

# King Classic Sudoku

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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: U.S. CITY NICKNAMES**  
Alternate answers may be possible. (Example: "City of Oaks." Answer: Raleigh.)

### FRESHMAN LEVEL

- "Windy City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "The Big Apple"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "Motor City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "Big Easy"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "Sin City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_

### GRADUATE LEVEL

- "Emerald City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "Mile High City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "City of Brotherly Love"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "The Big Pineapple"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- "Beantown"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_

- PH.D. LEVEL**
- "City of Trees"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
  - "Magic City"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
  - "Insurance Capital of the World"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
  - "Valley of the Sun"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_
  - "The Big Peach"  
Answer \_\_\_\_\_

**ANSWERS:** 1. Chicago. 2. New York. 3. Detroit. 4. New Orleans. 5. Las Vegas. 6. Seattle. 7. Denver. 8. Philadelphia. 9. Honolulu. 10. Boston. 11. Boise. 12. Miami. 13. Hartford. 14. Phoenix. 15. Atlanta.

**SCORING:**  
24 to 30 points — congratulations, doctor; 18 to 23 points — honors graduate; 13 to 17 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 5 to 12 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 4 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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# NEA Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- Nest item
  - Drawing showing borders
  - Yield
  - Also
  - Keep for later
  - Blue hue
  - "— you see it ..."
  - Woody plant
  - Regrets
  - Yearly
  - Criticize harshly
  - Poke
  - Favorite
  - Flattened bottle
  - "Norma —"
  - Toward the rear
  - Sprint
  - Do an office job
  - "Luck — Lady"
  - Sea eagle (Var.)
  - Underground chamber
  - Insect secretion

- DOWN**
- Hot drink
  - Poem
  - Wide awake
  - Walk with soft steps
  - Toy blocks maker
  - Edison
  - Large merchant ship
  - Aid
  - Concern
  - Cry of discovery
  - Seed cover
  - Poker stake
  - Rocky hill
  - Snout
  - Extreme degree
  - Farm bird
  - Lab burner
  - Thug
  - Elegant dress
  - Actress — Thomas
  - "— Maria"

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

M	O	P	S	A	M	A	M	A	
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- Look searchingly
- Cut
- Fair
- Affaire d'honneur
- Relaxation
- Barren
- FedEx rival
- Foil cousin
- Nonsense
- Fingerboard ridge
- Enticement
- Maryland's capital
- English festival
- Dread
- Passing craze
- Musical passage
- Ship's record
- Sizable
- Third rock from the sun
- Larger — life
- Big sandwich
- Red in haste
- Swearword
- Loafer
- Tale
- Six-legged creature

## 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.

"LW HDT ZDJ'V UPV DTV VBPCP  
IJZ ZPWLJP HDT CGPKW, HDT'KK NP  
ETLQXKH IJZ LJIQQTCIVPKH ZPWLJPZ  
NH DVBPCG." — RLQBPKKP DNIRI

Previous Solution: "All we do is believe in each other and love each other to death and that's what a true team is." — Caitlin Clark

TODAY'S CLUE: N sɛnbə r

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