



# Stella's

# November

# Bonus

From StarLight and me,  
your monthly printable supplement  
of coloring pages and activities!



 StarLight Magazine

# — NOVEMBER —

## Reading Habit Tracker

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

						1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	

Quote of the Month



# Watch Me Write

## "A Grateful Heart"

**Being thankful** is like saying, "I'm glad that happened," or "I'm happy I have this." When you're thankful, you notice the people, things, and moments that make you feel good inside.

**Think about** these things. A warm blanket, your favorite book, or people you love.

**Writing Prompt:** Write a story about a memory or hope where everything makes you feel good inside. Maybe you help someone, spend time with family, or experience something. For younger children use Watch Me Draw page.

### Outline Questions to Get Started:

Who is with you in your story?

---

---

---

Where does this take place?

---

---

---

What happens that makes you feel thankful?

---

---

---

How does your story end?

---

---

---

---

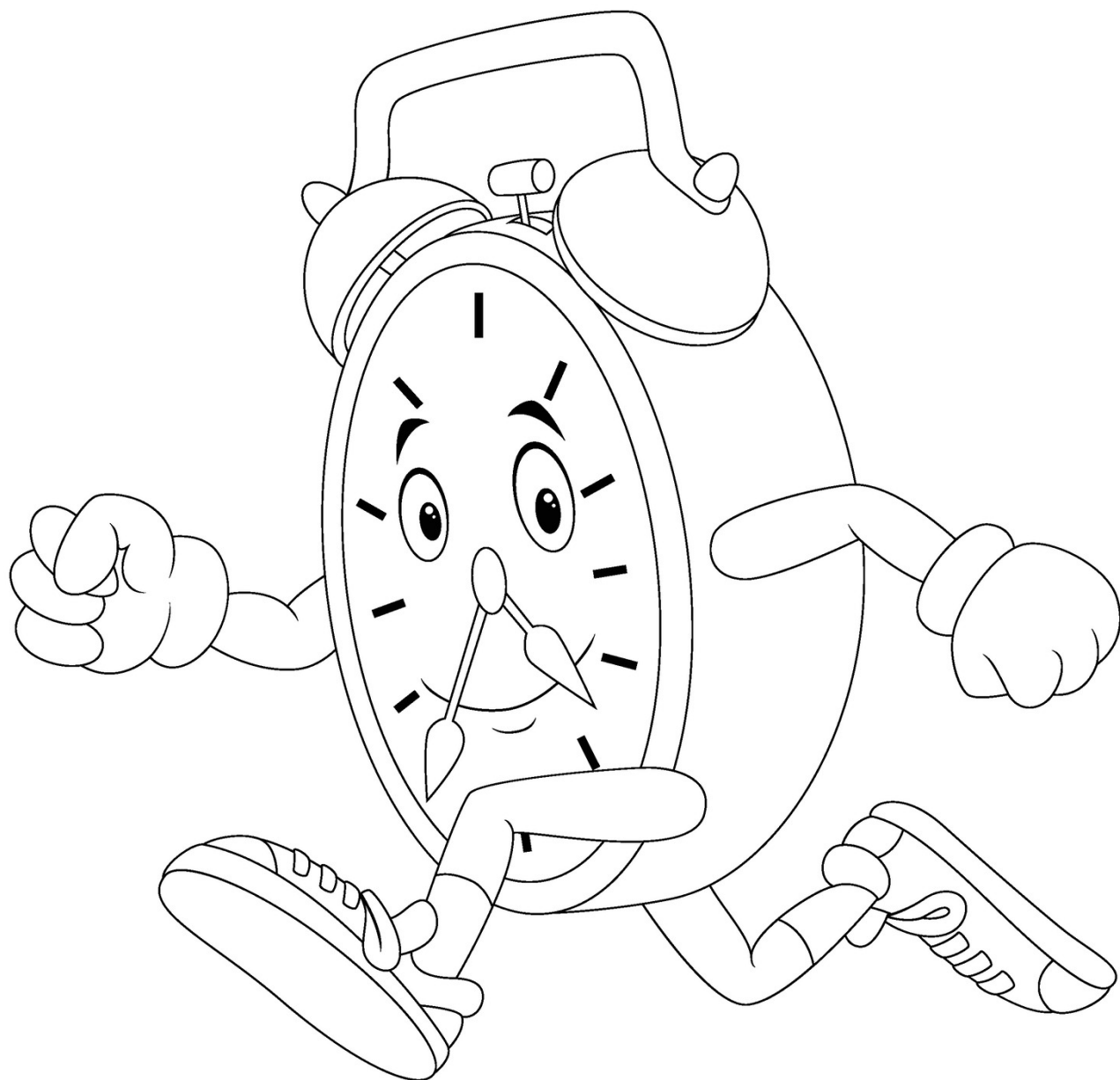
---



# Watch Me Draw

**"A Grateful Heart"**

# Clocks Fall Back November 2

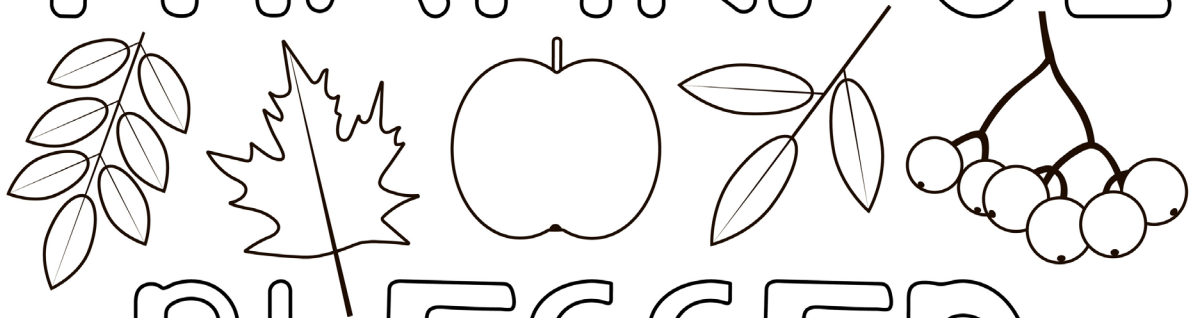


An extra  
hour of reading!

GRATEFUL



THANKFUL



BLESSED

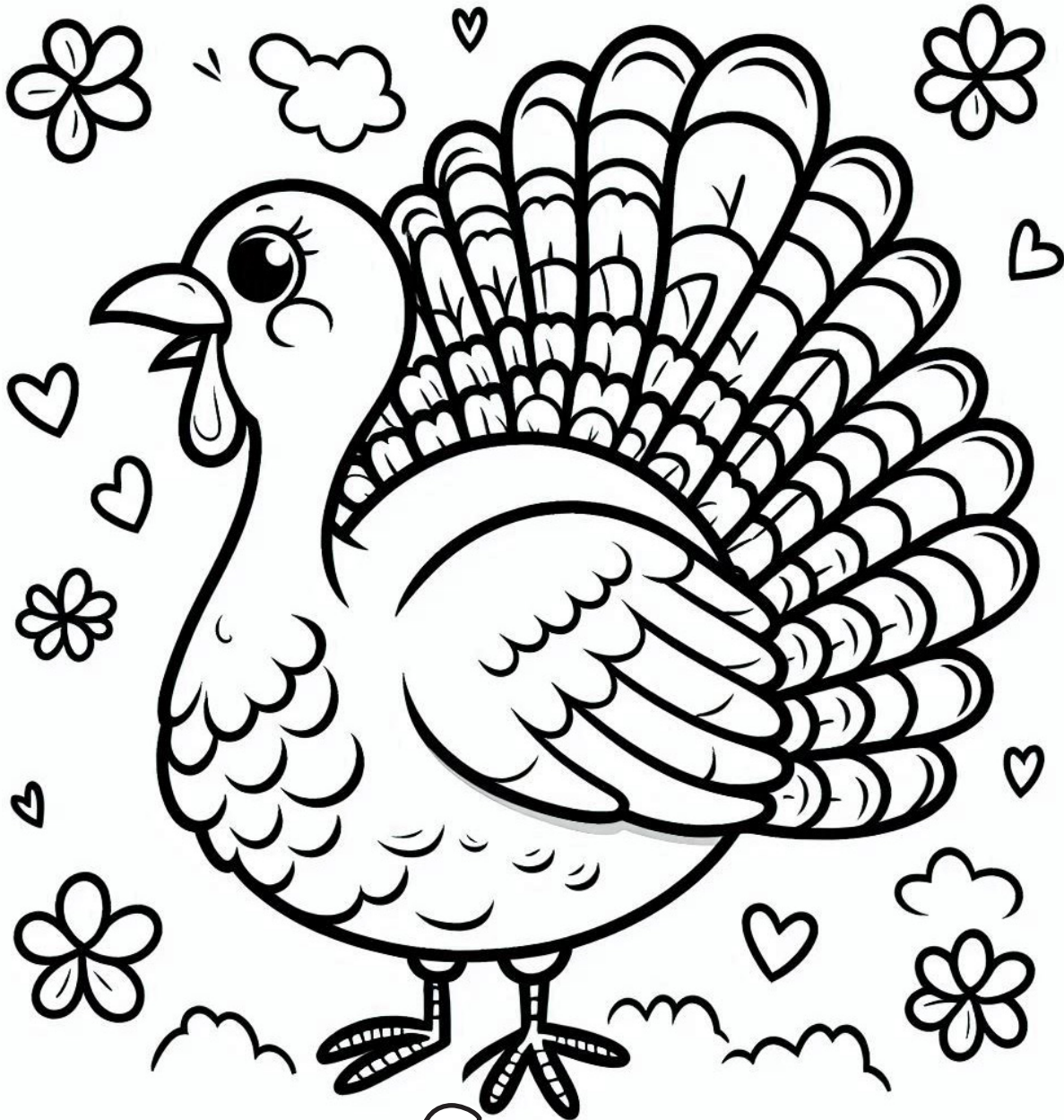




START  
TODAY  
WITH A  
GRATEFUL  
HEART

GIVE THANKS  
TO THE LORD,  
FOR HE IS  
GOOD!  
HIS FAITHFUL  
LOVE ENDURES  
FOREVER.

GRATEFUL



for

GOBBLERS!

# CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING



BETWEEN  
the pages



OF A book

IS A LOVELY

place to be

Reading is my



**SUPER  
POWER**

Reading is my



**SUPER  
POWER**

# CRACK THE CODE

## ..... Thanksgiving Day .....

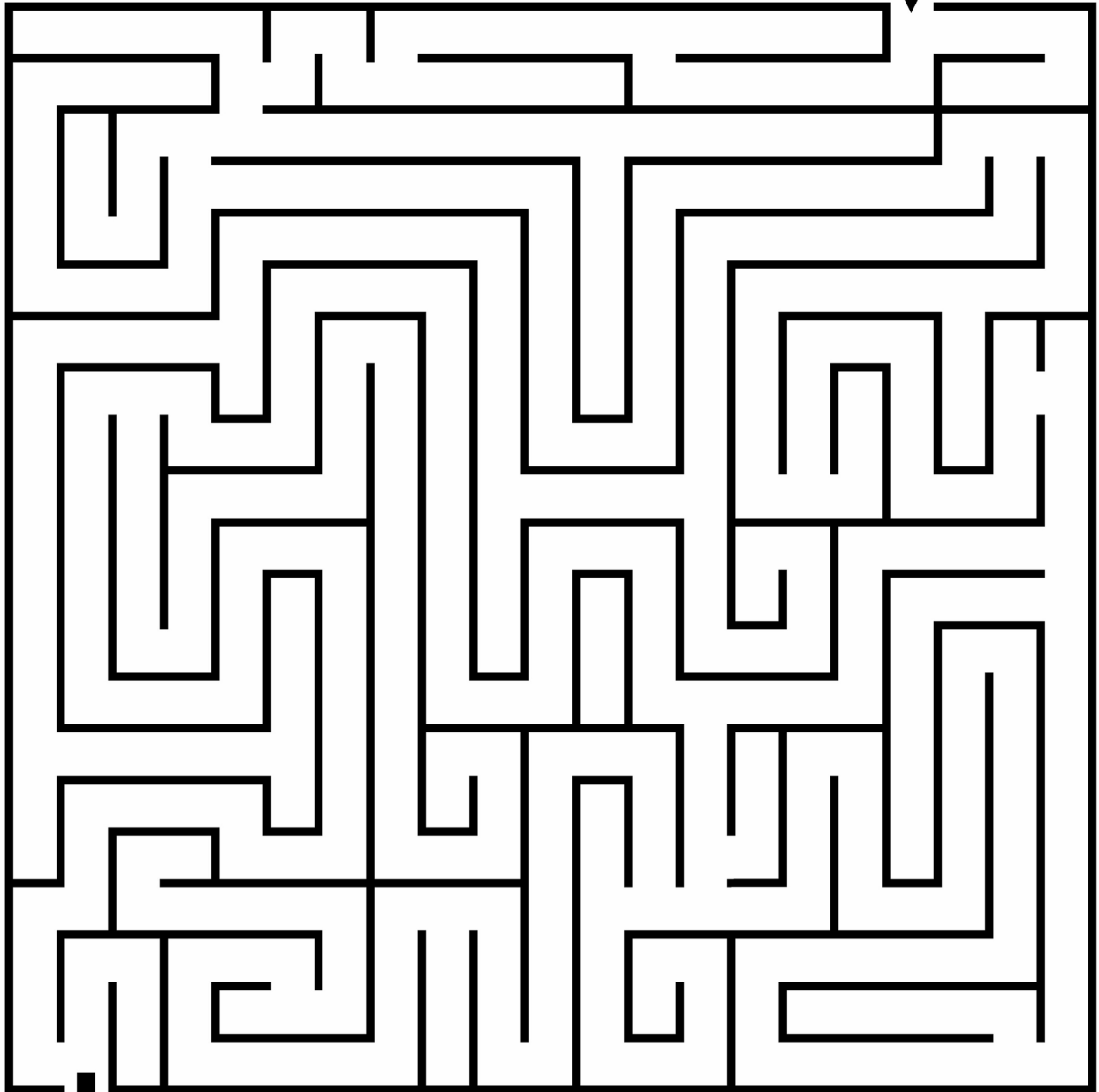
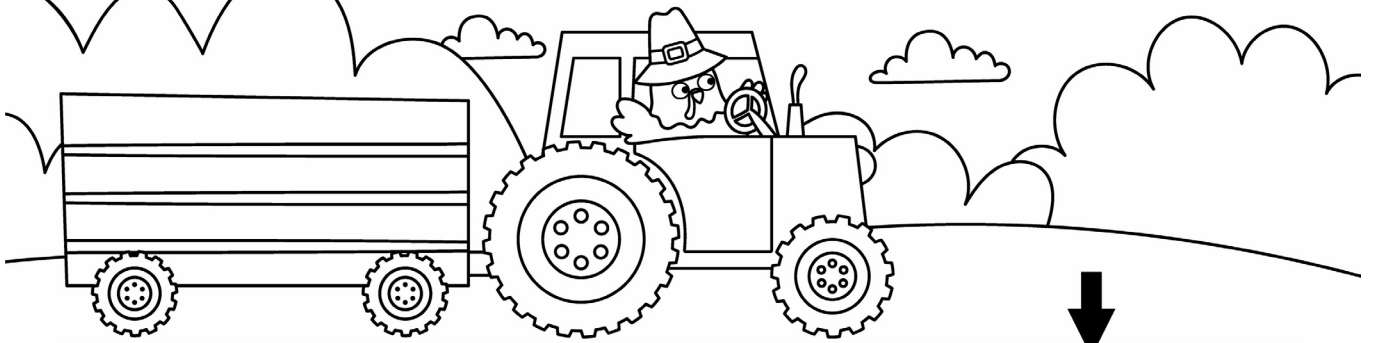
Crack the code to reveal more words.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	9	2	10	11	9	4	12
P	L	Y	M	O	U	T	H								
4	13	3	14	2	5	15	16	11	12	17	6	13	18	7	5
12	16	7	7	2	16	11	12	19	2	16	12	12	9	18	10
S	E	T	T	L	E	R	S								
13	6	7	6	4	18	20	5	11	18	6	20	5	1	9	13
18	5	21	16	4	19	16	11	7	8	6	11	12	22	13	3
7	11	13	22	9	7	9	5	18	12	14	13	4	9	2	3
4	16	13	2	21	5	2	6	18	7	16	16	11	9	18	10
1	6	4	1	23	9	18	20	11	13	18	19	16	11	11	3
20	5	11	18	1	5	7	13	7	5	4	13	1	2	16	
1	13	11	22	5	18	9	18	10	7	6	11	23	16	3	12





# HELP THE TURKEY GET TO THE FIELD



# Connect the Dots



PUMPKIN

# *How the Leaves Came Down*

by Susan Coolidge (1835-195)

"I'll tell you how the leaves came down,"  
The great Tree to his children said:  
"You're getting sleepy, Yellow and Brown,  
Yes, very sleepy, little Red.  
It is quite time to go to bed."

"Ah!" begged each silly, pouting leaf,  
"Let us a little longer stay;  
Dear Father Tree, behold our grief!  
'Tis such a very pleasant day  
We do not want to go away."

So, for just one more merry day  
To the great Tree the leaflets clung,  
Frolicked and danced and had their way,  
Upon the autumn breezes swung,  
Whispering all their sports among--

"Perhaps the great Tree will forget  
And let us stay until the spring,  
If we all beg, and coax, and fret."  
But the great Tree did no such thing;  
He smiled to hear their whispering.

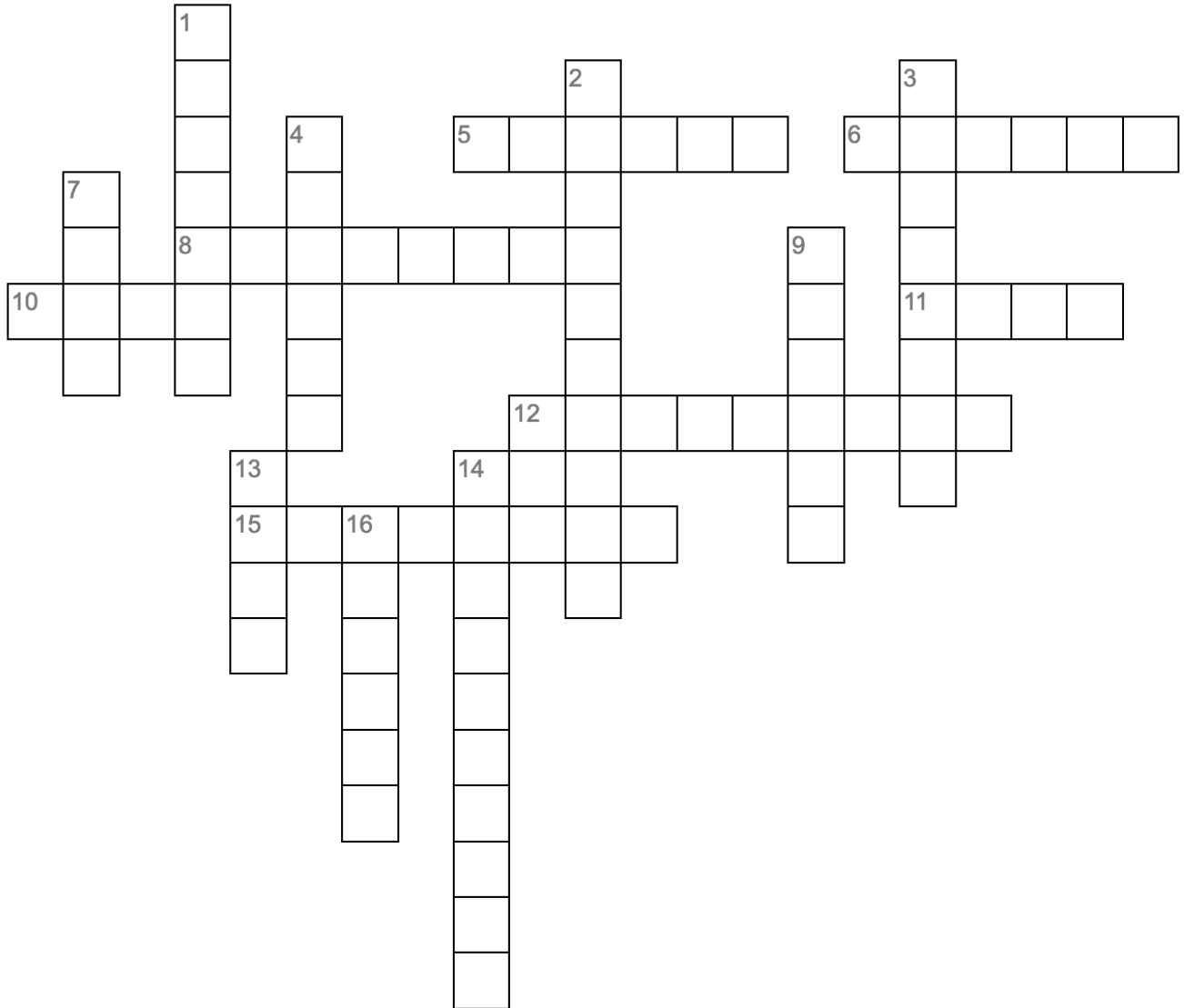
"Come, children, all to bed," he cried;  
And ere the leaves could urge their prayer,  
He shook his head, and far and wide,  
Fluttering and rustling everywhere,  
Down sped the leaflets through the air.

I saw them; on the ground they lay,  
Golden and red, a huddled swarm,  
Waiting till one from far away,  
White bedclothes heaped upon her arm,  
Should come to wrap them safe and warm.

The great bare Tree looked down and smiled.  
"Good-night, dear little leaves," he said;  
And from below each sleepy child  
Replied, "Good-night," and murmured,  
"It is so nice to go to bed."

# How the Leaves Came Down

## Crossword



# *How the Leaves Came Down*

## Crossword

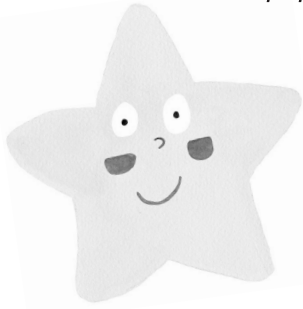
### Across

- 5 What the leaves asked the Tree to do when they were sad.
- 6 The season when leaves fall from the trees.
- 8 The small leaves clinging to the great Tree.
- 10 How the leaves felt when wrapped up warm in white bedclothes.
- 11 What the leaves did when they eagerly asked for one more day to play.
- 12 What the leaves did while playing in the autumn breeze.
- 15 The sound the leaves made as they moved against each other.

### Down

- 1 Leaves on the ground gathered close together.
- 2 What the leaves did quietly while playing in the breeze.
- 3 How the leaves softly said 'Good-night' to the Tree.
- 4 What the leaves tried to say to the Tree, hoping to stay longer.
- 7 What the leaves did when they tried to gently convince the Tree to let them stay longer.
- 9 What the leaves did as they spun and twirled in the air.
- 13 What the leaves did when they worried about going to bed.
- 14 How the leaves moved as they gently floated down.
- 16 How the leaves felt when the Tree told them it was time for bed.

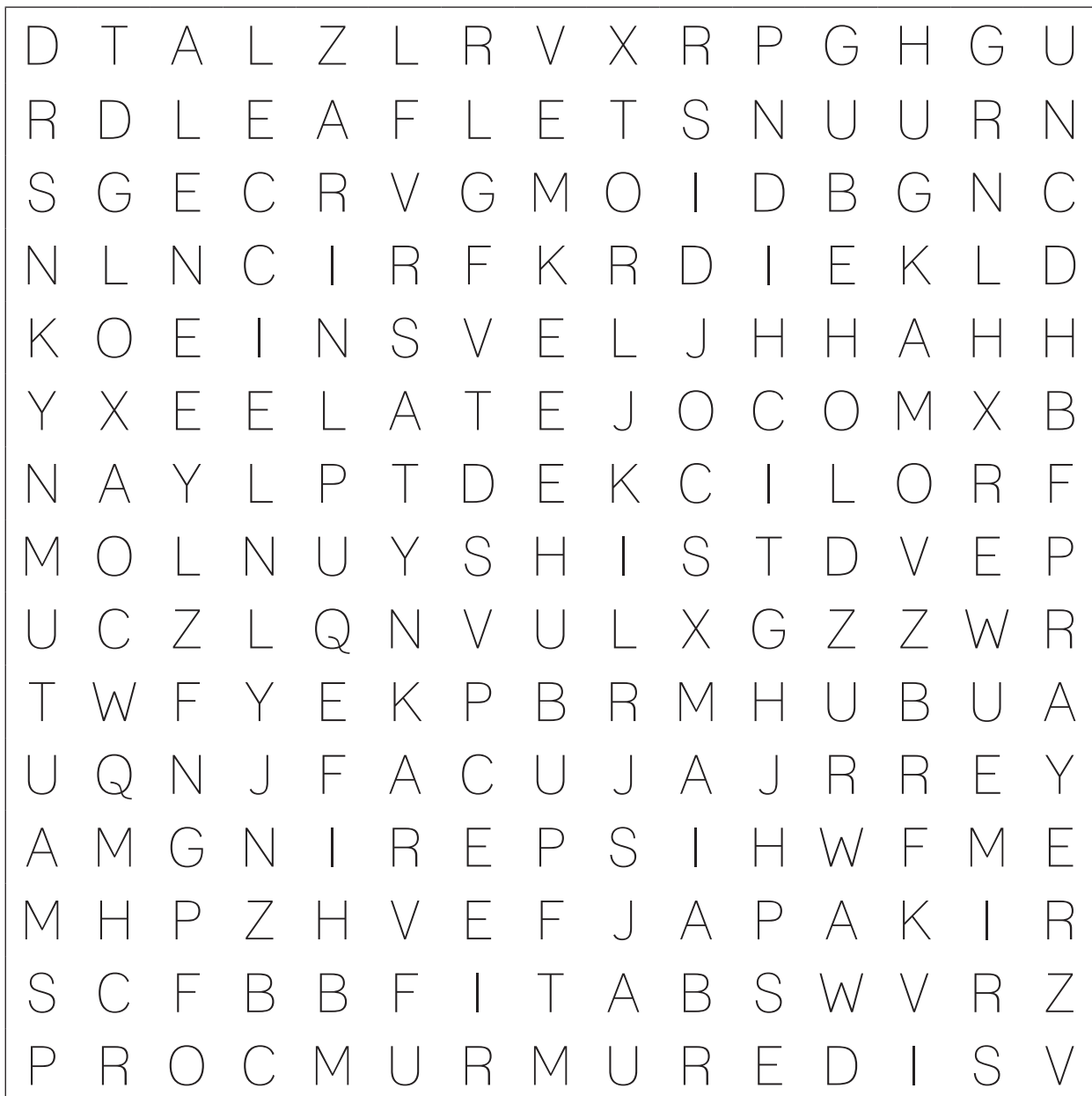
# How the Leaves Came Down



## Word Search #1

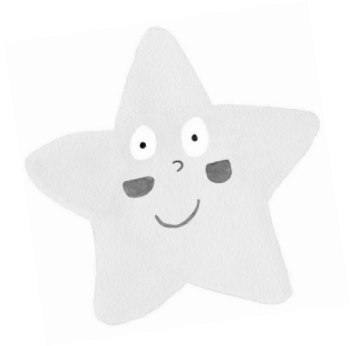
Words can be found in **any** direction and can share letters as they cross over each other.

- |                               |                                 |                                    |                                     |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> FRET | <input type="checkbox"/> PRAYER | <input type="checkbox"/> FROLICKED | <input type="checkbox"/> FLUTTERING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COAX | <input type="checkbox"/> SLEEPY | <input type="checkbox"/> HUDDLED   | <input type="checkbox"/> LEAFLETS   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> URGE | <input type="checkbox"/> BEHOLD | <input type="checkbox"/> AUTUMN    | <input type="checkbox"/> WHISPERING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SAFE | <input type="checkbox"/> DANCED | <input type="checkbox"/> RUSTLING  | <input type="checkbox"/> MURMURED   |



# How the Leaves Came Down

## Word Search #2



Words can be found in either left to right or top going down.

L E F T

D  
O  
W  
N

SAFE

TREE

BED

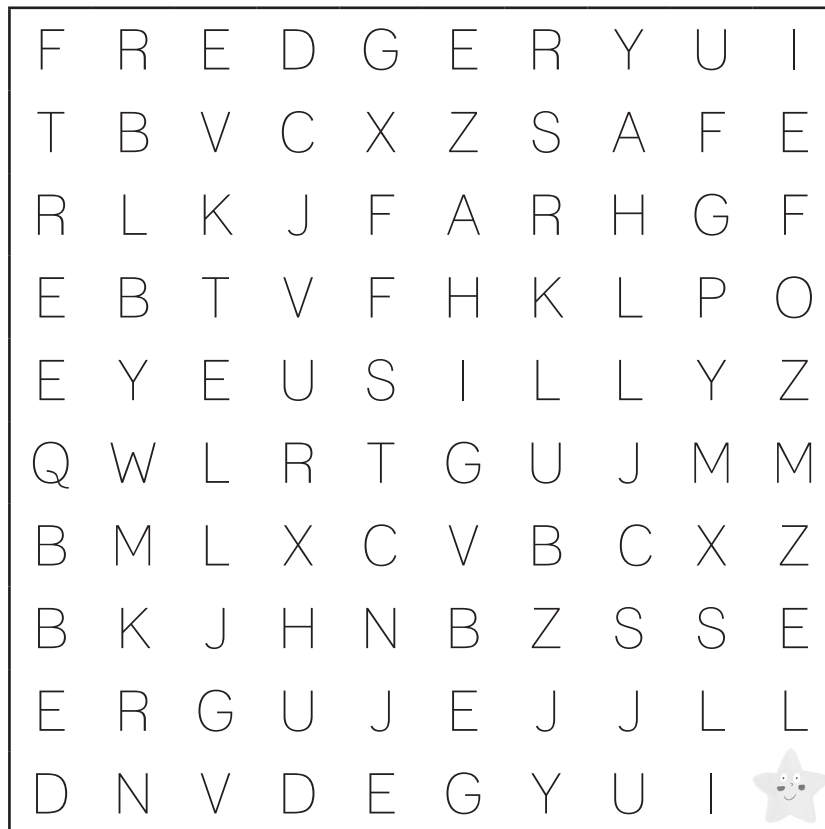
RED

FAR

TELL

SILLY

BEG



# RIDDLES



## RIDDLE 1

I have hands but cannot clap,  
I tell the time with a tick and a tap.  
I fall back an hour, in autumn each year,  
On your wall or a bookshelf in view so clear.

What am I?

---

## RIDDLE 2

I start off green, high in the sky,  
But when it's fall, I say goodbye.  
I flutter down without a sound,  
And make a blanket on the ground.

What am I?

---



# Puzzle Solutions

## CRACK THE CODE

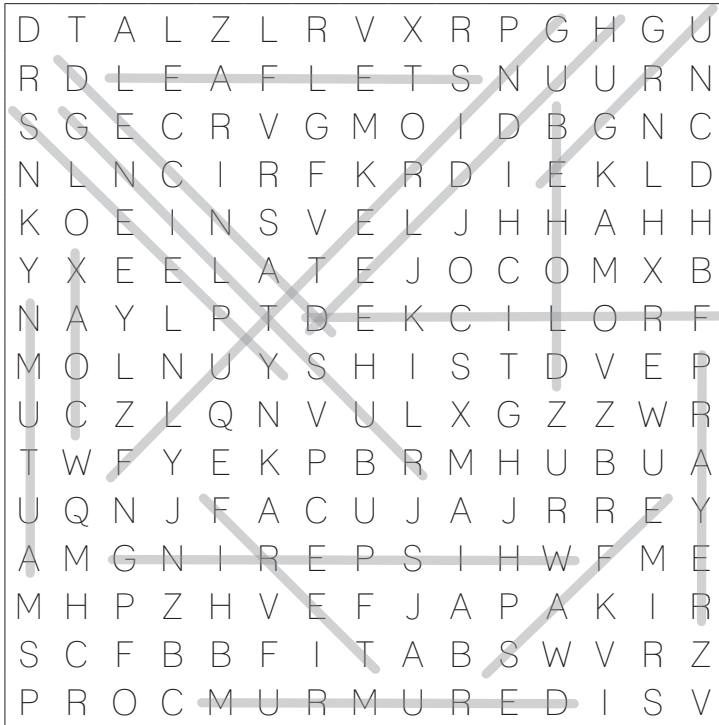
**ANSWER:** 1=P, 2=L, 3=Y, 4=M, 5=O, 6=U, 7=T, 8=H, 9=I, 10=G, 11=R, 12=S, 13=A, 14=F, 15=W, 16=E, 17=Q, 18=N, 19=B, 20=C, 21=V, 22=D, 23=K.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	9	2	10	11	9	4	12
P	L	Y	M	O	U	T	H	P	I	L	G	R	I	M	S
4	13	3	14	2	5	15	16	11	12	17	6	13	18	7	5
M	A	Y	F	L	O	W	E	R	S	Q	U	A	N	T	O
12	16	7	7	2	16	11	12	19	2	16	12	12	9	18	10
S	E	T	T	L	E	R	S	B	L	E	S	S	I	N	G
13	6	7	6	4	18	20	5	11	18	6	20	5	1	9	13
A	U	T	U	M	N	C	O	R	N	U	C	O	P	I	A
18	5	21	16	4	19	16	11	7	8	6	11	12	22	13	3
N	O	V	E	M	B	E	R	T	H	U	R	S	D	A	Y
7	11	13	22	9	7	9	5	18	12	14	13	4	9	2	3
T	R	A	D	I	T	I	O	N	S	F	A	M	I	L	Y
4	16	13	2	21	5	2	6	18	7	16	16	11	9	18	10
M	E	A	L	V	O	L	U	N	T	E	E	R	I	N	G
1	6	4	1	23	9	18	20	11	13	18	19	16	11	11	3
P	U	M	P	K	I	N	C	R	A	N	B	E	R	R	Y
20	5	11	18	1	5	7	13	7	5	4	13	1	2	16	
C	O	R	N	P	O	T	A	T	O	M	A	P	L	E	
1	13	11	22	5	18	9	18	10	7	6	11	23	16	3	12
P	A	R	D	O	N	I	N	G	T	U	R	K	E	Y	S

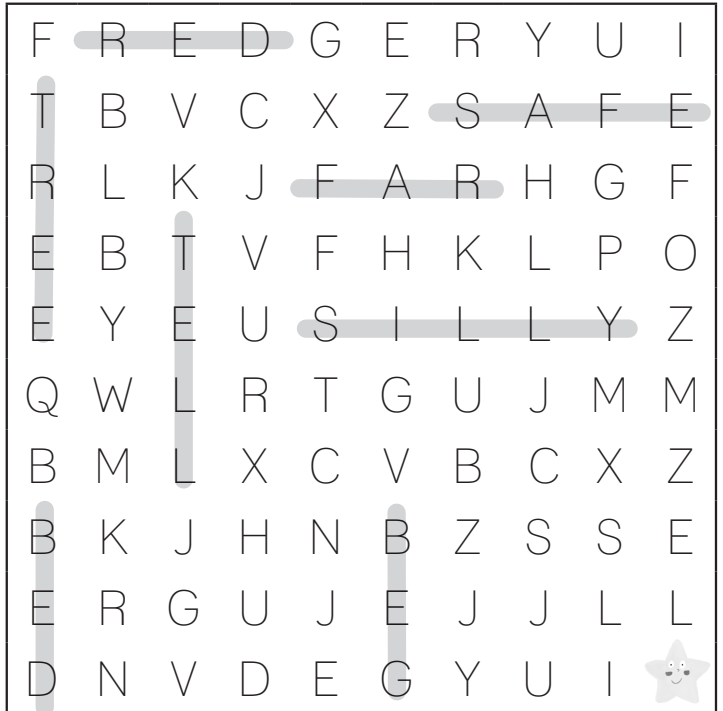


# Puzzle Solutions

Leaves Came Down Poem  
Word Search #1



Leaves Came Down Poem  
Word Search #2



**RIDDLE 1**

A clock

**RIDDLE 2**

A leaf