



## Tonversations with My Toddler

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“Word Explosion” is right!

### ACROSS

- 1 Pair of hand drums
- 6 Dress \_\_\_ (tailor’s convenience)
- 10 Outlaw
- 13 Email warning letters
- 17 More than 70% of Earth’s surface
- 19 Athletic shoe brand
- 20 Wasikowska or Fontaine role
- 21 Boo-boo
- 22 Question while searching for a perforation?
- 24 Gelatin substitute
- 25 Instagram feature
- 26 Mouse pad?
- 27 Storm clouds, perhaps
- 28 Child who’s in for a surprise?
- 31 Subject for Manet and van Gogh
- 33 Place to dock
- 34 Some woodwinds, casually
- 35 Diner order, with “the”
- 37 Indian city with three UNESCO World Heritage Sites
- 40 Website to check before buying a new gadget
- 41 “\_\_\_ Liaisons Dangereuses”

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- 42 NPR’s Gross reporting from baggage claim?
- 43 Possessed
- 44 “\_\_\_ Tide” (1965 Righteous Brothers song)
- 45 Cease and \_\_\_
- 46 Beer barrel attachment
- 47 Country singer Womack
- 48 2015 award for “Hamilton”
- 49 Wheedle
- 50 Some vintage cars
- 51 Tossed item at a fair
- 52 Drink for a certain sommelier
- 53 Lebanese salad: Var.
- 54 Potential hazard of having dessert on the sidelines?
- 55 Ivor tickler
- 56 Greek peak
- 57 Having many demands
- 58 Some off-road vehicles, for short
- 59 Rocker who sings with The Pharmacists
- 60 “The French Dispatch” director Anderson
- 61 Boy band with an A.R.M.Y. (Adorable Representative MC for Youth)
- 62 Her partner?
- 63 Wished, as a farewell

**ACROSS, CONT.**

- 81** Tom Hiddleston's Marvel role  
**84** Herbal  
 52-Across  
**87** Shell shaped like a human organ  
**89** Not actually factual, but close enough for a docuseries?  
**93** AOL rival  
**94** Actor Malek  
**95** Perfect place  
**96** Nickels and dimes  
**97** Add to the family  
**99** Of the eye  
**101** Expressed delight, as during a massage  
**103** How someone in the third trimester walks?  
**105** Disney channel  
**107** Hoop's home  
**110** Casual shirts  
**111** Groovy "gotcha"  
**112** Like an amphibian's terrarium decor, sadly?  
**115** Sicily sight

- 116** Journalist Lisa  
**117** U.A.E. part  
**118** Supported, with "up"  
**119** Three in an ellipsis  
**120** Part of a journey  
**121** Famed loch  
**122** Like some hair or breakups

**DOWN**

- 1** Ghost follower  
**2** Pain  
**3** "Don't you worry"  
**4** Barista's creative design  
**5** "Yeah, what's your point?"  
**6** Clotho, for one  
**7** Tandoor, e.g.  
**8** Narrow inlet  
**9** Von Trapp sister  
**10** Time past  
**11** Nobel Peace Prize winner Yasser  
**12** Foam projectile producer  
**13** Catchphrase of a bachelorette weekend, maybe

- 14** Works hard, as on a treadmill  
**15** Discontinued Pontiac  
**16** Fuses together  
**18** Coming up  
**20** Bothering, with "at"  
**23** "Just to clarify ..."  
**29** "Blackfish" subject  
**32** N.H.L. All-Star Kovalchuk  
**33** Dungeons & Dragons class  
**35** "SLC Punk" locale  
**36** Actress Ward  
**38** Worldwide  
**39** Drawback, with "the"  
**43** Diva  
**44** Step on it!  
**45** Helps fund  
**46** Black Panther Party co-founder Bobby  
**47** Runway verb  
**51** Menu item  
**55** Sang loud  
**57** Modern Celtic music pioneer

- 58** Easy thing to bruise  
**59** Senator Booker  
**60** Some Mattel dolls  
**61** Kimono sash  
**62** "\_\_\_ and shine!"  
**64** Dad follower  
**65** Church offering  
**66** Be in, for now  
**67** Mexican beer brand  
**68** Not so smart  
**69** Go by  
**74** Uncoupling  
**76** Sliding feature in some home  
**77** Wood fastener  
**78** Dates  
**80** African language group that includes Swahili  
**82** Head \_\_\_ heels  
**83** Josh  
**85** Crawl (along)  
**86** Feature of some work boots  
**88** Spanish word that means both "wives" and "handcuffs"

- 90** Object carved on by many Australian artists  
**91** Country singer McCann  
**92** Like some purchases  
**94** Band supporter at a concert  
**97** Tagged, as on social media  
**98** Because of  
**100** "Serial" subject Syed  
**102** "Underpants for \_\_\_" (children's phonics book)  
**104** Dough container?  
**105** Landing guesses, for short  
**106** Some meatball sandwiches  
**108** Boos  
**109** Swirl in a river  
**113** Mine find  
**114** Apt mantra for an electrician?