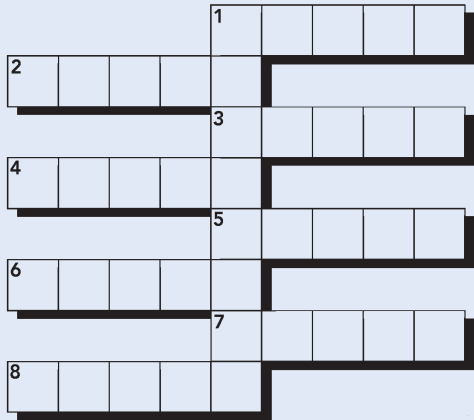


## JUNIOR CROSSWORD

Solve all the clues and an eight-letter word will be spelled out



- 1 Used for biting
- 2 A pleasant smell
- 3 A type of sword
- 4 A group of bees
- 5 Oak seed
- 6 A king's hat
- 7 Elephant tusks are made of -
- 8 Striped african animal

ANSWER: Teeth, aroma, sabre, swarm, acorn, crown, ivory, zebra (Tasmania)

## 4X4

1	2	3	4
5			
6			
7			

### ACROSS

- 1 Hard tissue that makes up a skeleton (4)
- 5 Top (4)
- 6 Uncommon (4)
- 7 Faction (4)

### DOWN

- 1 Sticker (4)
- 2 Iridescent, multi-coloured gem (4)
- 3 Roman emperor (4)
- 4 Suit (4)

ANSWER: DOWN: 1. Barb, 2. Opal, 3. Nero, 4. Exec. ACROSS: 1. Bone, 5. Apex, 6. Rare, 7. Bloc.

## KIDS' QUIZ

- Which of the following is not a programming language: (a) Python (b) Java (c) Linux (d) Lua?
- True or false: Godzilla first appeared in film in the 1980s?
- The original three Pokémon were Charmander, Squirtle and what?
- Before becoming a butterfly, a caterpillar encloses itself in what?
- Lili Reinhardt plays which character on the US TV series *Riverdale*?
- 'Grandmaster' is the one of the highest titles one can attain in what game?
- Which planet in our solar system is third closest to the sun?
- What is the national animal of Scotland?
- Singer Carly Rae Jepsen (pictured) was born in which country?
- A baby horse is called a what?



ANSWERS: 1. (c) Linux 2. False, 1950s 3. Bulbasaur 4. Cocoon 5. Betty Cooper 6. Chess 7. Earth 8. Unicorn 9. Canada 10. Fowl

## WORD STEP

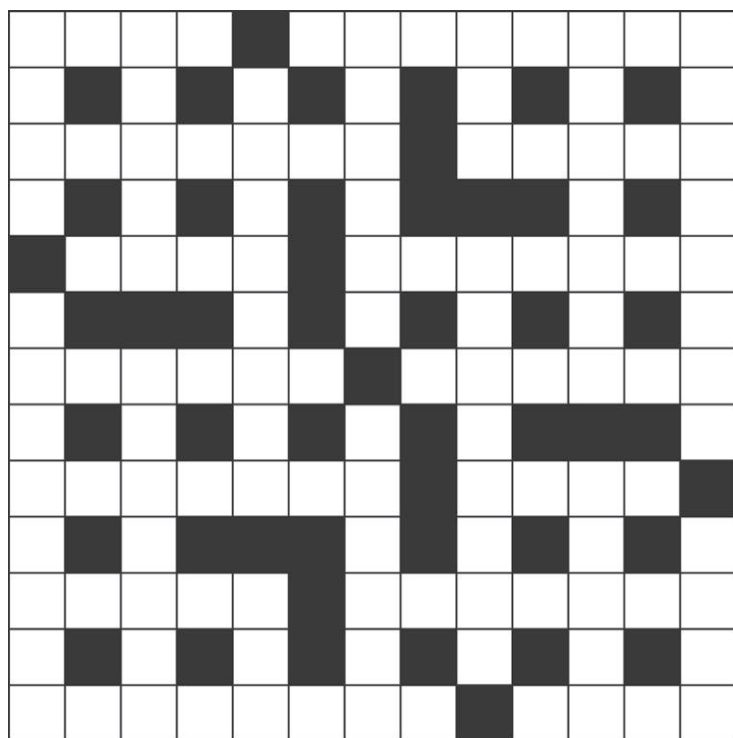
Complete the list by changing one letter at a time to create a new word at each step. One possible answer shown below.

**L A M P S**

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**B U R L Y**

ANSWER: LAMPS, LUMPS, LUMPY, BUMPY, BURPY, BURLY



## WORD FILL

### 3 LETTERS

EEL  
HAW

### 4 LETTERS

JADE  
PYRE  
FACE  
DENY  
JUGS  
UGLY

### 5 LETTERS

LOCAL  
IRISH  
DIARY  
CRIME

### 6 LETTERS

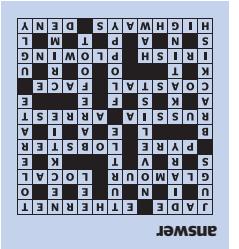
RUSSIA  
ARREST  
TURTLE  
FLOPPY

### 7 LETTERS

GLAMOUR  
LOBSTER  
COASTAL  
PLOWING  
NECKTIE  
SKATING

### 8 LETTERS

ETHERNET  
HIGHWAYS  
TOLERATE  
NOVELIST  
BAREFOOT  
BRACKISH



## WORD FIND

Find the following:

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

- AVIAN
- BUZZARD
- CHICKEN
- CUCKOO
- DAW
- DOVE
- DRUMSTICK
- DUCK
- EAGLE
- FEATHERS
- FINCH
- MALLARD
- NEST
- NIGHTINGALE
- OSTRICH
- OWL
- PARAKEET
- PELICAN
- ROOSTER

The leftover letters will spell out a secret message

Secret message: Guinea fowl

## EASY SUDOKU

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

Sudoku is an 81-square number grid with nine blocks each containing nine cells. To solve the puzzle, all the blank cells must be filled in using numbers from 1 to 9. Each number can only appear once in each row, column and in the nine 3x3 blocks. You can successfully solve the puzzle just by using logic and the process of elimination.

ANSWER

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