heart and says his prayers by night may become a wolf when the wolfbane blooms and the autumn moon is bright."

-The Wolfman (1941)

WORD SEARCH

In a Pickle



Cucumber

Brine

Vinegar

Mustard

Dill

Sweet

Gherkins

Kosher

Tart

Homemade

Canning

Sour

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.

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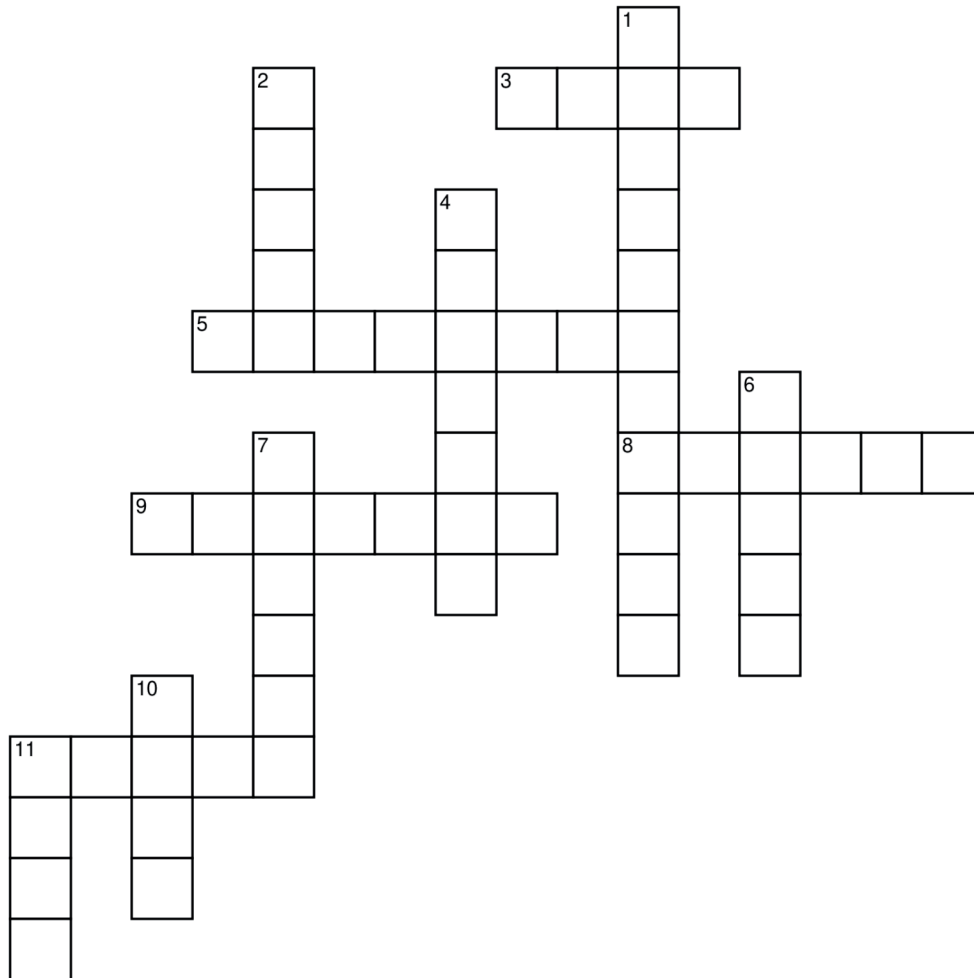
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Helpful Tip:

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.

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Across

- [3] Highchair feature
- [5] Place-setting pieces
- [8] Award
- [9] Funhouse viewer
- [11] Change

Down

- [1] Hurdle for Jack (Be Nimble)
- [2] Olympian's prize
- [4] Bracelets and necklaces, etc.
- [6] Soup servings
- [7] Optician's wares
- [10] Bell sound
- [11] Golf targets

Test Your Knowledge

**Solve the questions below to test your knowledge
and give your brain a workout!**

In 1950, at age 22, this Hollywood starlet announced her retirement from the film industry. Who was she?

- A. Elizabeth Taylor
- B. Shirley Temple
- C. Marilyn Monroe

Grammar:

Identify both prepositional phrases in the following sentence:

"The mischievous raccoon scampered across the rooftop before sunrise."

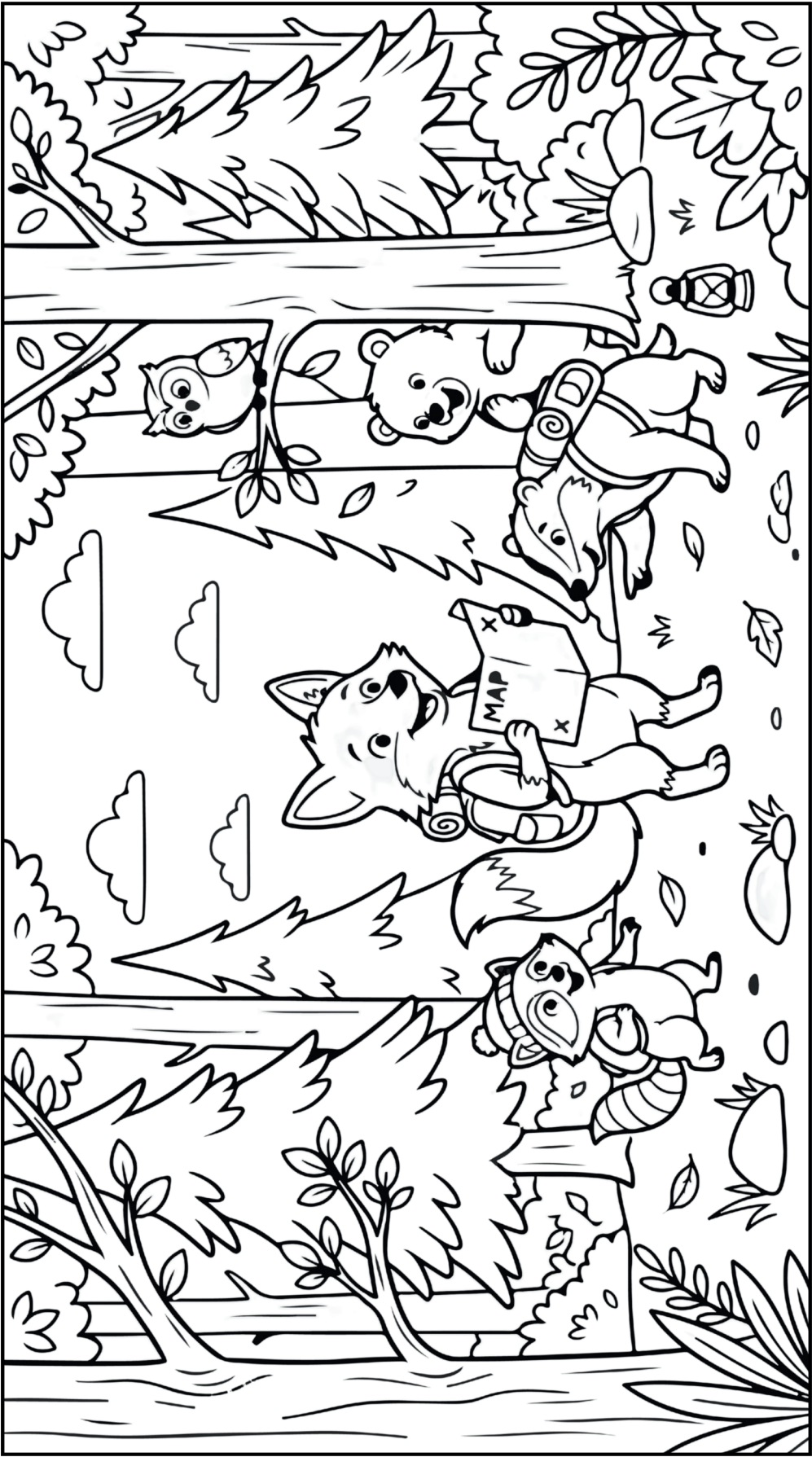
Solve the math problems:

1. What is $\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{3}$ expressed as a mixed number in its simplest form?

2. A square playground has a total perimeter of 36 meters.

What is the playground's total area?

Before Washington, D.C. was established, which city served as the very first capital of the United States under the U.S. Constitution in 1789?



SOLUTIONS

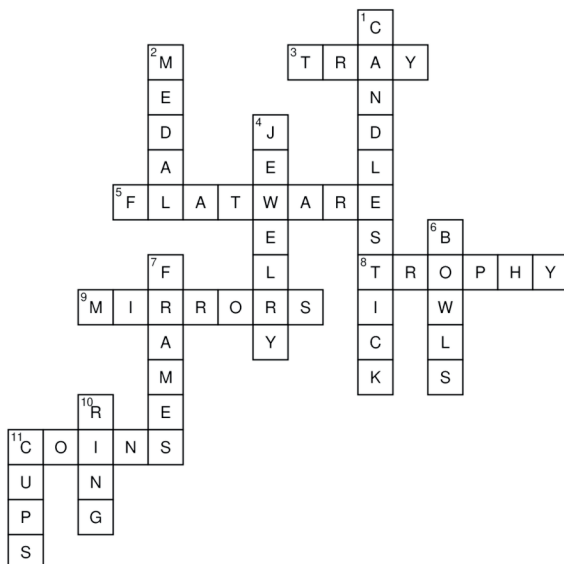
Trivia Answer: A

In ancient Greek religion, Poseidon is the god of the sea (and of water generally), earthquakes, and horses.

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



Answer:

B. Shirley Temple

Answer:

"across the rooftop"
and "before sunrise"
(Prepositions: "across"
and "before")

1. $1 \frac{5}{12}$

Convert to a common denominator of 12.
 $9/12 + 8/12 + 17/12 = 1 \frac{5}{12}$

2. 81 square meters

A square has 4 equal sides, so each side is
 $36 \div 4 = 9$ meters.
Area = $9 \times 9 = 81$

Answer:

New York City

George Washington
was inaugurated there
on April 30, 1789