Do You Remember?



Synonym Matching: In the space provided, write the letter of the synonym on the right that corresponds to the word on the left.

1. Fey	A. Limp
2. Pliable	B. Ignore
3. Profuse	C. Abundant
4. Fecund	D. Harmless
5. Fetter	E. Bendable
6. Flaccid	F. Fertile
7. Abrogate	G. Sociable
8. Gregarious	H. Magical
9. Innocuous	I. Restrain
10. Flout	J. Abolish

Reading Comprehension: Read the passage below and answer the questions based on the text.

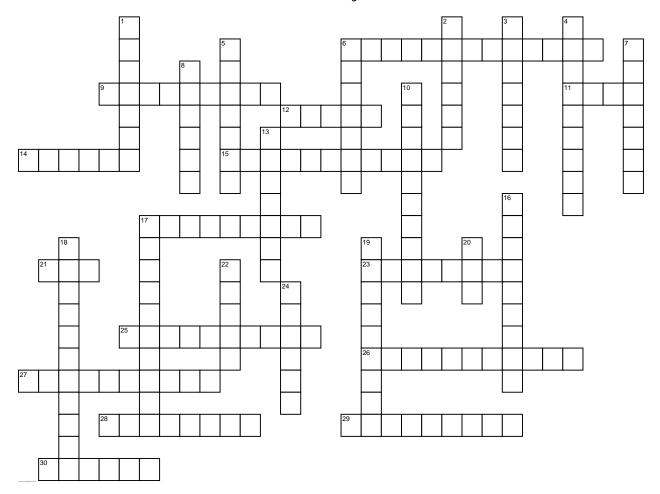
Manny and Mykala crouched behind one of the myriad statues that dotted the prince's lawn. The day was radiant but brumal, and the two had to brace themselves against the swift, algid wind that came rolling in from the sea. But they were fortuitous: after just fifteen minutes of waiting, a giant wild turkey came strutting out of the underbrush. Three months earlier, the prince had abrogated hunting, arguing that what was once a plethora of wildlife had dwindled far enough. So Manny and Mykala were poaching, flouting the prince's decree like Romeo and Juliet flouted the wishes of their parents. It was with beating hearts that they took aim at the hapless, oblivious bird.

- 1. In the passage above, what best describes why the wild turkey is "hapless"?
- (A) He is on the prince's land.
- (B) He is about to be shot.
- (C) He is vaguely aware of what is going on.
- (D) He is poaching.
- (E) He is giant.
- 2. Which of the following would best describe the weather mentioned in the passage?
- (A) Rainy and hot
- (B) Cloudless and cold
- (C) Humid and breezy
- (D) Cloudy and windy
- (E) Stormy and freezing



Shakespeare is Hip-Hop Puzzle #1

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ACROSS

- 6 astounded, stupefied
- 9 required, not optional
- 11 vulgar, offensive, rude
- 12 to hunt or fish illegally
- 14 to rummage, scavenge, graze for food
- 15 the act of finding things not sought, luck
- 17 to delay, impede
- 21 magical
- 23 in great numbers
- 25 sacred, holy
- 26 worthy of praise
- 27 immoral, lewd
- 28 a great number, an abundance
- 29 inclined to spread throughout
- 30 many, of great numbers

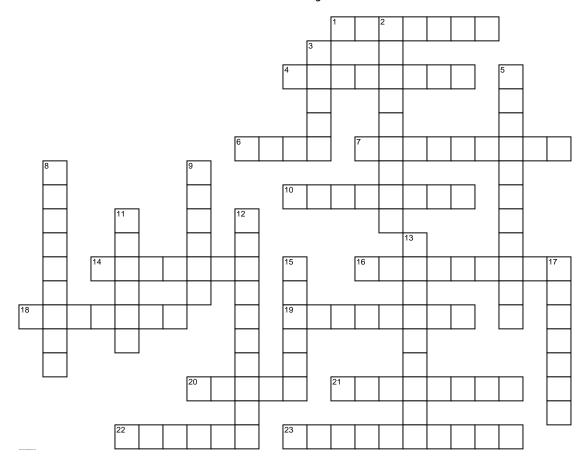
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- 1 flexible, bendable
- 2 to restrain, chain, tie
- 3 silly, foolish
- 4 the creation of new words, or a new word
- 5 abundant, lavish, prolific
- 6 limp
- 7 bright, beaming
- 8 easy
- 10 lucky, occurring by chance
- 13 indecent, blasphemous
- 16 daily, everyday
- 17 symbolic
- 18 showing little enthusiasm, done as duty
- 19 to invent, make-up, concoct
- 20 happy, cheery, or homosexual
- 22 to drench, saturate
- 24 fertile, fruitful

WORD BANK: Abundant, commendable, douse, fabricate, facile, fatuous, fecund, fetter, fey, figurative, flabbergasted, flaccid, forage, forestall, fortuitous, gay, lewd, licentious, mandatory, myriad, neologism, perfunctory, pervasive, plethora, pliable, poach, profane, profuse, quotidian, radiant, sacrosanct, serendipity.

Shakespeare is Hip-Hop Puzzle #2

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ACROSS

- 1 unlucky
- 4 to coax through flattery
- 6 to urge, provoke
- 7 infamy, known in bad regard
- 10 a wicked act, a sin
- 14 a newborn baby
- 16 harmless
- 18 to tell a story
- 19 compliments, sycophancy
- 20 to scorn, ignore, show contempt for
- 21 to abolish, often by authority
- 22 an interruption in continuity, a break
- 23 someone who asks questions or makes an inquiry

DOWN

- 2 a schoolteacher
- 3 frigid, cold
- 5 excessively poor
- 8 without interruption
- 9 wintry, relating to winter
- 11 wintry, relating to winter
- 12 sociable, outgoing
- 13 marked by special intelligence
- 15 to hit or strike
- 17 to live, exist

WORD BANK: Abrogate, algid, blandish, brumal, buffet, flattery, flout, goad, gregarious, hapless, hiatus, hiemal, impecunious, incessant, ingenious, iniquity, innocuous, inquisitor, narrate, neonate, notoriety, pedagogue, subsist.