

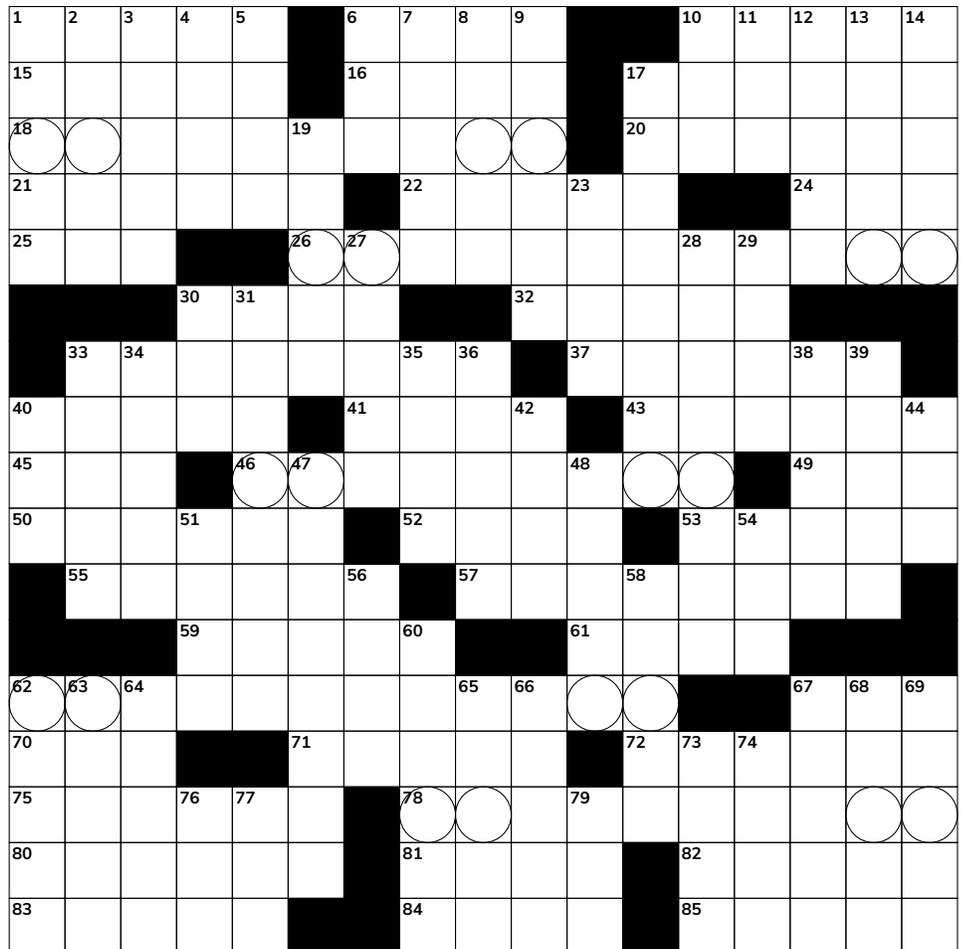


College-Bound

New adventures await!

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Transform
 - 6 "___ Lang Syne"
 - 10 Flat-topped hills
 - 15 Looped in
 - 16 Play the trumpet
 - 17 Sahara or Gobi
 - 18 Irish stage show that started as a Eurovision interval act
 - 20 "Eh, good enough"
 - 21 "Toodles!" in Topeka
 - 22 Cub Scout leader
 - 24 Clarabelle's call
 - 25 QVC alternative
 - 26 Collectible that once came with a stick of gum
 - 30 Lime juice, for example
 - 32 Movie theater drinks
 - 33 "Toodles!" in Tokyo
 - 37 ___-emotional learning
 - 40 "Hocus Pocus" locus
 - 41 Ceremonial fire
 - 43 Sage offering
 - 45 Hubbub
 - 46 1950s detective series known for its theme song
 - 49 "Well, well, well!"
 - 50 Like a December day in Denver
 - 52 It may be vital
 - 53 Spoil
 - 55 More other-worldly
 - 57 Spoil
 - 59 These: Sp.
 - 61 Gremlins
 - 62 Patriotic American song involving Italian pasta
 - 67 Prepare the courts at Wimbledon
 - 70 Annual video game competition, for short
 - 71 Parisian waterway
 - 72 Beverly Cleary heroine
 - 75 Tiny research subject
 - 78 Blended in advance, like some concrete
 - 80 Fragrant purple flowers
 - 81 Make an honest penny
 - 82 QB's protectors
 - 83 Went out?
 - 84 Ice-conjuring Disney queen
 - 85 Tournament rankings



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- DOWN**
- 1 Grassy wetland
 - 2 Boo-boos
 - 3 Poe's "ebony bird"
 - 4 Insects, to spiders
 - 5 King T'Challa, for one
 - 6 Org. that originated the slam dunk contest
 - 7 Forearm bones
 - 8 Philosopher John
 - 9 "Adorkable" people
 - 10 Became acquainted with
 - 11 Common night sch. class
 - 12 1965 march setting
 - 13 Hot stuff?
 - 14 Lost at musical chairs, maybe
 - 17 Lessen, as intensity
 - 19 Add to a recording, as sound effects
 - 23 Vientiane's land
 - 27 Turn white, like an Arctic hare
 - 28 Tying, as skates
 - 29 Multiple CBS procedurals
 - 30 "Yes, captain!"
 - 31 Include or contain
 - 33 Sink of "Stranger Things"
 - 34 With me, myself, and I
 - 35 Some marbled loaves
 - 36 Secret competitor?
 - 38 Spicy marinade
 - 39 Curtis's "Freaky Friday" co-star
 - 40 Woodworker's tool
 - 42 Breakfast brand since 1953
 - 44 Twitch channel administrator, e.g.
 - 47 Sight-reading exams?
 - 48 "___ next time"
 - 51 Long, hard journey
 - 54 They may be covert
 - 56 Got a Lyft
 - 58 Nail file material
 - 60 Swanky event
 - 62 TEXTS LIKE THIS
 - 63 To no ___
 - 64 Duke or duchess
 - 65 Shaquille with a doctorate in education
 - 66 Darling ones
 - 67 Plucky quality
 - 68 How a frightened person's hair might stand
 - 69 Doesn't dive in
 - 73 "Happy Phantom" singer Tori
 - 74 Chicago's Magnificent ___
 - 76 Cardi B genre
 - 77 One of five in "Hamlet"
 - 79 Something you get from mom-and-pop stores?