

Compression Work Sheet: 07-IP-01-WS



1. Create your puzzle based on the poem "Three Blind Mice". Make sure your arrows always point to an earlier part of the text. Your poem should be able to be decoded from left to right and from top to bottom in the same way we read.



2. Challenge yourself more.

Pretend you are a computer trying to fit as much into your disk as possible. Cross out all the groups of two or more letters that have already occurred. These are no longer needed as they could be replaced by a pointer. Your goal is to get as many letters crossed out as possible.

I know an old lady who swallowed a bird How absurd! She swallowed a bird! She swallowed the bird to catch the spider That wriggled and jiggled and tickled inside her She swallowed the spider to catch the fly I don't know why she swallowed a fly Perhaps she'll die...

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