

Mr. Putter and Tabby
Row the Boat
 by Cynthia Rylant
Vocabulary Word Search

Find the words.

s a l a d f n y d r p w k i y
 a s w o o p e d q e m d o j h
 n u c c n e i a h m u w g r b
 d n o p j b g h e m l r n i l
 w d r r u a h s s u c c e s s
 i e x e o s b k r s c k g q w
 c q l h l e o i e u k s v w n
 h m m t b m r w b f j e e l h
 e l b a r e s i m i t o b i p
 s j t e i n w i u r g e z b q
 g h d w w t e d c m m m a y f
 e g k x d f a u u j t c q w i
 p h x k s l t u c u v o p g u
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 v y z f q x d l y x h e a w e

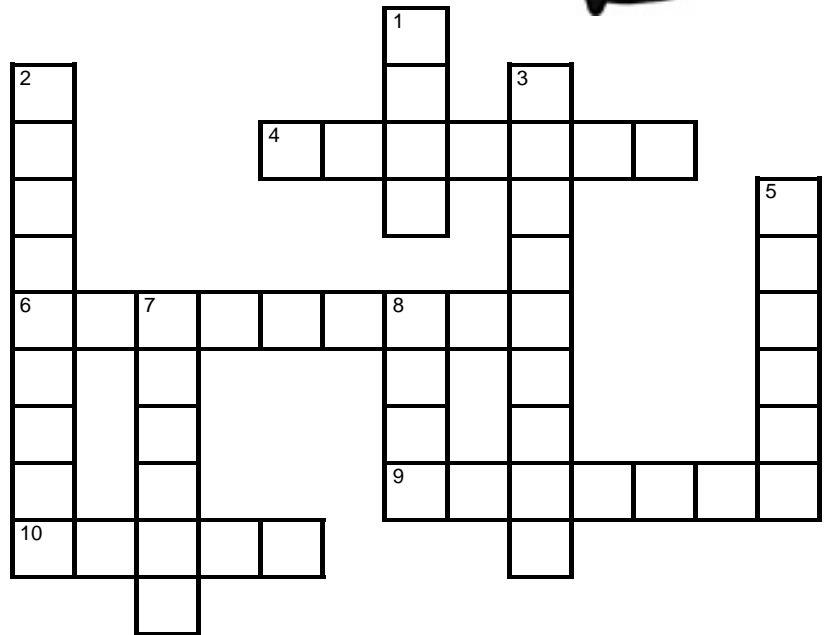
basement	kiwi	pond	shady	sweated
clump	miserable	salad	success	swooped
cucumbers	neighbors	sandwiches	summer	weather

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Crossword Puzzle



Complete the puzzle.

Word Bank
summer
cucumbers
miserable
rowboat
bowl
wonderful
steal
batted
laughed
kiwi



Across

- 4. They rented a _____ and looked for a good shady place.
- 6. Mr. Putter and Tabby were _____.
- 9. Mr. Putter and Mrs. Teaberry _____ at each other's stories.
- 10. The blue jay kept trying to _____ the fake red grapes on Mrs. Teaberry's hat.

Down

- 1. Mrs. Teaberry made a _____ salad.
- 2. Mrs. Teaberry and Zeke were as cool as _____.
- 3. Mrs. Teaberry thought a trip to the pond was a _____ idea.
- 5. Tabby _____ a water bug on the pond.
- 7. It was _____ and the weather was very hot.
- 8. Mrs. Teaberry dumped a _____ of water on Zeke's head.

Name _____ Date _____

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Vocabulary Word Unscramble

Unscramble the words, using the text boxes to help you.

exciting	basement	twitched	forgot	swooped
polish	rowboats	laughing	spotted	tomato
covered	weather	reached	miserable	kitchen

1. ttmooa _____
2. ahedecr _____
3. vceored _____
4. togofr _____
5. lopshi _____
6. ebtsanem _____
7. psdeowo _____
8. brsiaeelm _____
9. unlggiha _____
10. rtwehae _____
11. inigcext _____
12. rswoboat _____
13. hnticke _____
14. dptesot _____
15. tdewchti _____

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Comprehension

Read each of the following and answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. Why did Mr. Putter decide to go to the pond? _____

2. How did Mr. Putter know that Mrs. Teaberry and Zeke were sweaty too? _____

3. What did Mrs. Teaberry make for them to eat and drink while they were at the pond? _____

4. What did Mrs. Teaberry do to make the bird go away? ____

5. Why did Mr. Putter and Mrs. Teaberry think renting the rowboat was a deal? _____

6. What did Mrs. Teaberry do with the three hundred dollars she once won? _____

7. Do you think the trip to the pond was a success? Why or why not? _____

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Alphabetical Order

Write the words in the text boxes in alphabetical order.

A.

forgot covered miserable basement

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

B.

swooped laughing spotted kitchen

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

C.

polish rowboats weather reached

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

D.

tomato exciting twitched kiwi

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

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Answers

Reading Level 2.7

Page 1: Answers not needed

Page 2: Across: 4. rowboat, 6. miserable, 9. laughed, 10. steal.
Down: 1. kiwi, 2. cucumbers, 3. wonderful, 5. batted,
7. summer, 8. bowl.

Page 3:

1.	tomato	9.	laughing
2.	reached	10.	weather
3.	covered	11.	exciting
4.	forgot	12.	rowboats
5.	polish	13.	kitchen
6.	basement	14.	spotted
7.	swooped	15.	twitched
8.	miserable		

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1. It was a hot summer day and they needed to find a cool place.
2. He saw Mrs. Teaberry pour a bowl of water on Zeke's head.
3. Mrs. Teaberry made tomato sandwiches, a kiwi Salad, and apple tea.
4. She gave the blue jay some kiwi salad.
5. They could rent a rowboat for two hours for \$2.00.
6. She spent it on nail polish.
7. They were able to cool off while they were on the pond and enjoyed spending time together.

Page 5:

A.

1. basement
2. covered
3. forgot
4. miserable

C.

1. polish
2. reached
3. rowboats
4. weather

B.

1. kitchen
2. laughing
3. spotted
4. surprise

D.

1. exciting
2. kiwi
3. tomato
4. twitched