



## PUZZLE ME

# Brain Twisters

How did a clever mouse steal the king's treasure? How did the sheriff recognize the good guys among the outlaws? Why are some numbers triangular and others square? Find the answer to these puzzles and more in *Puzzle Me: Brain Twisters!*

### What did you learn?

#### QUESTIONS

- In "The Mysterious Tunnel," two trains entered the tunnel at ...
  - 7:00
  - 8:00
  - 9:00
  - 10:00
- "The Hungry Vikings" were preparing to sail from Norway to ...
  - England
  - Ireland
  - Greenland
  - Iceland
- Mrs. Wuggins, from "How Much Did It Cost?" bought ...
  - An old purse and a hand-made welcome mat
  - An old lamp and a hand-made rug
  - An old sock and a hand-made shoe
  - An old car and a hand-made carpet
- In "The Dull Movie," so much of the audience left, that there were only ...
  - 25 remaining
  - 20 remaining
  - 15 remaining
  - None remaining
- What museum did Professor Pippen visit?
- The old wizard of Wallapoo got locked in what room?

#### TRUE OR FALSE?

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| _____ 1. In "The Prisoner," Pietro thought of a way to escape through the window by digging a hole in the floor. | _____ 4. In "The Outlaws and the Marshals," Sheriff Dalton knew that the marshals would always tell the truth. |
| _____ 2. In "The Museum," Professor Priscilla Pippen was an art teacher at a college.                            | _____ 5. In "Kliggs, Klaggs, and Kluggs," the blue shapes were kluggs.   |
| _____ 3. In "The Mouse King's Treasure," a rascally mouse by the name of Bucky managed to steal the key.         | _____ 6. The numbers 3, 6, and 10 are sometimes called triangular numbers.                                     |



## ANSWERS

- 1. b. 8:00.** According to section "The Mysterious Tunnel" on page 4, we know that "Each train entered the tunnel at exactly eight o'clock." So, the correct answer is B.
- 2. d. Iceland.** According to section "The Hungry Vikings" on page 14, we know that "They would sail from Norway to Iceland, to make new homes." So, the correct answer is D.
- 3. b. An old lamp and a hand-made rug.** According to section "How Much Did It Cost?" on page 25, we know that "She bought an old lamp and a hand-made rug." So, the correct answer is B.
- 4. a. 25 remaining.** According to section "The Dull Movie" on page 27, we know that "Only 25 people were in their seats when the movie ended." So, the correct answer is A.
- 5.** According to page 11, Professor Pippin visited the Museum of Natural History.
- 6.** According to page 7, the old wizard of Wallapoo got locked in the bathroom.

## TRUE OR FALSE? ANSWERS

- 1. True.** According to section "The Prisoner" on page 8, we know that "He had thought of a way to escape through the window by digging a hole in the floor." So, the correct answer is True.
- 2. False.** According to section "The Museum" on page 11, we know that "Professor Priscilla Phippen was a history teacher at a college." So, the correct answer is False.
- 3. False.** According to section "The Mouse King's Treasure" on page 18, we know that "But, one night, a rascally mouse by the name of Cheeky managed to steal the key!" So, the correct answer is False.
- 4. True.** According to section "The Outlaws and the Marshals" on page 21, we know that "Sheriff Dalton knew that the marshals would always tell the truth." So, the correct answer is True.
- 5. False.** According to section "Kliggs, Klaggs, and Kluggs" on page 23, we know that "Let's call this shape a 'klugg.'" So, the correct answer is False.
- 6. True.** According to section "A Square Triangle" on page 26, we know that "The numbers 3, 6, and 10 are sometimes called triangular numbers." So, the correct answer is True.