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"A Taxing Problem"

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The **five-time Emmy Award-winning** Auto-B-Good™ series presents 63 different character traits that will captivate, entertain and educate students – of all ages. It is the goal of Rising Star Education to present products like Auto-B-Good™ that leave positive lasting impressions.

This character development series was prepared for students by active teachers and principals. We suggest that each character trait might be the focus for a week and divided in the following way:

- One class session to watch the related video from the Auto-B-Good™ Program
- Four class periods of discussion, student interaction, and activities which would support and strengthen the understanding of the character trait. Each class session may vary from 10-20 minutes or longer, based on the time available.

There are all sorts of other ways to utilize these resources to drive home the life-changing message found in this program. We would love to hear your story about Auto-B-Good™ and the difference it's making in your community, school and students' lives. Join the conversation at:

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OBJECTIVES FOR THIS LESSON

Students will:

- Learn, review and assess what they know about the character trait
- Understand how that character trait affects their lives
- Understand how the lack of character negatively affects others

Helpful hint:

Begin by asking yourself the question, "What can I do during this lesson to take a student who lacks this character quality to the point of both knowing it and desiring to acquire it?"

RESULTS OF THIS LESSON

Students should:

- **KNOW** – to have the practical understanding of the trait
- **DESIRE** – to want the trait in their own life
- **DO** – to put the trait into action

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN THIS LESSON GUIDE?

1. **Teacher's Lesson Plan** – for classroom discussion & activity
2. Student Activity Pages & Answer Keys

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SYLLABUS

Lesson Guides

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[WATCH the "ABG Lesson Plans" video](#)

HOW TO USE THE AUTO-B-GOOD™ MATERIALS [watch the "How To Use ABG" video](#)

There are three main ways in which you can use these resources:

1. Complete stand-alone program for students to be guided through our curriculum, videos, books and other resources
2. Companion resource for other compatible character education programs (Changing Lives, Character Counts and others)
3. Topical character education resource for guidance counselors, mentors, pep rallies

We are committed to helping schools and helping families finish well, which is why we created our rebate program for schools as a way to make these classroom resources at home. **To learn more about the ABG Rebate Program, visit: [ABG Rebate Program](#)**

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"A Taxing Problem"

In this story, a tire shortage hits the City of Auto and keeps Miles from competing in the State Safety Derby. Johnny has an opportunity to look past his selfish ways and make a real sacrifice - instead of creating "A Taxing Problem."

UNDER THE HOOD...

LITERAL comprehension questions

- What happened to everyone's tires?
- What was Johnny's secret?
- What did Franklin encourage Johnny to do?

IMPLIED comprehension questions

- Why did Johnny want to keep his extra tires secret?
- How did his secret make his friends feel?
- How did they feel when Johnny shared his tires?

QUALIFYING LAP...

Featured character trait highlights for lesson prep

Give your students the opportunity to discuss the following:

- My favorite part of the story is...
- This week, I saw an example of sharing when...
- When others share their special things, it makes me feel...

In this story, Johnny sacrifices his own fun, to give his friends the opportunity to have some fun too. Do you think sharing usually requires some sort of sacrifice? If so, what makes sharing worth the sacrifice?

RACE STRATEGY...

An assortment of related activities that can be incorporated into the overall lesson plan as needed

ACTIVITIES:

- Draw two comic strips: one about a selfish person, the other about a person that shares freely with others.
- Pair and Share: Discuss how you feel when a friend won't share with you. How do you think others feel when you don't share with them?
- Discuss as a class whether a person has to share even if they don't want to and whether there are times when it's okay not to share.

PUTTING IT IN GEAR...

An extra activity for your students to do outside of the classroom

Make a list of some things you don't like to share. Then think of some ways and times you might be willing to share them with others and give it a try.

RECHARGE

Quick highlights from the last lesson, this lesson...

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and the next lesson...

LESSON 47

WISDOM

Use all the knowledge, experience, and common sense you can

...proper perspective sheds light on what matters most

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LESSON 49

FRIENDLINESS

Be calm, kind, considerate always
...smiles are your way of showing you are friendly

REVVED UP & READY TO GO

Here is a Physical Fitness activity or game that is related to the word which can be used in Gym Time, Recess or after school programs

//PASS IT ON

Object: Students work together to successfully relay a message to the person at the front of the line.

How To Play:

Divide the students into groups of 4-6 people. Have them line up single-file facing the same direction. For the first round have the person at the back of the line secretly choose a single digit number. They will then draw it with their finger on the back of the person in front of them, who in turn does the same to the person in front of them. The number continues to be passed without saying anything up to the person at the front of the line, who attempts to guess what number was chosen at the start. If they are correct, the team gets a point. The person at the front moves to the back and starts the next round by choosing a letter between A-Z. The third round is emoji faces. The fourth round is animals and so on for each successive round. The team with the most points wins. In the event of a tie, the tie breaker is drawing a funny face and the person at the front must attempt to imitate the face drawn on their back.

Follow-Up:

- What strategies did you utilize to successfully accomplish the goal?
- Where did you see sharing in this activity?
- What are the benefits to sharing with others in need?

VOCABULARY

List of words related to the lesson

- TACKS
- LOSS
- STORE
- CLOSET
- DRAWER
- CHEST
- INSIDE
- OUTSIDE
- ABOVE
- BELOW

NOTES

Coloring Page



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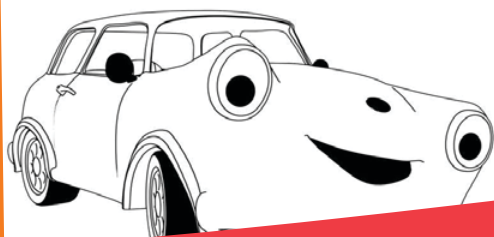
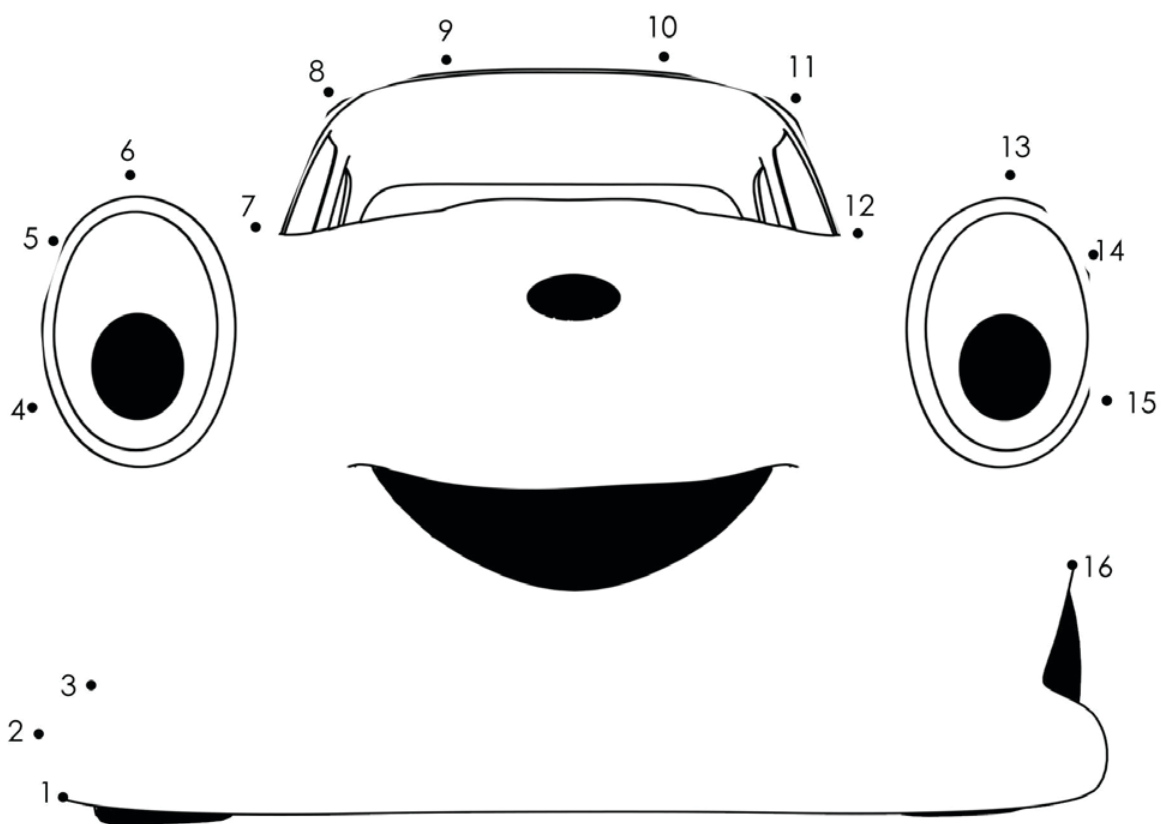
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Dot-To-Dot

Connect the dots below to reveal the character.

Have fun!

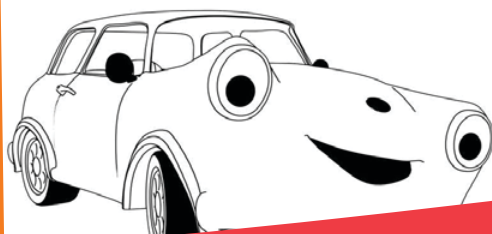
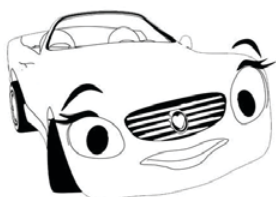


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Match Fun

Match the shadow to its partner.
Draw a line to connect the matches.



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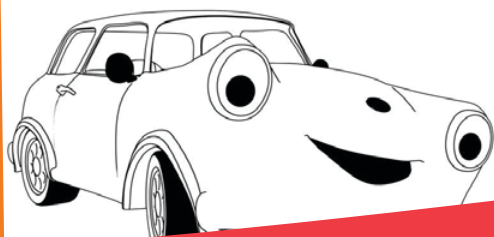
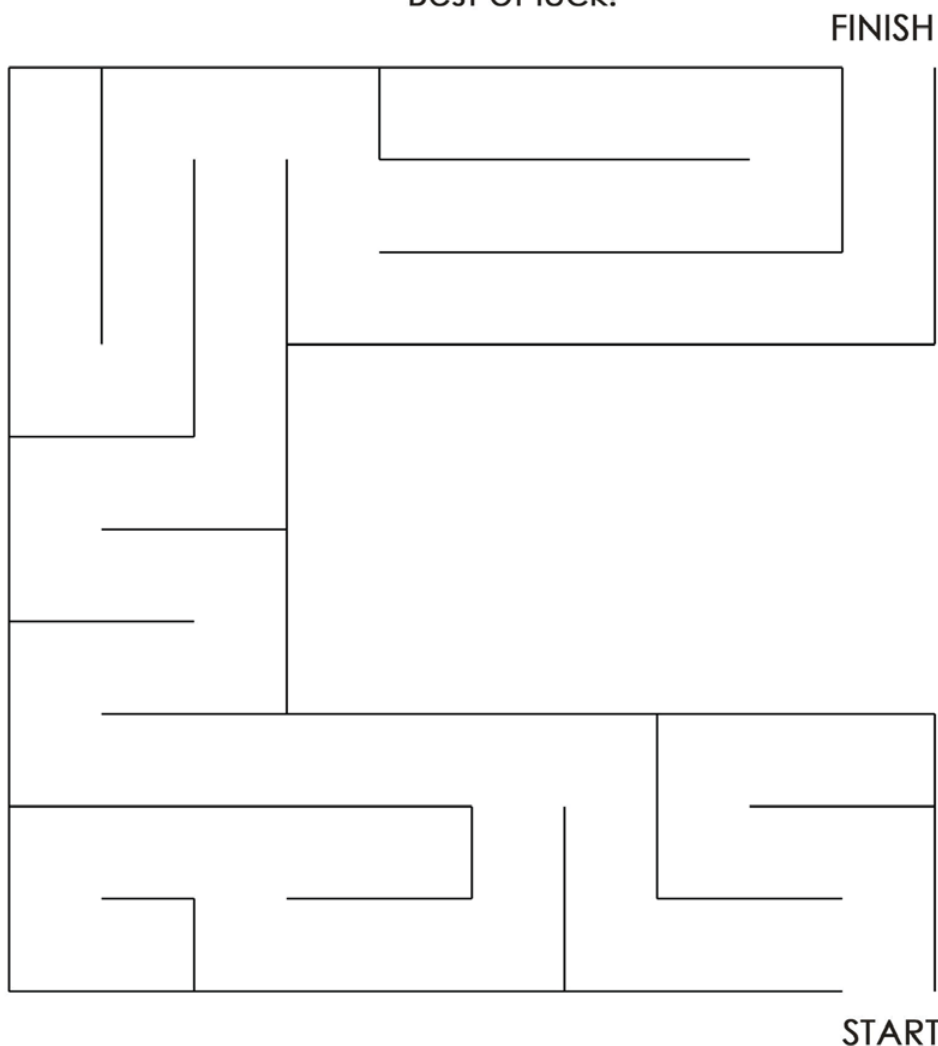
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Maze Craze

See if you can find the correct path through the maze.
Best of luck!

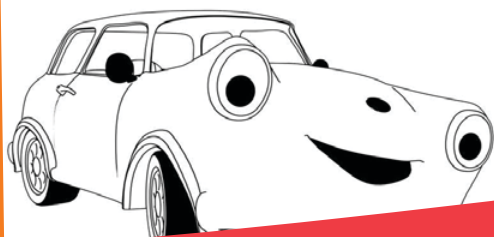
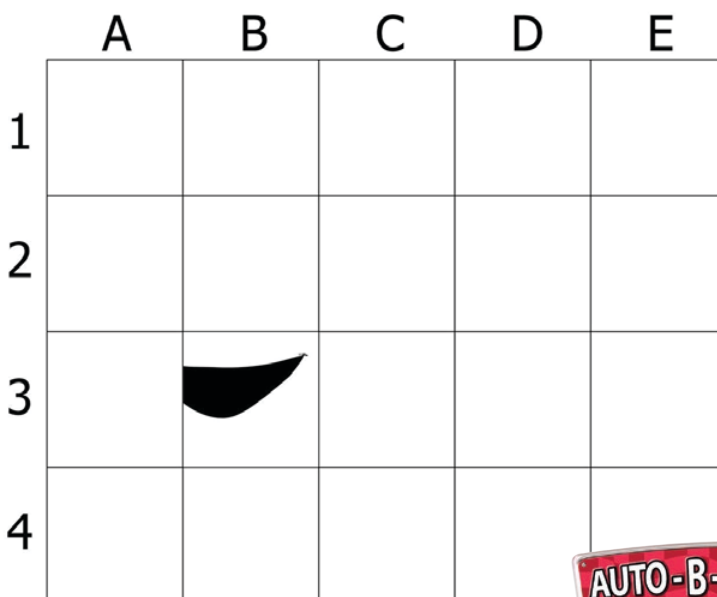
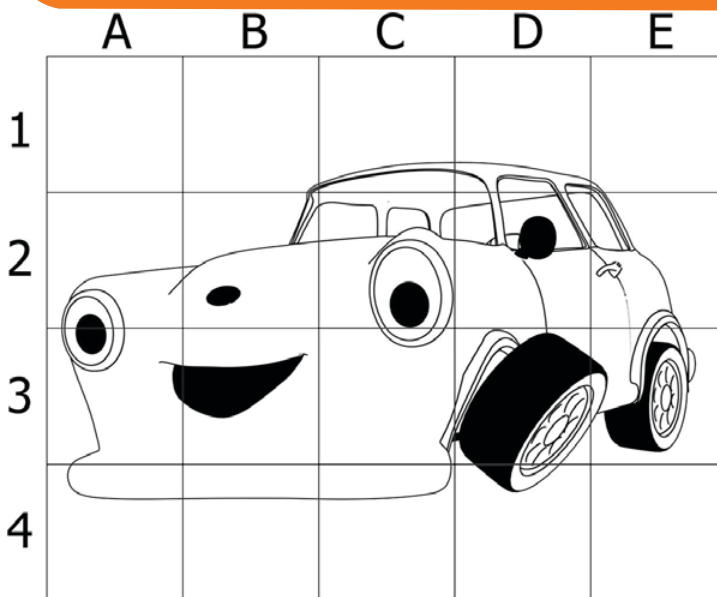


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Learn To Draw

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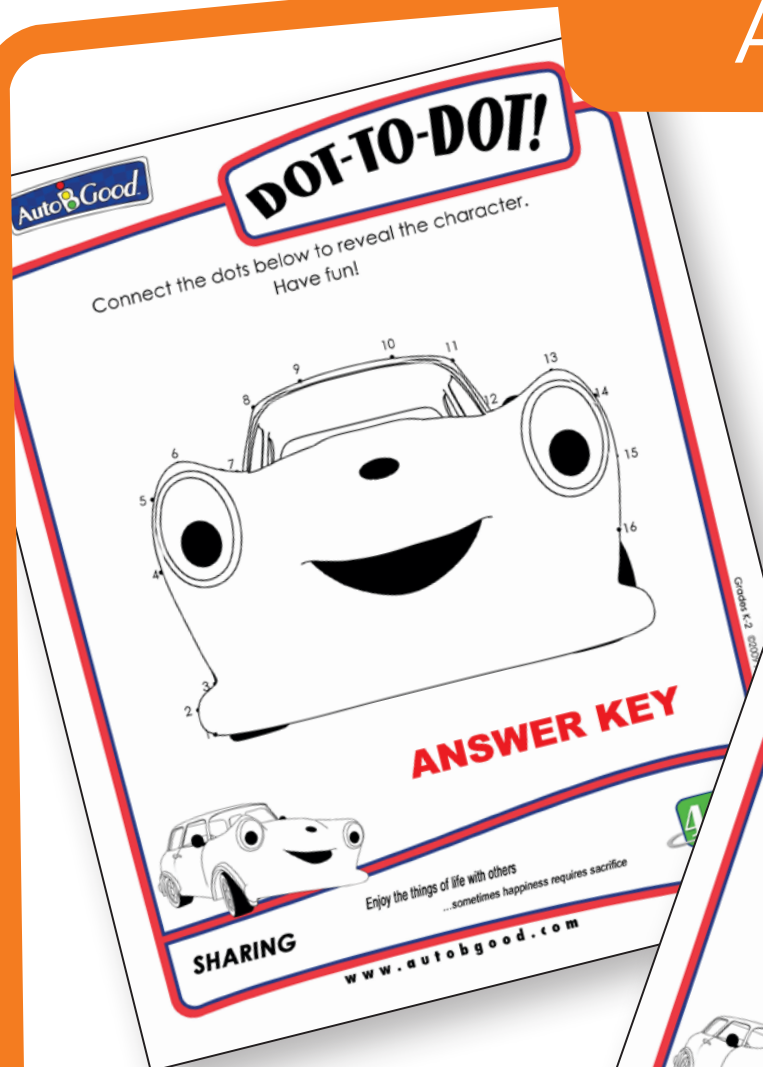
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Answer Key



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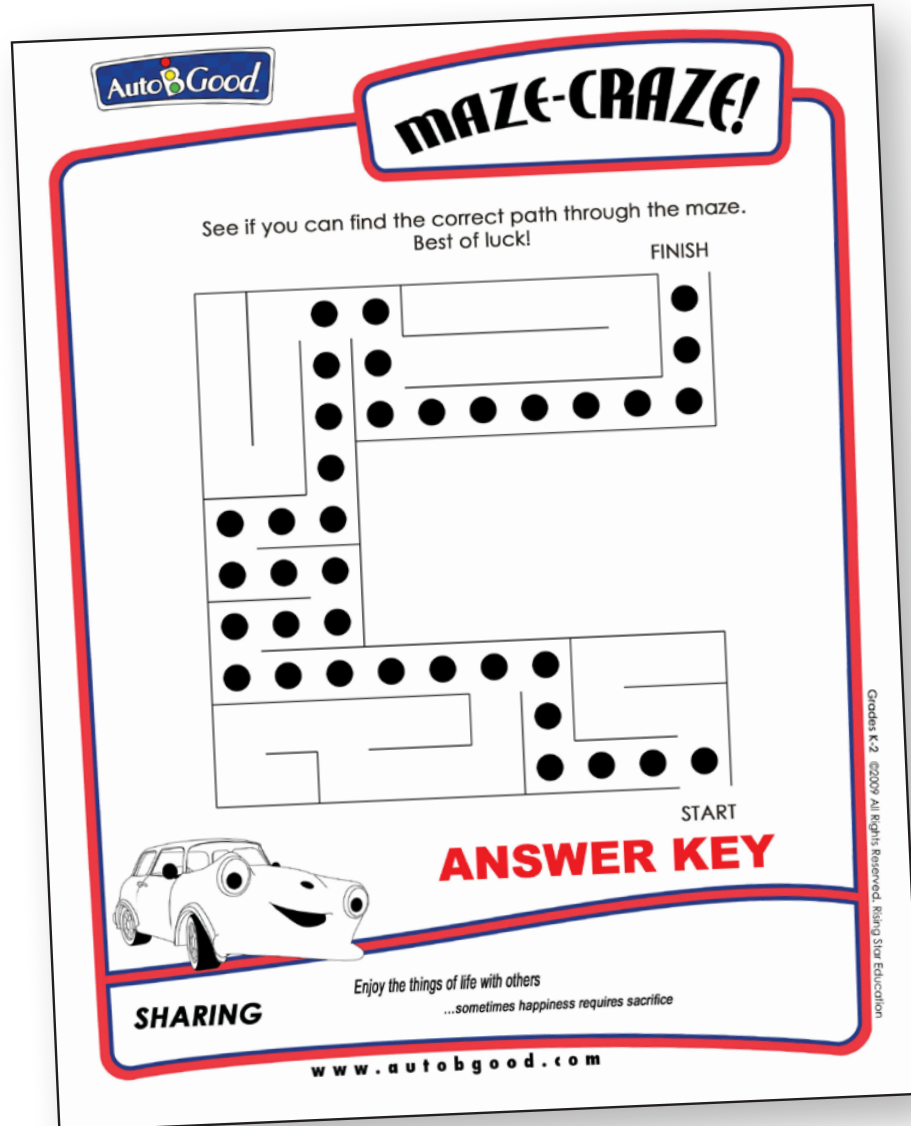
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Car-Toons

In the space below, draw a picture that tells a story relating to the character word for today.

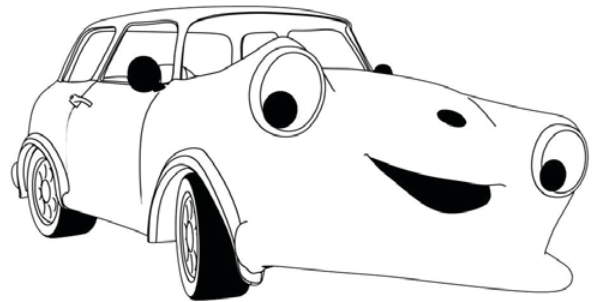
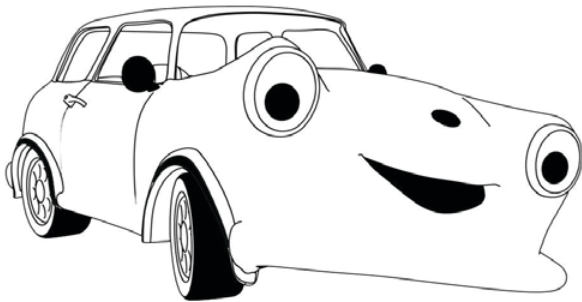
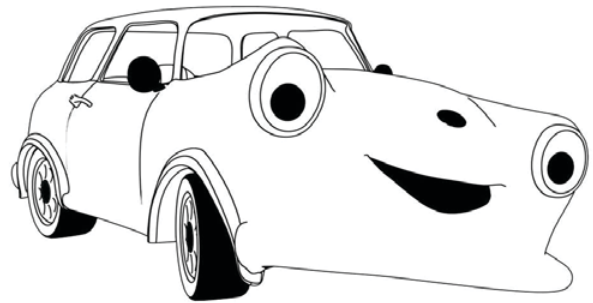
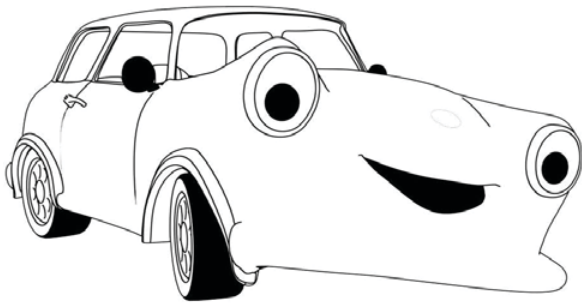


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Out Of Place

Compare these four images to the one at the bottom of the page. See if you can find the things that are not quite right with each of these pictures.



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Word Search

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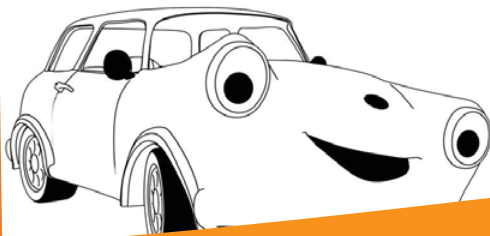
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affable
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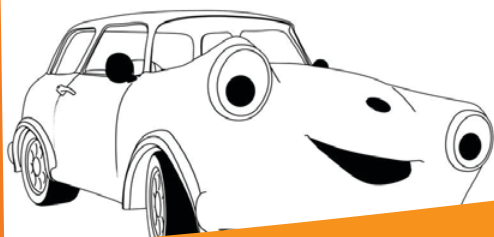
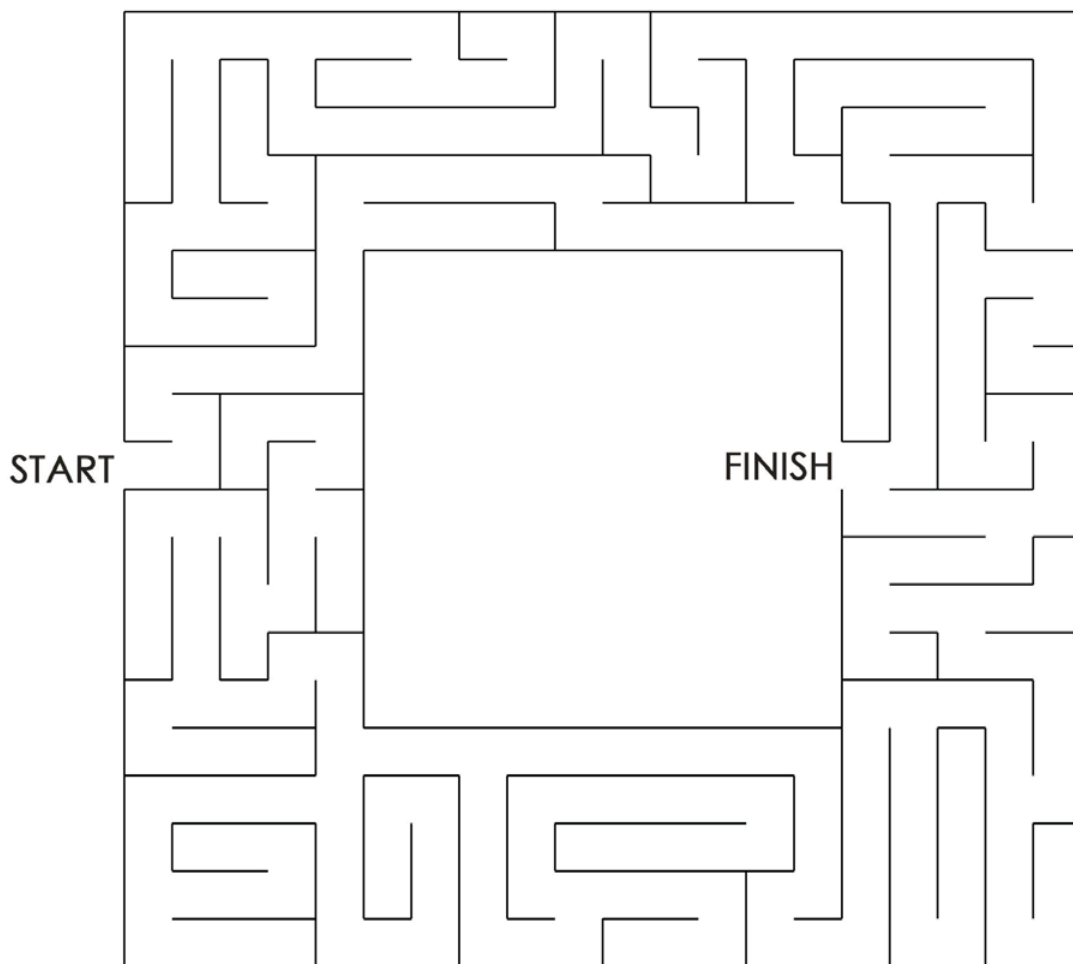


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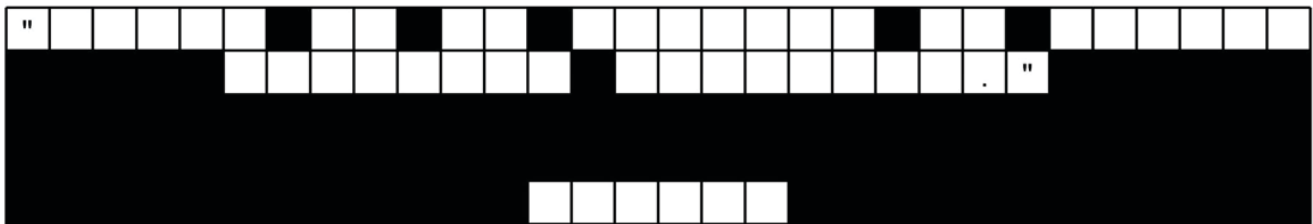


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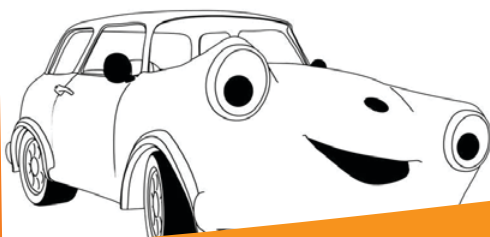
Drop Quotes

Reveal the scrambled quote by using the letters below each of the blank squares in their respective columns. Remember each letter is only used once. Have fun!



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A Y S I N G D N E C G H T I
T H E R E N I T H N O S E E N S H A R E D N O W N I N G

*Rewrite this quote
in your own words...
(bonus points - do some research!
Why is this quote or author famous?)*



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Answer Key

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WORD FIND!

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LUTINGUOHTOLNNO
ZOFGRACIOUSFSES
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NCBELBAIGOS
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affable
benevolent
charitable
communion

cordial
friendly
generous
giving

good-natured
gracious
hospitable
selfless

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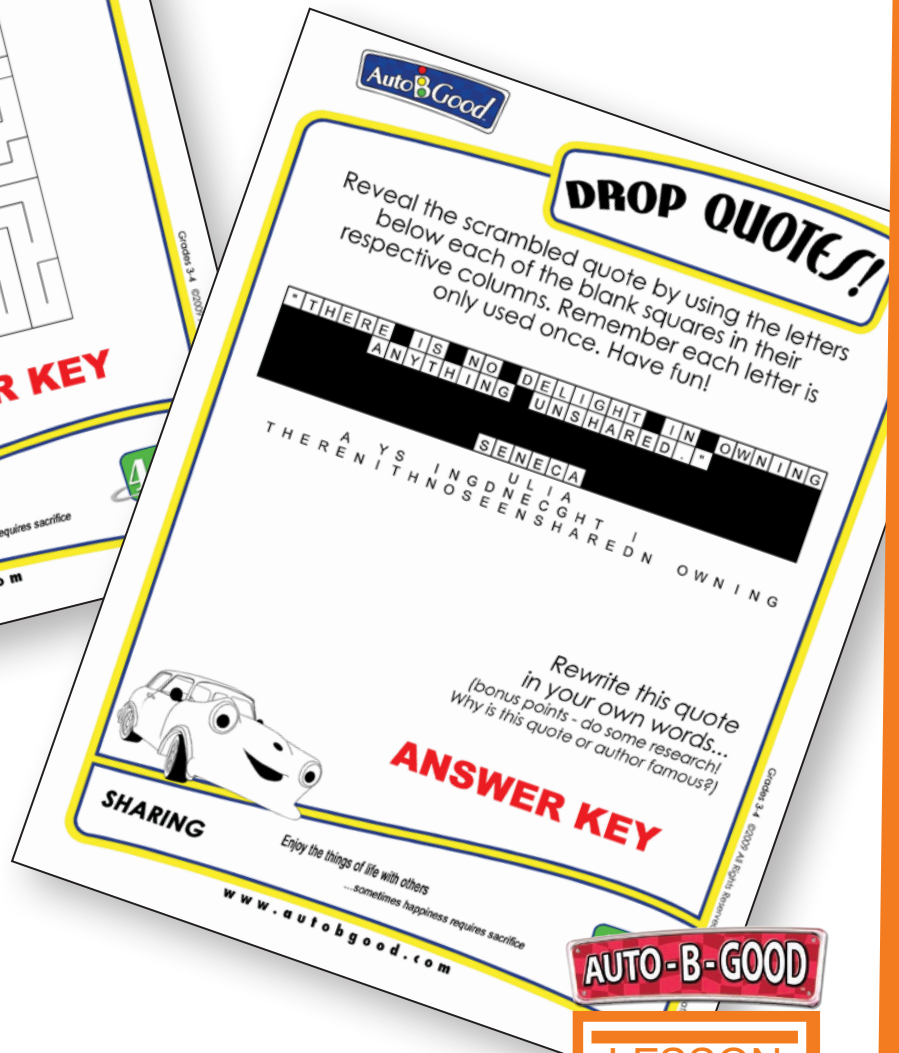
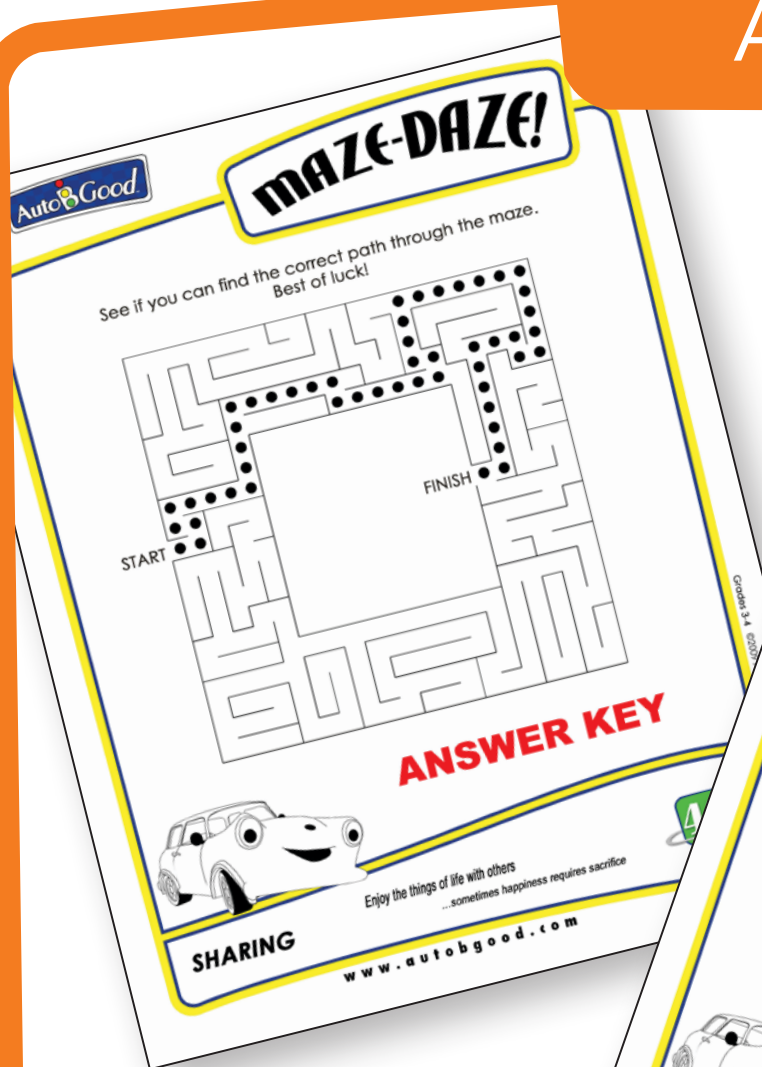
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Code Breaker

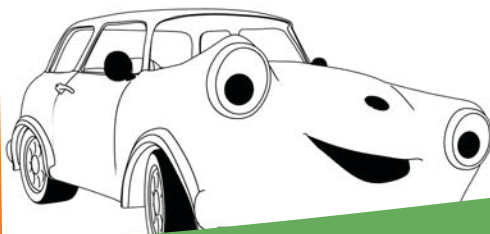
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15 20 1 11 9 19 20 23 22 20 18 9 15 3 5 14 "

18 5 20 5 24 15

*Rewrite this quote
in your own words...
(bonus points - do some research!
Find three other related quotes.)*



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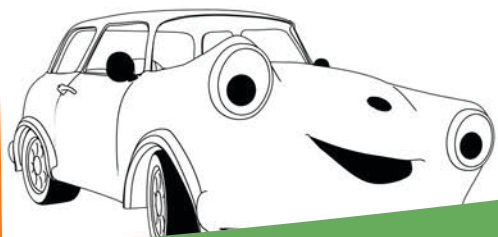
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TOTAL OF COLUMN A&B



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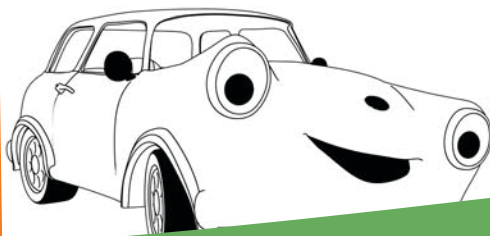
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 V H W I E B J D E Q A U U U L R S L K U Y Y H Z B Z H F R F
 G I A Q V V N B D L F Y R N B A I B H N L B O T D L I E U A
 V L O L O I A K H T F D X I A C F A Z Y N C J P I P E L G R
 C A Z G T D N E H L H S U F F I L T N P R O E E O H J K S K
 O N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

affable	communion	generous	magnanimous	sharing
altruistic	convivial	giving	munificent	sociable
benevolent	cordial	good-natured	philanthropic	thoughtful
bighearted	free-handed	gracious	selfless	unselfish
charitable	friendly	hospitable	self-sacrificing	unsparing

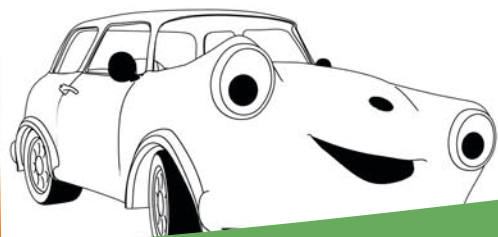
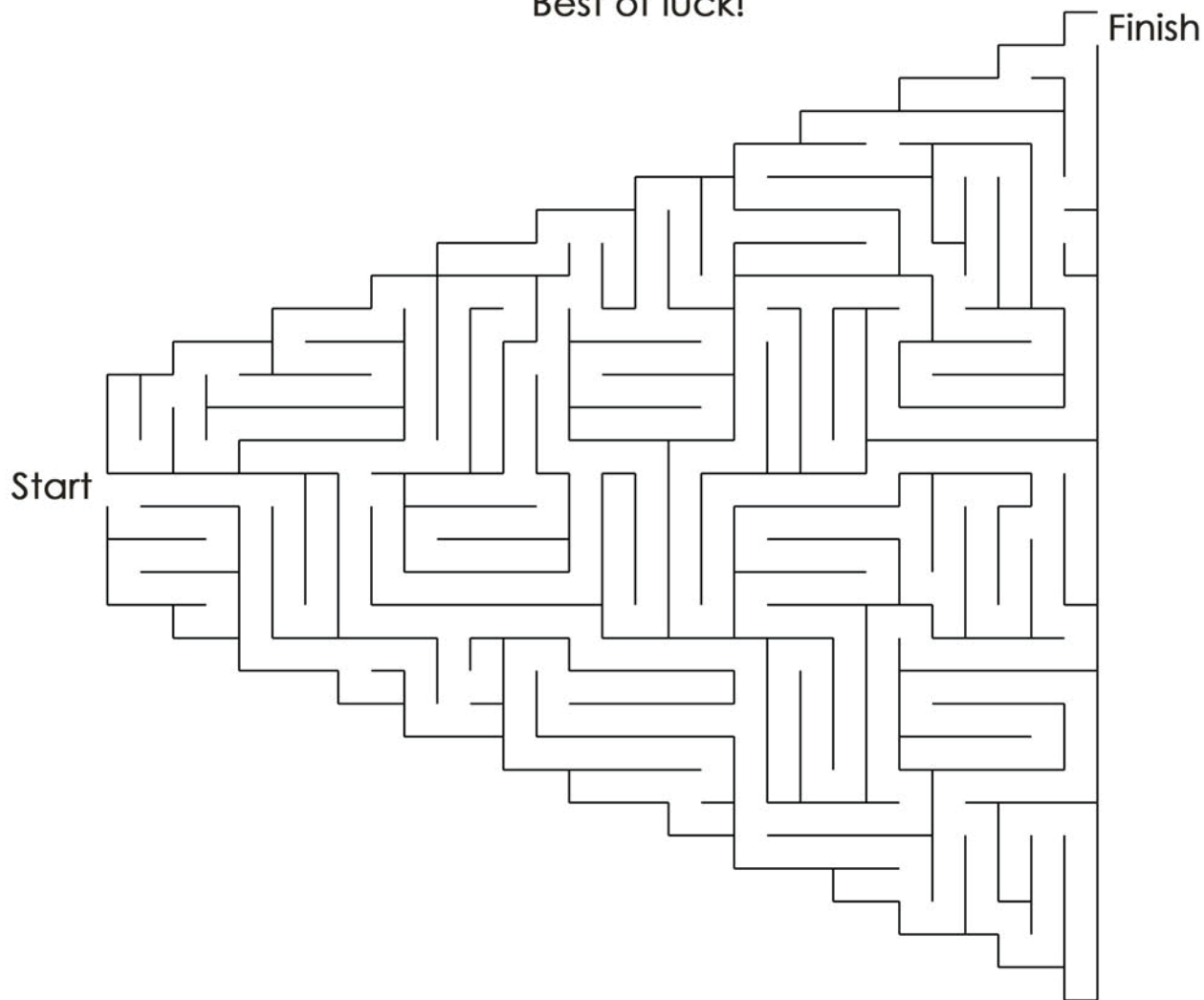


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Maze Madness

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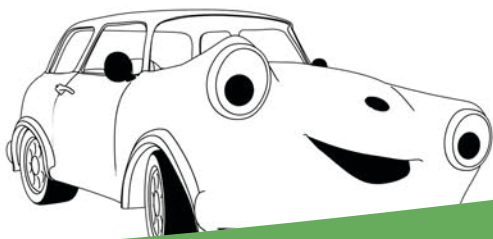
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Suped-up Sudoku!

The rules are super simple:
Just find the missing numbers. There can not be any repeat numbers in any rows, columns or 3x3 regions.

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

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SCROGGLE!

Using the letter tiles in the words below, see how many new words you can create in five minutes. Be sure to use each tile only once for each word. You may use a tile in multiple words. When the time is up, add up the points of tiles used for each word, then total your score.

SHARING	9
UNSELFISH	10
UNSPARING	9
Ship	9
Sharp	10
Self	9
Spare	9
Elf	7
Fish	7
Repair	6
Ring	10
Shelf	8
Relish	5
Hair	17
Share	9
Sail	9
Harass	8
Press	4
TOTAL COLUMN A	7
TOTAL COLUMN B	
TOTAL OF COLUMN A&B	

THIS IS NOT A COMPLETE LIST



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 communion convivial cordial free-handed friendly
 generous giving good-natured gracious hospitable
 magnanimous munificent philanthropic selfless self-sacrificing
 sharing sociable thoughtful unselfish unsparing

MAZE-MADNESS

See if you can find the correct path through the maze. Best of luck!

ANSWER KEY

SUPED-UP SUDOKU!

The rules are super simple:
 Just find the missing numbers. There can not be any repeat numbers in any rows, columns or 3x3 regions.

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

ANSWER KEY



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