

What to do today

IMPORTANT! Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and with any weblinks or use of the Internet required.

1. Solving a crossword

Have you ever completed a crossword? Go to

http://www.whenwecrosswords.com/crossword_puzzles/kids_crosswords.jsp or, if you can't print at home, try <https://lovattspuzzles.com/kids/childrens-online-puzzles/>

- Select a crossword from the list and have a go.

2. Creating a crossword

Go to <http://puzzlemaker.discoveryeducation.com/CrissCrossSetupForm.asp> or http://www.printablecrosswordmaker.com/crossword_maker/crossword_maker.jsp and follow the instruction for making your own crossword.

- Look at the example on [My Puzzle](#).
- Chose a subject for your crossword that you know lots about – an animal you are really interested in or your favourite book, a TV character you know or the sport you like the most.

3. Palindromes

Read all about [Palindromes](#).

- Copy your favourites from the page or [More Palindromes](#) into the box.
- Be careful: one is NOT a palindrome. Can you spot it?
- Can you create your own palindromic word or phrase?

Now try this Fun-Time Extra

- Have a go at more of the crosswords from <https://lovattspuzzles.com/kids/childrens-online-puzzles/>

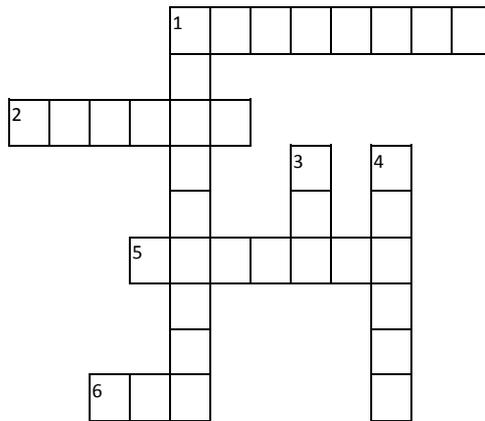
My Puzzle

This is the puzzle I made using

http://www.printablecrosswordmaker.com/crossword_maker/crossword_maker.jsp

Pets

Go slowly and carefully and you'll definitely succeed



Across

- 1 A pet that swims and lives in water in a bowl
- 2 Soft cuddly pet with silky ears
- 5 A small animal that likes to run in a wheel
- 6 Pet that needs lots of walks

Down

- 1 Smaller than a rabbit and larger than a hamster
- 3 Very clever pet that purrs
- 4 Clever bird that can learn to say words

Palindromes

Palindrome words and phrases spell themselves properly both ways round! You can read them as normal from left to right but you can also read them from right to left. Just ignore the gaps between the words and any capital letters.

mum

eye

pup

toot

radar

level

too hot to hoot

was it a rat I saw

do geese see god

More Palindromes

One is NOT a
palindrome!



gag

noon

a nut for a jar of tuna

pipe

was it a car or a cat I saw

never odd or even

Madam, in Eden, I'm Adam

Look at the palindrome words here and scroll down to see the phrases.

<https://kids.kiddle.co/Palindrome>

Write down your favourites in the box below. Can you think of any others?