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1	2	7	4	5	6	8	9	3
5	6	4	8	9	3	2	1	7
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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: DENMARK
(Example: What is the official language of Denmark? Answer: Danish.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL
1. Name the capital city of Denmark. Answer _____
2. Denmark includes what large island in the north Atlantic Ocean? Answer _____
3. What is the color of the cross on the flag and what is the background color? Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL
4. What country shares a short border with Denmark to the south? Answer _____
5. On what peninsula is most of continental Denmark? Answer _____
6. Denmark is between what two seas to the west and east? Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL

7. On what island is the capital city primarily located? Answer _____
8. What popular brand of construction toy is based in Denmark? Answer _____
9. Denmark also includes this island group in the North Atlantic between Iceland and Norway. Answer _____

ANSWERS: 1. Copenhagen. 2. Greenland. 3. White cross on a red background. 4. Germany. 5. Jutland Peninsula. 6. North Sea (west) and Baltic Sea (east). 7. Zealand. 8. Lego. 9. Faroe Islands.

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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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.

“ O H A V L S Q D C O K D A V J K G D M R Q
S V C K V T Q N Q V N R Q , J B G O G O K D A
O R R B K O V A G V T Q . S D O R B C Q D R L D I K
T D E Q T Q G C I Z D C E Q C A Q F G G O T Q . ”
— T O M Z D Q R Y V C E D A

Previous Solution: “If there's a part of comedy I love, it's that it's a transmission device for honesty — sometimes brutal honesty.” — Bob Odenkirk

TODAY'S CLUE: *S sɪnba ɪ*

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1 — and hearty
5 Justice Dept. agency
8 Alaska seaport
12 Wife of Osiris
13 Traitor
14 Old Roman poet
15 Train stops
17 Patch
18 First (Abbr.)
19 Halloween haul
20 “Serial —”
22 Unexploded bomb
23 Rabid
27 Weight units (Abbr.)
30 Leave out
31 Actor — Johnson
32 Debatable
33 Philosopher — Descartes
34 Synthetic hair
35 Emanation
36 Before
37 Difficult thing (2 wds.)
39 Purchase
40 Work unit
41 Chocolate substitute
44 Grotto
47 Magnum —
48 Cherish
52 Minus
53 Swab
54 North Carolina university
55 Three-pip card
56 Actress — Thurman
57 Actress — Harper

DOWN
1 That man's
2 About (2 wds.)
3 Fibber
4 Rough calculation
5 Move to and —
6 Prohibit
7 “— about time!”
8 Wanderer
9 Kiln
10 Watch over
11 Circular current
16 “— Rhythm” (Gershwin tune)
19 — de-sac
21 Chicago airport
22 Hang
23 Links cry
24 From the U.S.
25 Muse number
26 Helix
27 Raucous
28 Drill
29 Play the lead
32 Former PM — Thatcher
37 Clumsy boat
38 Theater area (Abbr.)
39 Domineering
41 Young equine
42 Copycat
43 Trick
45 Loathsome of Adam
48 Big bird
49 — de guerre
50 Health club
51 Print measures

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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