

# Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

**CRISSCROSS - MOST POPULAR GIRLS' NAMES OF 2023**  
Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.

**3 Letters**  
AVA  
UMA

**4 Letters**  
AYLA  
EDEN  
EMMA  
IRIS  
LUCY  
LUNA

**5 Letters**  
ELENA  
ITZEL  
LAYLA  
PIPER  
SARAH

**6 Letters**  
AUTUMN  
EVELYN  
GIANNA  
HANNAH  
OLIVIA  
SOPHIA

**7 Letters**  
ABIGAIL  
LILLIAN

**8 Letters**  
ISABELLA  
VICTORIA

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# Even Exchange

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Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

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|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|
| 1. Aesop's specialty | F _ _ _ _ _ | Kitchen slat         | T _ _ _ _ _ |
| 2. Steve or Dean     | _ _ _ T _ _ | Gayle or Lee         | _ _ _ V _ _ |
| 3. Compass direction | N _ _ _ _ _ | Value                | W _ _ _ _ _ |
| 4. Pancake topping   | _ U _ _ _ _ | Improved             | _ E _ _ _ _ |
| 5. Bullwinkle, e.g.  | _ _ O _ _ _ | Mickey, e.g.         | _ _ U _ _ _ |
| 6. Dash              | _ _ _ _ T   | Planting season      | _ _ _ _ G   |
| 7. Larder            | _ _ N _ _ _ | Bakery treat         | _ _ S _ _ _ |
| 8. Wednesday's dad   | _ _ _ _ Z   | Andy's pal, ___ Pyle | _ _ _ R     |
| 9. Bird sanctuary    | A _ _ _ _ _ | Spooky               | E _ _ _ _ _ |
| 10. Closet accessory | _ A _ _ _ _ | Food longing         | _ U _ _ _ _ |

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# HOCUS-FOCUS

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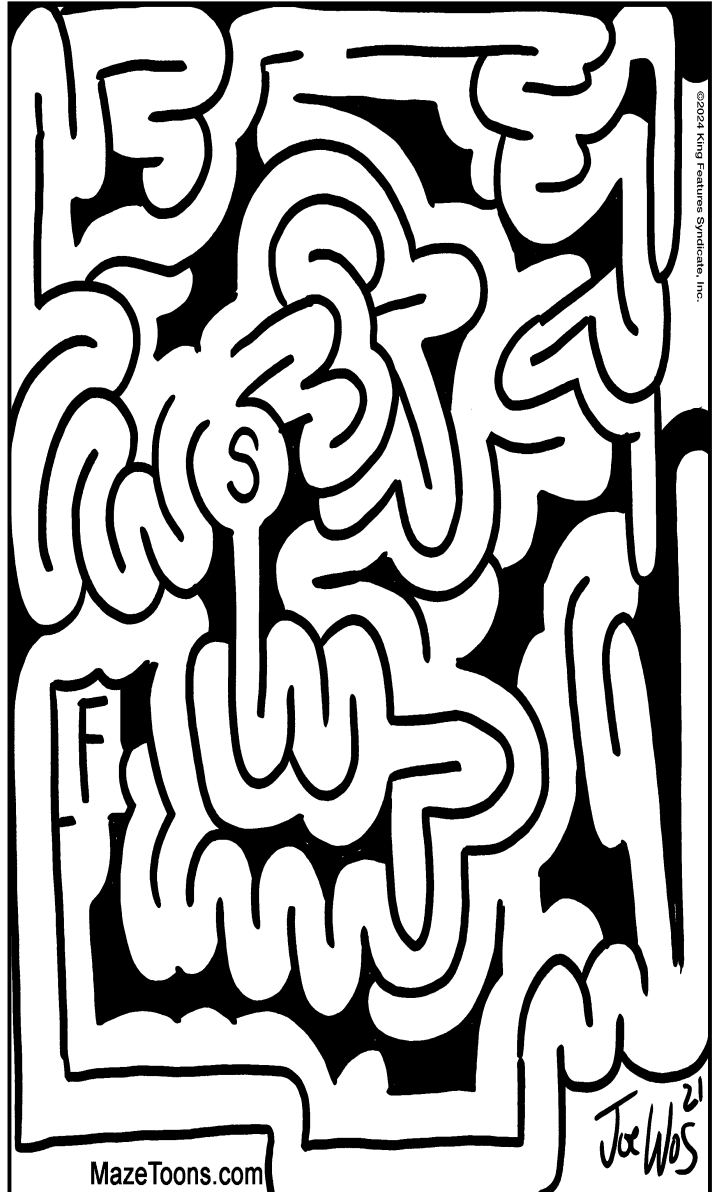


Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Fishing line is different. 2. Branch is higher. 3. Hut is different. 4. Mountain is added. 5. Cloud is larger. 6. Cap is different.

- Even Exchange**  
Answers
1. Table, Table
  2. Martin, Marvin
  3. North, Worth
  4. Butter, Better
  5. Moose, Mouse
  6. Spout, Spring
  7. Parity, Pasty
  8. Gomez, Gomer
  9. Aene, Eene
  10. Hanger, Hunger



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