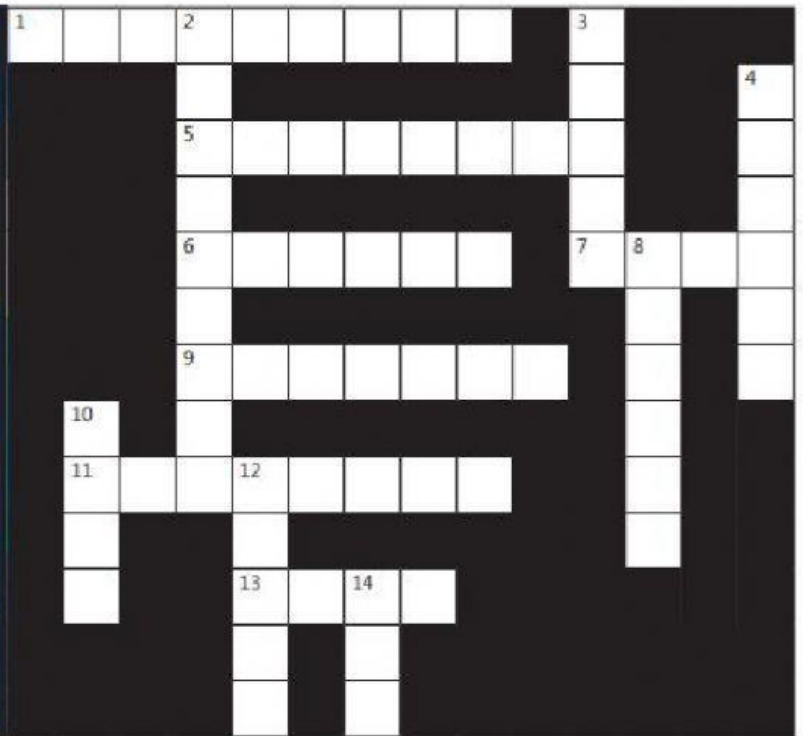


A. Vocabulary

1. CROSSWORD: The flight vocabulary



| Across | Down |
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| 1. Planes sometimes fall into it. | 2. A person travelling on a plane. |
| 5. It lands on water. | 3. A Concorde flies 5 times up the of sound. |
| 6. A space shuttle has a strong one. | 4. A journey in the air |
| 7. This force pulls the plane backward. | 8. It travels to the moon. |
| 9. This force pulls the plane down. | 10. A helicopter can anywhere. |
| 11. The Wright brothers invented it. | 12. The person who controls a plane. |
| 13. This force pushes the plane upward. | 14. Birds have got wings, so they can |

2. Divide the following words into two groups: "PARTS OF THE PLANE" and "FORCES OF FLIGHT".

drag, tail, rudder, fuselage, landing gear, wings, engine, gravity, thrust, cockpit, lift

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| Parts of the plane | |
| Forces of flight | |

3. Use the following words to complete the text:

took off, airhostess, air pocket, cockpit, landed,
forces, pilot, fuselage, wings, tail, landing gear



The ¹..... of the plane welcomed the passengers on board. The ²..... asked them to fasten their seat belts and switch off their mobiles. When everything was ok, the plane ³..... It was a wonderful trip, the weather was fine and the plane didn't fall into a(n) ⁴..... Maria was sitting near the window and could admire the view from above. She remembered what she had learnt at school about the four ⁵..... of flight and she also tried to recognize some parts of the plane. The body of the plane is called the ⁶..... and the wheels of the plane are the ⁷..... Maria could see the ⁸..... from the window. The shape of the wings helps the plane travel fast and high. She could not see its ⁹..... which is at the back part of the plane. After 4 hours the plane ¹⁰..... at Heathrow airport in London. Maria asked the airhostess if she could visit the pilot who was in the ¹¹..... of the plane. The pilot showed her some of the instruments that make the plane fly and land. Maria was very happy about this exciting experience!!