

Holding Pattern

Most people, when faced with something completely alien, go into a holding pattern, relying on the things they know and are comfortable with to get them through.

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- 1.No word in the grid contains a letter in common and in the same position with the word immediately above it and also a letter in common and in the same position with the word immediately below it.
- 2.One or fewer columns contain two or more words which start with the same letter.
- 3.SPEC is in the first row of the word grid.
- 4.One of the words found in the second row of the word grid may be read down one of the columns of letters in the third column of words in the grid.
- 5.EBRO, ZEST, and PEEL do not all appear in the same column.
- 6.The word in the lower left corner doesn't start with a vowel.
- 7.In the third row of the word grid, there are two horizontally adjacent words which start with the same letter, which is one of the letters found in the first half of the alphabet (A-M inclusive).

8. DEFY does not appear in the second column.
9. In the third row of the word grid, there are two horizontally adjacent words which start with the same letter, which is one of the letters found in the second half of the alphabet (N-Z inclusive).
10. At least one word in the bottom row contains a P.
11. The two leftmost words in the second row are spelled using eight different letters.
12. No two words which contain the letter P are horizontally adjacent.
13. One or more rows and/or columns of words in the word grid contains words which contain only one of the vowels A, E, I, O, U, and Y.
14. RITA does not appear in the second column.
15. WACO is not in the fourth column.
16. LEWD does not appear in the third row.
17. The words EBRO and EPEE do not appear in the same row of the grid.
18. The fourth row does not contain exactly three E's.
19. The words NEAT and FLAX do not appear in two different rows such that the rows they appear in are vertically adjacent to each other.
20. EBRO does not appear in the second row.
21. No column contains three words whose last letters are three consecutive letters of the alphabet.
22. FLAX appears in the second column.
23. LEWD is not in the same row as PEEL.
24. There are no W's in any word in the fourth column.
25. At least one column contains the same non-E vowel exactly four times.
26. No column contains two words such that the last two letters of one are the first two letters of another.
27. No two words which contain the letter W are horizontally adjacent.
28. The two words in the first and third columns of the bottom row are spelled using eight different letters.
29. The words EBRO and WACO appear in the same row.
30. At least one row contains two horizontally adjacent words such that the last two letters of one are the first two letters of another.
31. RITA does not appear in the second row.
32. RUDE does not appear in the fourth column.
33. WACO is not in the first row.
34. The two words which contain U's are found in the same column.
35. The second column contains exactly three E's.

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F	L	A	X	L	E	W	D	L	O	A	F	N	E	A	T
O	S	L	O	P	E	E	L	R	I	T	A	R	U	D	E
S	N	U	B	S	P	E	C	W	A	C	O	Z	E	S	T