

# Conceptis Sudoku

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

Difficulty Level ★★★

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

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# ISAAC ASIMOV'S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

## Subject: LAKES

In which country is the lake? (e.g., Lake Michigan. Answer: The U.S.)

## FRESHMAN LEVEL

- Great Bear Lake  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Tahoe  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Eyre  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_

## GRADUATE LEVEL

- Great Slave Lake  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Baikal  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Great Salt Lake  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_

## PH.D. LEVEL

## CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

“ N B L H M O S Z O P L U X R R P W P V Z U L Z  
A N J O S Z O H F G L E U L E U S Z D N U F A O X  
L V P S X X E N E M S P L E U F N E M N E M S P  
F X E M F . ” — S P B N F F L S K K L V J O Z

Previous Solution: “Laying blame is so easy. I don't have time for hate or negativity in my life. There's no room for it.” — Reese Witherspoon

TODAY'S CLUE: n s i e n b e H

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- Lake Ladoga  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Como  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Tinn (Tinnsja)  
Answer\_\_\_\_\_

**ANSWERS:** 1. Canada. 2. The U.S. 3. Australia. 4. Canada. 5. Russia. 6. The U.S. 7. Russia. 8. Italy. 9. Norway.

## SCORING:

18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?  
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# NEA Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- Shows the way
  - Severe shortage
  - End a journey
  - Shark hitchhiker
  - Medusa's hair
  - Draw out
  - Space widths
  - Clean — whistle
  - Rd.
  - be an honor
  - Slender wire nail
  - Bear's refuge
  - Constrictors
  - Cleanse
  - 31-D scan
  - Ltd. cousin
  - Type of poem
  - Gold brick
  - Moon, in verse
  - Hearing aid?
  - Soft caps
  - Home to Iowa State University
  - Fem. saint
  - Bed support
  - Baby's seat
  - Golf peg
  - Computer term
  - day now
  - Spotted tile
  - Canceled
  - Votes into office
  - Domain scales
  - Glowing, as embers (hyph.)
  - Teeter-totter
- DOWN**
- Cause of heartburn
  - Subject for Keats
  - 401(k) cousin
  - Netherlands sight
  - Regular
  - Conference part
  - Is afraid of
  - Fish without amount
  - Small amount
  - Many oz.
  - Largest bird
  - Fixes a road
  - Not quite
  - Not fooled
  - Iditarod terminus
  - Omigosh!
  - “The,” to Wolfgang
  - Bravo, in Barcelona
  - Sz. option
  - Bad-mouth
  - Baseball stat
  - Flower droplet

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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

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