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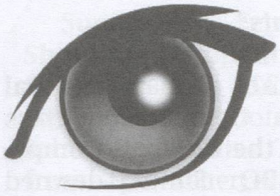


Eye-Opener

Why do we have two eyes?
If we had only one eye, everything would look flat, and it would be difficult to judge distances.

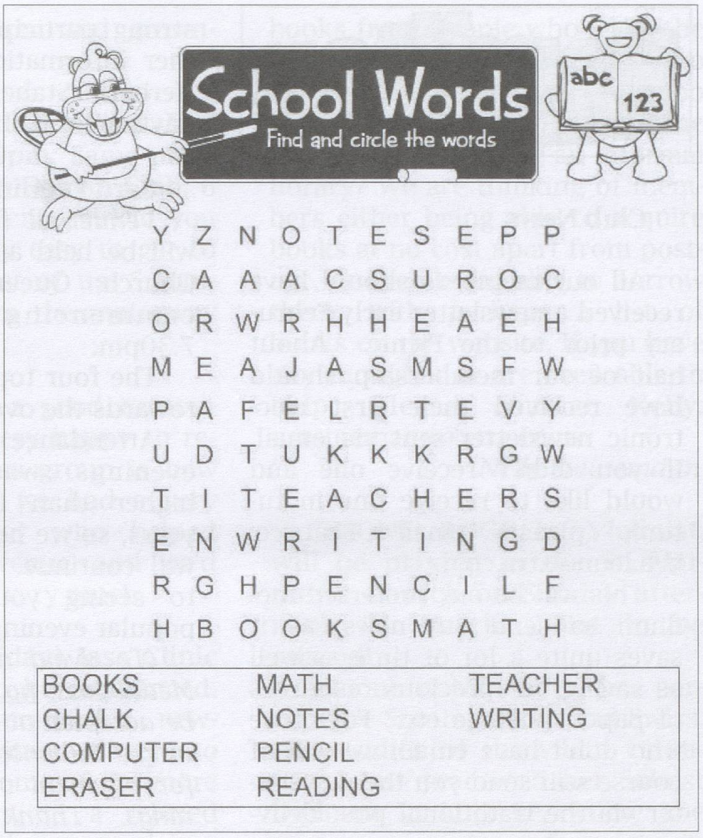
Why are our eyes in the front of our head?
The position of our eyes gives us three dimensional vision, as both our eyes see the same object at the same time, but from slightly different angles. Animals such as rabbits or horses have eyes in the sides of their heads so they can see farther around them at once, but not three dimensional.

Why do we have tears?
If we get something in our eyes, our tear glands, which are under our eyelids, release water to try and wash it away. These drops of water are tears. But nobody knows why we cry when we are sad.

What are eyelids for?
Eyelids act like curtains to keep out too much light.They also act like windscreen wipers to wipe away tears or dirt. We blink about 900 times an hour.

Why do we have eyebrows?
Eyebrows act like little gutters, diverting water or sweat from our eyes. Eyebrows are also useful when "reading" other people's moods.

Why do cats' eyes glow in the dark?
At the back of a cat's eye there is a shiny layer, called tapetum. This layer reflects even very dim light back out of the pupil.



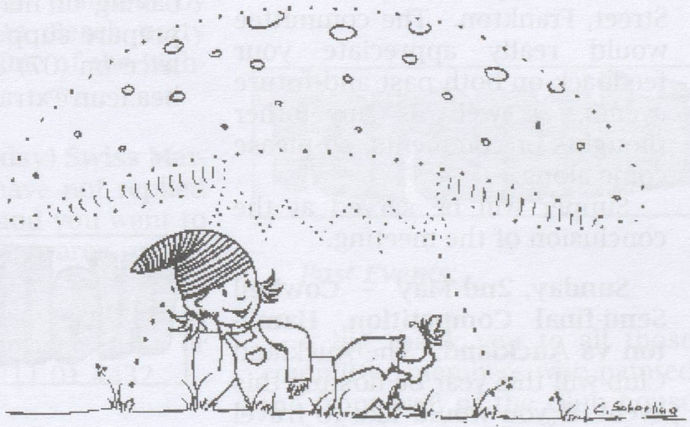
Jokes

What is the opposite of the Easter bunny?
The Wester bunny.

Why did the horse not draw the cart?
He could not hold the pencil.

What did the horse say after it finished its hay?
That was the last straw.

What is long and thin and goes "Hith, hith"?
A snake with a lisp.



Join the dots and find out where the fairy girl has made herself comfortable.