AP CS Puzzles (3 of 4)

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Answers to the AP CS Puzzles from the

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The answers to each set of clues can be linked in such a way so that the last letter of one word is the first of the next word. These link letters spell the name of a color with one

 letter missing. The lost letters appropriately spell RAINBOW.

 RED
 WHINENGLANDREAM (OREAM, ENGLAND, WHINE)

 ORANGE
 LIMBOTHERESINAMINGRAZELEVATOR (ELEVATOR, GRAZE, LIMBO, NAMING,

MAGLEVIRGOFFICIALANGUAGELEPHANTRANSPORTER (ELEPHANT,

LANGUAGE, MAGLEV, OFFICIAL, TRANSPORTER, VIRGO) SWINGOVERNORIBOSOMELEGANCENERGY (ELEGANCE, ENERGY,

WINDMILLUAURSINEAGLE (EAGLE, LUAU, URSINE, WINDMILL)

Binary Search Each image is somehow related to the number two: BIG BUSINESS (movie with 2 pairs of twins)

The pairs of binary numbers are ASCII values for characters:

Find the letter between those characters in each answer:

OCTOPINDUCTIONOMADAIQUIRICINGELATIN (DAIQURI, GELATIN, ICING,

OTHER, RESIN)

GOVERNOR, RIBOSOME, SWING)

INDUCTION, NOMAD, OCTOPI) YELLOW BIOLOGYARMULKENAMELIBELIBRETTOCTAGON (BIOLOGY, ENAMEL, LIBEL, LIBRETTO, OCTAGON, YARMULKE)

VIOLET

GREEN

BLUE

INDIGO

CYMBALS (a pair) DUEL PARALLEL BARS (two of them) SECOND BASE TWO-FACE

SECOND_BASE TWO-FACE

PARALLEL BARS BIG BUSINESS

The in-between letters spell DOUBLE.

N space W -D E M A A L N S

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These puzzles were part of a set presented at the Advanced Placement Computer Science A grading session in Kansas City, MO in June 2023. Each puzzle leads to a one-word answer whose length is given in parentheses following the title. Save your answers from this month's puzzles to use in a later edition of *Inroads*.

Recursion (4)

Where have I heard that before?

* *, HERE _ GO AGA_N _Y, _Y, HOW CAN _ RES_ST YOU? * *, DOES _T SHOW AGA_N _Y _Y, JUST HOW _UCH _'VE __SSED YOU?

M_STER *, S_R, H_VE _ W_SH OR TWO OR THREE _'M ON THE JOB, YOU B_G N_BOB YOU __N'T NEVER H___ FR_EN___KE...ME!

SW_TCH_NG UP THE FLOW AS WE ADD THE PREF___ EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT WE USED TO BE * W_VES

L_T US B_ GRAT_FUL L_T US R_JO___FY THAT GOO_N_SS _OUL_ SUB_U_ TH_ * WOR__NGS OF YOU-KNOW-WHO

BU_ WHO _S _H_S S_N_ *? WHY _LL _H_S HOWL_NG, HYS_ER_C_L SORROW? WH__ K_ND OF GODDESS H_S L_ED _MONG US? * * *, W_'__ B___ W_Y TOO OUT OF TOUC_ T_I_GS ___ B__ CR_ZY ___ IT _UCK_ T__T W__O_'T T_LK TH_T MUC_ __LC__ T_ TH_ _CK I_ _U * * *, __U'LL P_B_BL_ UND_ST_ND _B_UT H_L_ __ H_T __ S_. _Y __E _S __EX_DER *. __D __ERE'S ____O ___GS ___VE_'_ DO_E. * * * A_D __R_UG_ ___ R___ ____R_ _ AM _____R_ _ AM _____R_ _ M_ _____GRA_DM____R'_ _U__-

____S A GRAD_A_E OF _____ARD! HE _AN HE_P WE FO_ND H_M ON YE_P OUR _RO___ES A___ENDED ON _HE DAY _HA__WE _EFR_ENDED H_M EVERY WORD _S _HE _R_H

Object Orientation (4) Possible in-class movie: Inherit The Wind

Arrange each set of four 2x2 blocks into the grid below them to spell eight different common four-letter words reading across and down. Some blocks need to be rotated; letters should always be oriented right-side-up. For example, if

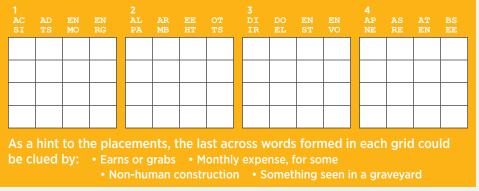
ΑB

CD

is rotated one turn clockwise, the letters would be:

- CA
- D B

/hen you've finished, look at the upper-left corners for your answer



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DUEL CYMBALS