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Word Scramble

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17. TENECETMXI _____

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19. ABSRDORCSAET _____

20. CFNETOIT _____



Would You Rather



Circle one answer for each “would you rather” question based on your personal preferences.

Jump in a pile of pinecones	or	Get chased by a wild turkey
Eat three pounds of corn	or	Eat one pound of cranberry sauce
Eat sweet potatoes	or	Eat white potatoes
Go pumpkin picking	or	Go apple picking
Wear flannel	or	Wear corduroy
Eat a slice of pumpkin pie	or	Eat a slice of apple pie
Cook dinner for 8 hours	or	Skip dinner completely
Shop on Black Friday	or	Stay home and shop online
Eat Thanksgiving dinner at 12:00 PM	or	Eat Thanksgiving dinner at 9:00 PM
Be in the famous Thanksgiving's day parade	or	Get an extra day off from school
Eat a raw yellow onion	or	Eat a raw potato
Watch football	or	Watch A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving
Eat your entire meal with no gravy	or	Eat pie with no utensils
Have a traditional turkey dinner	or	Have a vegetarian meal
Skip the stuffing with your meal	or	Skip the bread and butter with your meal
Wear a turkey suit all day on Thanksgiving	or	Run a Thanksgiving 5K race (3.1 miles)
Take a nap	or	Watch a marathon on Netflix
Host or attend a Friendsgiving	or	Go off the grid for a week
Eat a whole pecan pie	or	Eat a whole chocolate cake
Drink pumpkin spice lattes	or	Drink hot apple cider
Go on a nature hike	or	Get lost in a corn maze
Play flag football with friends	or	Go camping for the weekend
Bake apple cider donuts	or	Bake salted caramel cookies
Have a picnic in a park, near the fall leaves	or	Host a bonfire party at night
Eat pumpkin seeds	or	Eat creamy yam soup
Carve a pumpkin	or	Paint a pumpkin
Wear pajamas on Thanksgiving	or	Dress formally on Thanksgiving
Stick your head in a bowl of gravy	or	Stick your head in a bowl of melted butter

Thanksgiving Word Search

Y	R	R	E	B	N	A	R	C	P	E	C	R	O	A
E	T	N	R	O	C	A	H	Y	B	U	T	T	E	R
L	A	R	P	E	Z	I	A	M	O	N	S	A	P	D
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GRATITUDE
AUTUMN
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PUMPKIN
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LEAVES

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APPLES
CRANBERRY
BREAD
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SCARECROW
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FEAST
SQUASH
DINNER
HARVEST

PECAN
PUDDING
POTATOES
BOUNTY
FRUIT
ACORN
CIDER



Thanksgiving A to Z

Directions: Write down a word related to Thanksgiving that begins with each letter of the alphabet.

A

B

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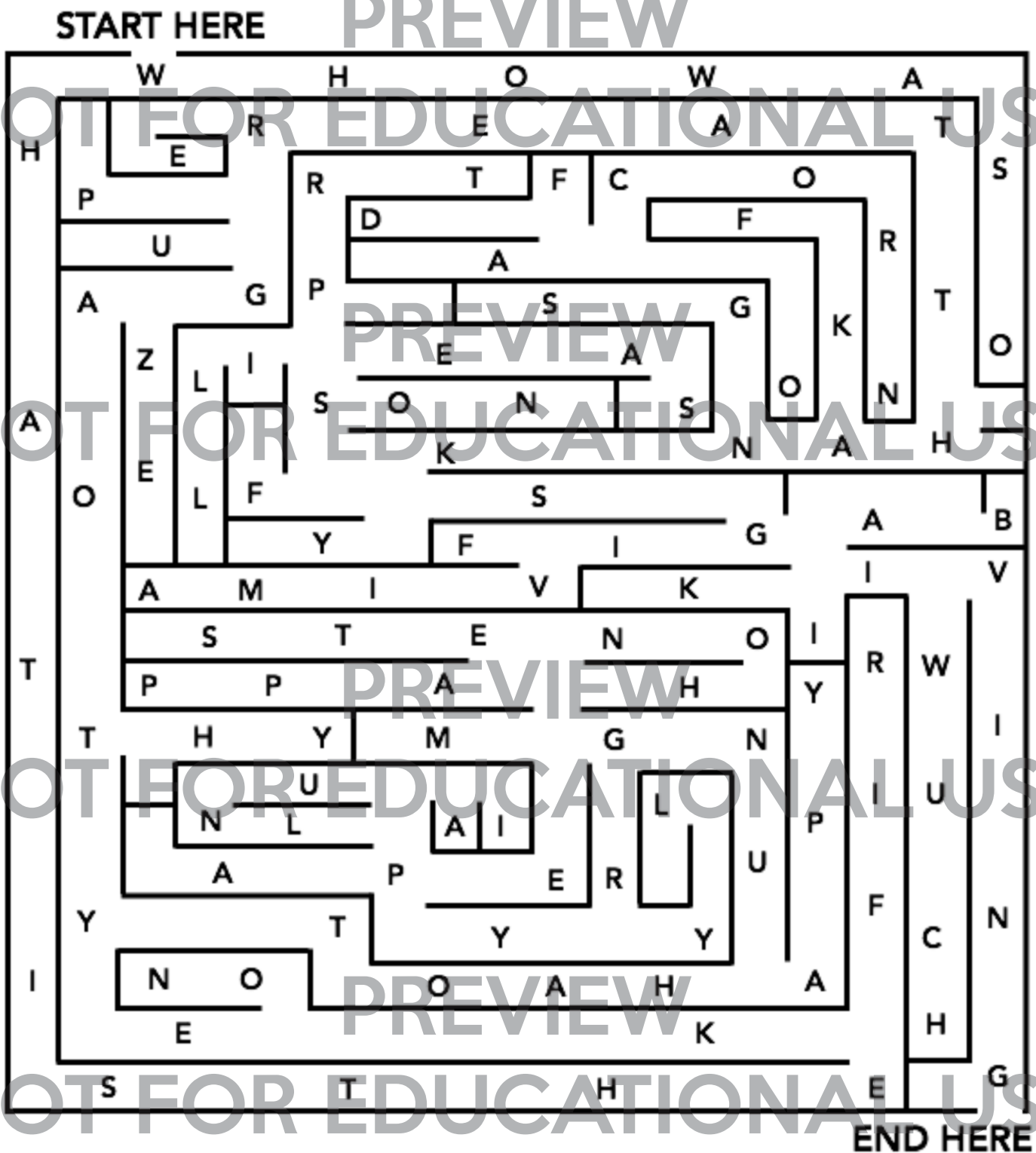
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Thanksgiving Maze

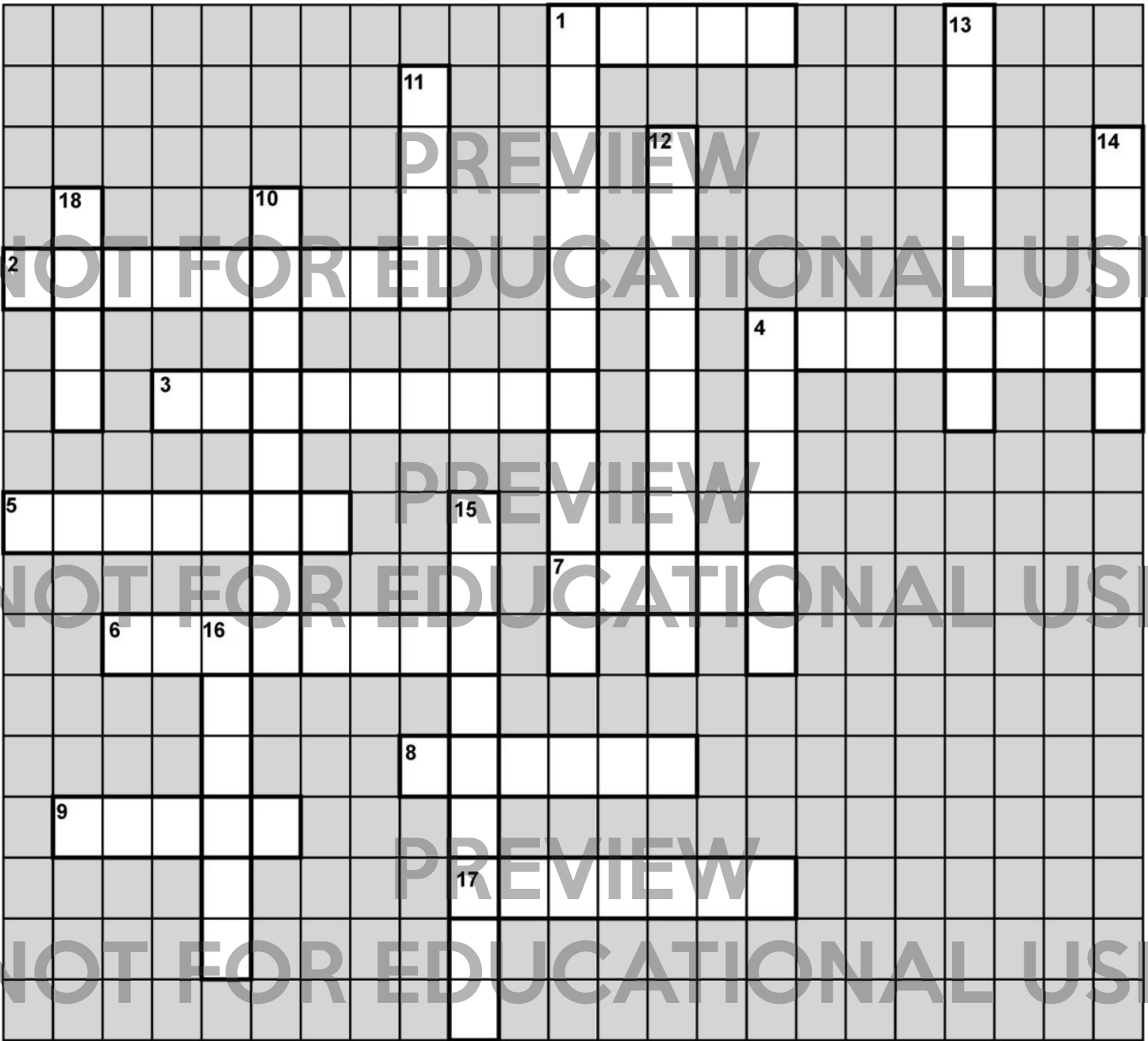
Directions: Solve the maze below (there's only one way out).
Track the letters you cross. Those letters spell out a riddle.



Riddle: _____

Answer: _____

Thanksgiving Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. What sauce is made with flour, butter, and juices of meat?
2. In A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving, who gets the wishbone?
3. What do you call the surplus of food you put away in the fridge, intended to be consumed in the following days?
4. If you don't eat meat, you might enjoy this dish on Thanksgiving, which is a turkey substitute made from tofu!
5. The _____ spice latte from Starbucks is a signature espresso that is quite the fall craze!
6. Who were the English settlers who sailed from Europe to North America on the Mayflower?
7. How many days did the first Thanksgiving last?
8. The women pilgrims wore this type of old-fashioned hat; it ties under the chin and frames the face.
9. To _____ the turkey, you should pour juices over the meat during cooking, which will keep it moist!
17. Brussel _____ are a member of the Brassicaceae family of vegetables!

Down

1. Which type of green apple is considered the MOST sour?
4. What animal does the president traditionally pardon each Thanksgiving?
18. Which character on the TV show Friends once got his/her head stuck in a turkey?
10. What Thanksgiving side is made of bread and herbs and goes INSIDE the turkey?
11. The green, leafy covering over your corn is called what?
12. What is a small red berry with a sour taste, and comes from a Vaccinium shrub?
13. What Sesame Street character is made of turkey feathers?
14. What department store is the sponsor of the Thanksgiving's most popular parade?
15. The cranberry is the official fruit of what US State?
16. What is the criss-cross pattern made of strips of pastry on top of a pie called?

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| 3. DBNA | <u>BAND</u> |
| 4. UISC M | <u>MUSIC</u> |
| 5. OANLBSLO | <u>BALLOONS</u> |
| 6. NGSIGN | <u>SINGING</u> |
| 7. IPKPMNUS | <u>PUMPKINS</u> |
| 8. SOCLNW | <u>CLOWNS</u> |
| 9. RYEUKT | <u>TURKEY</u> |
| 10. CAMIG | <u>MAGIC</u> |
| 11. DWROCS | <u>CROWDS</u> |
| 12. ASATN | <u>SANTA</u> |
| 13. YONOSP | <u>SNOOPY</u> |
| 14. TEABLL | <u>BALLET</u> |
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E	T	N	E	R	W	C	E	L	T	S	R	O	A	D
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Thanksgiving A to Z

EXAMPLE ANSWERS

A APPLES

B BISCUITS

C CORNUCOPIA

D DESSERT

E EATING

F FAMILY

G GRATEFUL

H HARVEST

I INDIGENOUS

J JOYOUS

K KAYAK

L LEAVES

M MAYFLOWER

N NOVEMBER

O OVEN

P PILGRIMS

Q QUANT

R RECIPES

S STUFFING

T THANKFUL

U UNION

V VOYAGE

W WISHBONE

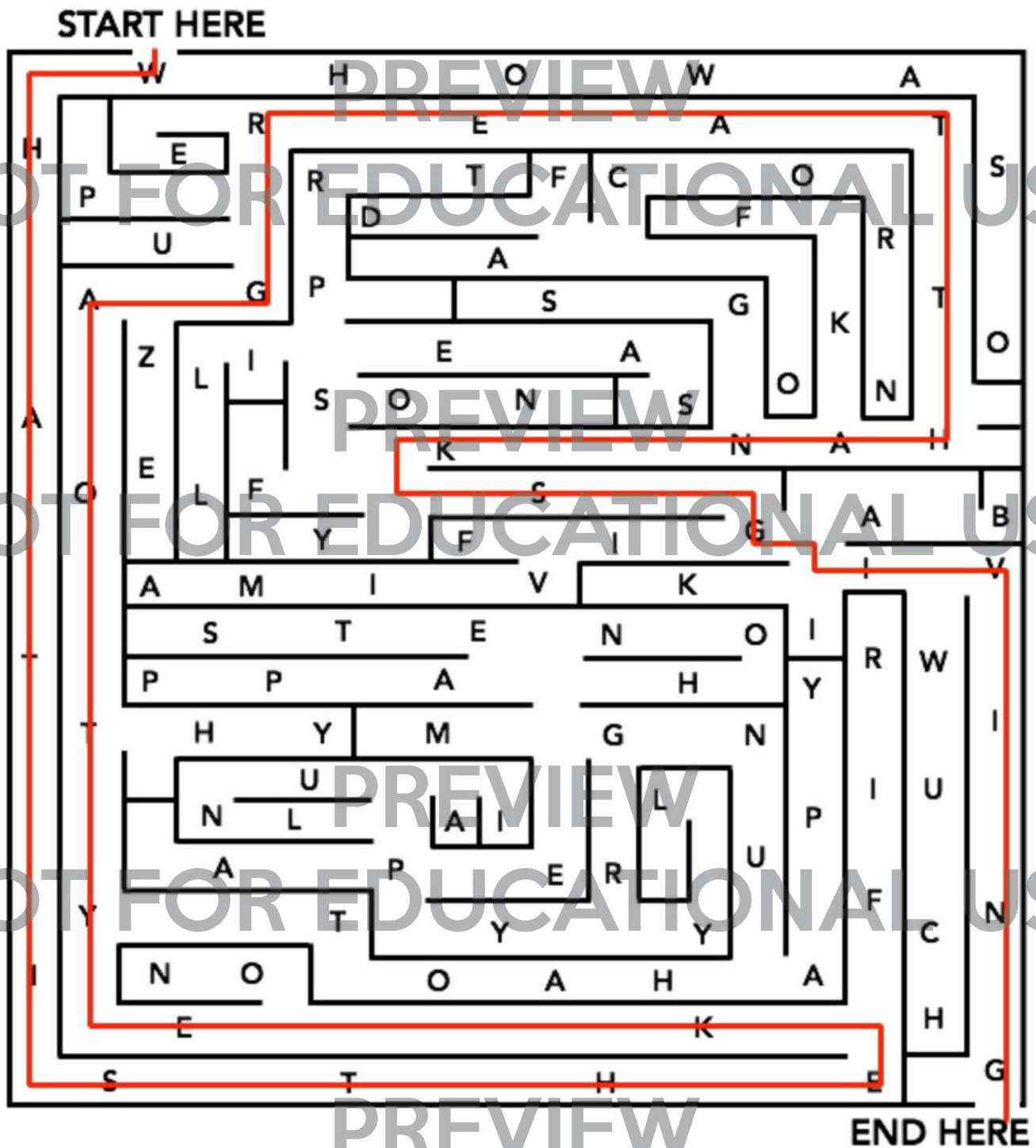
X XENIAL

Y YAMS

Z ZUCCHINI



Thanksgiving Maze Answer



Riddle: WHAT IS THE KEY TO A GREAT THANKSGIVING?

Answer: TUR-KEY

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