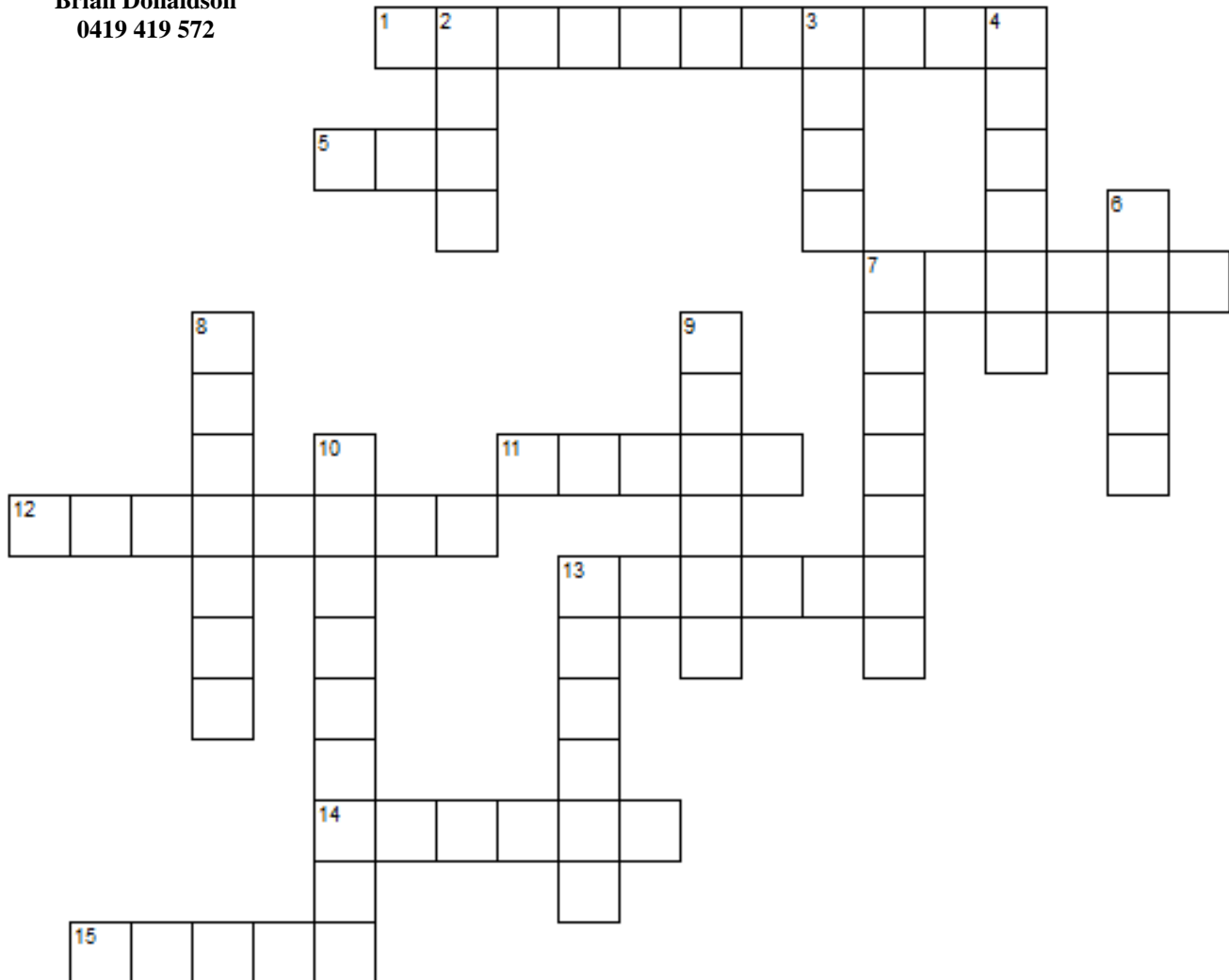




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Across:

- 1 worm farming helps the what?
- 5 how many parts of water do we mix into the liquid that comes out of our farms?
- 7 what food beginning with "c" can't we feed to our farm?
- 11 what food beginning with "d" can't we feed to our farm?
- 12 keeping worms stops waste going to the what?
- 13 another word for food
- 14 what is the name of the feeding method that we have learned today?
- 15 true or false - can we feed as much food in the worm farm as we like?

Down:

- 2 how many babies can a worm have each week?
- 3 what word beginning with "m" shouldn't be put in a farm?
- 4 what food beginning with "t" can't we feed to our farm?
- 6 what do we have to add on top of a garden to attract garden worms?
- 7 what is the name for the types of worms used in a worm farm?
- 8 another word for what the worms live in
- 9 worm castings are good for the what?
- 10 what food beginning with "p" isn't very good in a farm?
- 13 these types of worms aren't very good in a farm



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Directions:

This is called a Cryptogram, or secret code puzzle.

There is a KEY that lists all the letters from A to Z with a number below each one.

At the bottom there is a secret phrase. To work out the secret phrase, fill in the letters from the key in the blanks in the secret phrase.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
5	2	18	20	4	16	6	7	13	25	21	22	12	23	1	14	26	10	8	17	15	9	19	11	3	24

19 1 10 12 8 12 5 21 4 6 10 4 5 17

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N P N B M S C D S P R S P E G
I M E R W E R V O A E I G S N
N C W O M V A C G I N T T L I
E G S W N A K T R E D A H A D
A E P N N E D R A G O I N F D
Q P A S T L E P N I S C S A E
C H P X H B P Z L N I T X A B
L A E L W L I S O T S R A E P
S N R A E N V I R O N M E N T
I N R D S S N U P M U L C H P
Y T E D B O S M O Q Z N R M L
S R O E I O O T O M A T O C A
J O I N R C A B S H N D M C N
F X O A O G E R P A W P A W T
L L I F D N A L D H X G E C S

Find the words that are underlined AND IN CAPITALS like **THIS**:

Worm farming helps the **ENVIRONMENT**?

Olly the worm doesn't like **MEAT**, **OIL**, **DAIRY**, **CITRUS**, **ONIONS**, **PINEAPPLE**, **PAWPAW** and **TOMATO**

Keeping worms stops waste going to the **LANDFILL**.

Olly likes us to add **BEDDING**, also called **BROWNS**, to the farm - like **NEWSPAPER**, **CARDBOARD** and **LEAVES**.

A worm can have **NINE** babies each week!

The system of feeding we have learned is called **POCKET** feeding.

Olly loves these **FOODS**, also called **GREENS**: **BANANAS**, **STRAWBERRIES**, **APPLES**, **PEARS**

The type of worms suitable for farms are called **COMPOST** worms.

But **GARDEN** worms aren't very good in a farm.

TO attract earthworms to the garden, it is important to **MULCH** it well.

PLANTS grow very well when some worm castings are used in the garden.



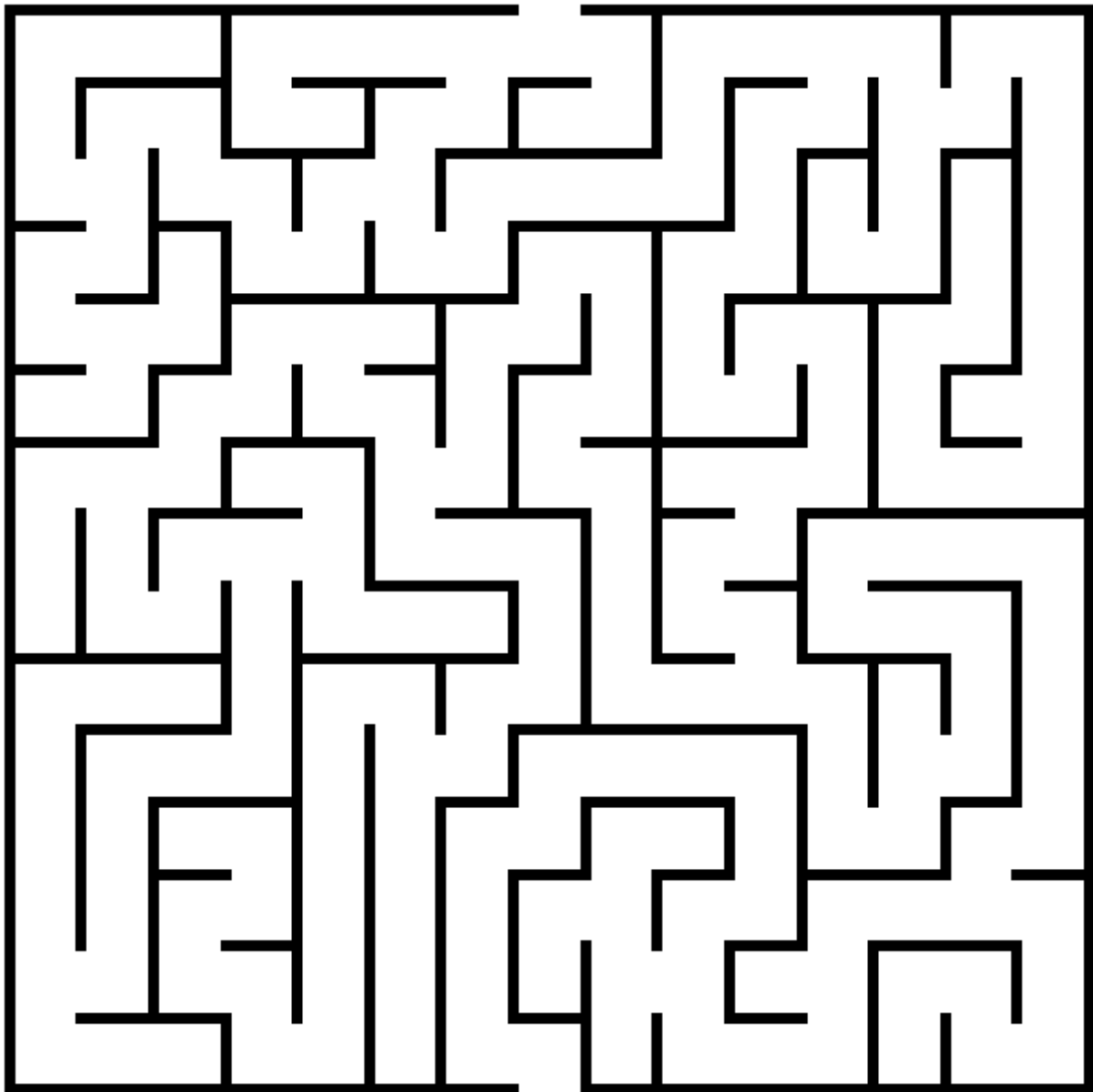
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Help Olly the worm find his food !



Olly's Favourite Foods:
Fruit peels; vegetable peels;
a few leaves, cardboard,
newspaper.