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# *Clifford Takes a Trip*

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## Vocabulary Word Search

Find the words.

v z c e m e n t a x l j h y p  
 a b d p e o t r a f f i c n r  
 c a m p k b x i m o n e y x o  
 a f o j g a r a g e f d j d t  
 t q u l p w s z u d e p q k e  
 i x n y d y n l x s e h t a c  
 o z t r o u b l e b l d u y t  
 n i a t d a e n j w i t g f i  
 s n i f f e d z y k n x r z n  
 v u n h o w l e d f g w o i g  
 c x s t r a n g e r s a w y n  
 p l a y m a t e s u e d l r q

camp	garage	money	protecting	traffic
cement	growl	mountains	sniffed	trouble
feelings	howled	playmates	strangers	vacation





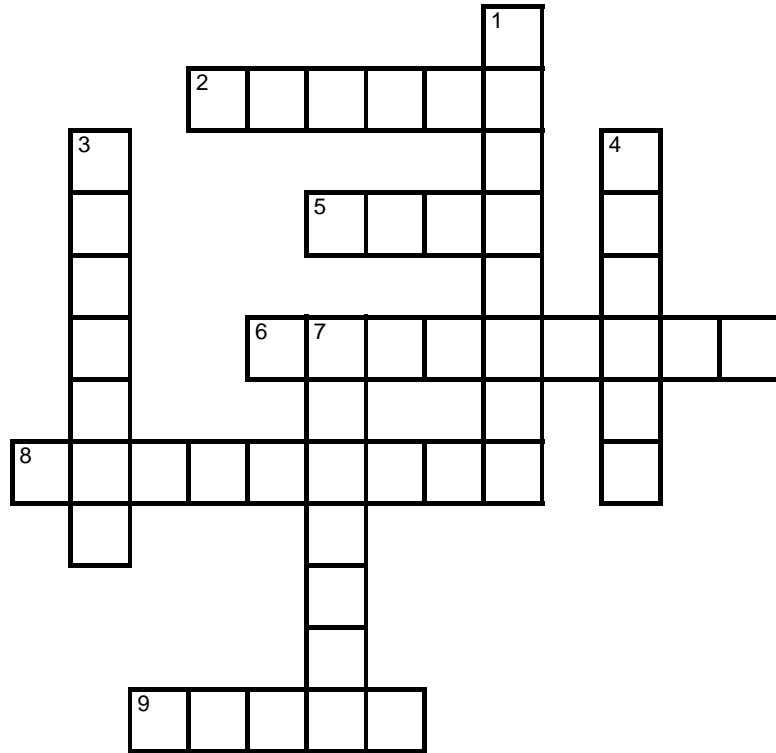
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Crossword Puzzle

Complete the puzzle.

<b>Word Bank</b>
playmates
traffic
lunch
cement
garage
strangers
howl
trouble
feelings



### Across

- 2. Clifford took the little old man to a \_\_.
- 5. Clifford was so lonely that he began to \_\_.
- 6. The Mama Bear didn't want \_\_\_ to play with her babies.
- 8. Emily Elizabeth found some new \_\_\_\_.
- 9. The little old man gave Clifford \_\_\_ to thank him.

### Down

- 1. It hurt Clifford's \_\_\_ when someone threw a shoe at him.
- 3. Clifford didn't mean to make \_\_\_\_.
- 4. Clifford walked in the wet \_\_\_\_.
- 7. Clifford tip-toed over the cars in the \_\_\_ jam.





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## Character Map and Writing Activity

Use the character map below to write words that describe Clifford. When you have completed the character map, write about Clifford.

	Clifford	

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### Comprehension

Answer the following questions using complete sentences.

1. Why is it hard for Emily Elizabeth's family to go on long vacation trips? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Why do they like to go on picnics in the park? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Why did someone throw a shoe at Clifford? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. Who took care of Clifford when Emily Elizabeth and her family went to the mountains? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. What did Clifford do on the road to find Emily Elizabeth?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. What did Clifford do when he came to the toll bridge?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. What did Clifford do to save Emily Elizabeth's life?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. What did Clifford do with the baby bears?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_





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Have Fun with the Story!

## Part A: Circle true or false.

1. Clifford gave the man at the toll bridge some money.  
**true          false**
2. Clifford took the little old man to the garage.  
**true          false**
3. The Mama Bear was not afraid of Clifford.  
**true          false**
4. Someone threw a tire at Clifford.  
**true          false**
5. Clifford was so lonely he began to howl.  
**true          false**

## Part B: Write the words in alphabetical order.

traffic	howl	trouble	sniffed
lonely	bridge	cement	vacation

6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_





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Answers to *Clifford Takes A Trip*

Reading Level 2.0

Page 1: Answers not needed

Page 2: Across: 2. garage, 5. howl, 6. strangers,  
8. playmates, 9. lunch.

Down: 1. feelings, 3. trouble, 4. cement, 7. traffic

Page 3: Character Map and Writing Activity

Page 4: Answers will vary—accept all reasonable answers.

1. It is too hard to get Clifford on a bus or a train because he is such a big dog.
2. They like to go on picnics in the park because Clifford can walk to the park.
3. Someone threw a shoe at Clifford because he was howling.
4. They left Clifford with the lady next door.
5. He sniffed along the long road to find Emily Elizabeth and her family.
6. He didn't have any money to pay for the toll bridge so he swam across the river.
7. He growled at the Mama Bear and frightened her away.
8. Clifford took the baby bears back to their mother.

Page 5: Part A:

1. false
2. true
3. false
4. false
5. true

Part B:

6. bridge	11. traffic
7. cement	12. trouble
8. howl	13. vacation
9. lonely	
10. sniffed	

