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Arthur's Computer Disaster

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Vocabulary Word Search



Find the words.

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



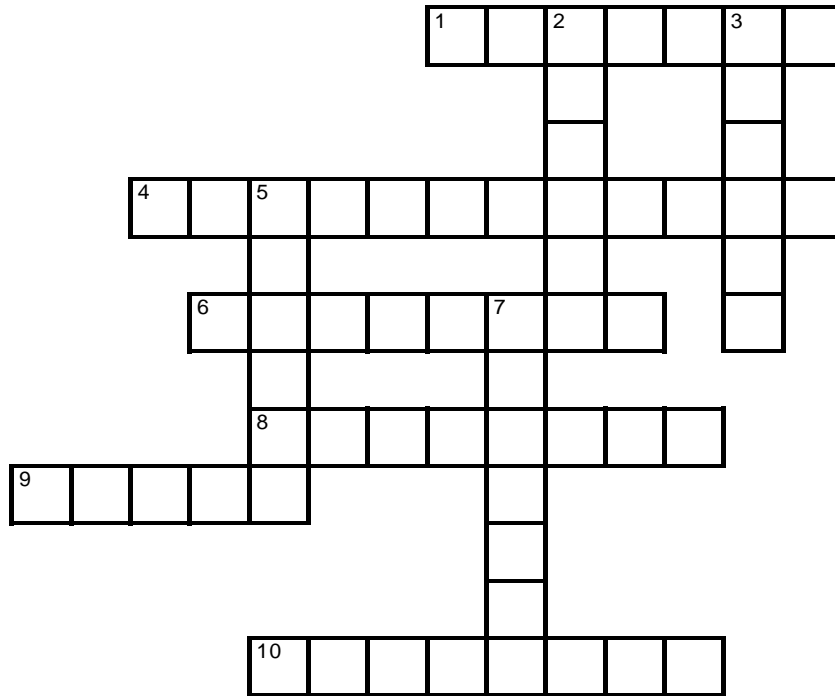
computer	game	haunted	oxygen
disappointed	greatest	keyboard	spooky
disaster	grumbled	mouse	universe

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Crossword Puzzle



Complete the puzzle.



Across

- 1. The Brain couldn't find the ___.
- 4. Arthur's mother was ___.
- 6. Arthur's mother told them not to touch the ___.
- 8. The ___ crashed to the floor.
- 9. Arthur finished his dinner in a ___.
- 10. Arthur said it was the greatest game in the ___.

Down

- 2. Arthur's mother had to go to the ___.
- 3. Arthur asked the ___ at the computer store.
- 5. D.W. said the game sounded ___.
- 7. D.W. said Arthur was in big ___.

Word Bank

jiffy
expert
trouble
problem
keyboard
universe
office
spooky
disappointed
computer



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Working With Words



Complete each sentence with a word from the text box.

greatest	computer	jiggle	disappointed
blast	office	loaded	problem
expert	keyboard	trouble	season

1. Arthur said it was the _____ game in the universe.
2. Arthur's mother needed the computer because it was tax _____.
3. Arthur's mother had to go to the _____.
4. Arthur _____ the game.
5. Arthur asked the _____ at the computer store for help.
6. The _____ crashed to the floor.
7. Arthur's mother told them not to touch the _____.
8. The Brain couldn't find the _____.
9. Arthur's mother told him that he had to _____ the switch.
10. Arthur's mother was _____.
11. D.W. said Arthur was in big _____.
12. Arthur's mother was trying to _____ the skeletons from the treasure chest.



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Story Sequence



Use the numbers 1-10 to sequence the story.

- _____ Arthur's mother tried to blast the skeletons from the treasure chest.
- _____ Arthur ate his dinner in a jiffy.
- _____ Arthur and Buster went to find Brain.
- _____ The keyboard crashed to the floor.
- _____ Arthur's mother went to the office.
- _____ Arthur asked the expert at the computer store for help.
- _____ The Brain couldn't find the problem.
- _____ Arthur's mother was disappointed.
- _____ Arthur's mother told him he couldn't play computer games for a week.
- _____ Arthur and Buster played the game on the computer.



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Put each set of words into alphabetical order.

1.

computer	oxygen	disaster	mouse
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- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

2.

keyboard	game	universe	library
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- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

3.

haunted	treasure	spooky	office
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- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

4.

touch	greatest	chest	expert
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- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____



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Answers

Page 1: answers not needed

Page 2: **Across:** 1. problem, 4. disappointed, 6. computer, 8. keyboard, 9. jiffy, 10. universe.

Down: 2. office, 3. expert, 5. spooky, 7. trouble.

Page 3:

1.	greatest	7.	computer
2.	season	8.	problem
3.	office	9.	jiggle
4.	loaded	10.	disappointed
5.	expert	11.	trouble
6.	keyboard	12.	Blast

Page 4: 10, 1, 5, 4, 2, 7, 6, 8, 9, 3

Page 5:

1.

- a. computer
- b. disaster
- c. mouse
- d. oxygen

2.

- a. game
- b. keyboard
- c. library
- d. universe

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- a. haunted
- b. office
- c. spooky
- d. treasure

4.

- a. chest
- b. expert
- c. greatest
- d. touch