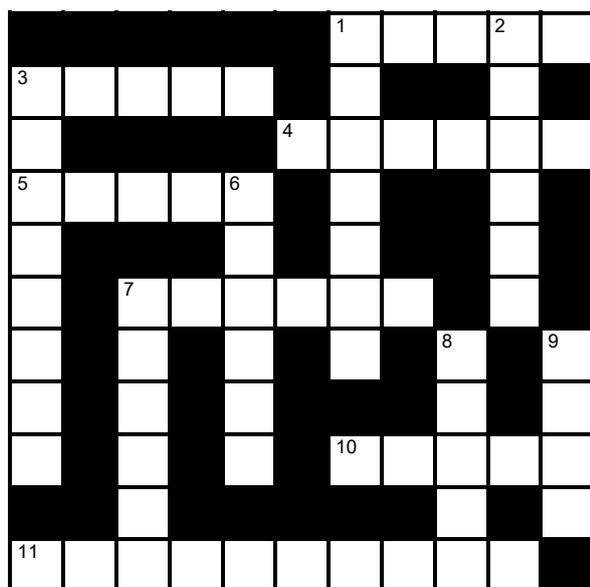


A British Puzzle

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Across

1 If you _____ a man to fish, he can feed himself forever, and this idiom is used to point out the advantages of helping others to do things themselves rather than relying on others. (5)

3 To say that two people are like _____ and cheese is to say that they could not be more different from one another. (5)

4 If, within a large organisation or political group, you have a small group which tries to exert undue influence on the other member of the group to get them to accept

their ideas, this small group is known as a _____ group. (6)

5 A _____ potato is a lazy, usually fat, person who does little or no exercise, and prefers to slouch all day on the sofa in front of the television. (5)

7 People should be treated equally, and what is good for one person should be good for another, so we say, what's sauce for the goose is sauce for the _____ . (6)

10 A person who is hard to get to know or understand, or a situation that is difficult to deal with, is a tough nut to _____ . (5)

11 Something which you say or do to break the ice is known as an _____ . (10)

Down

1 Somebody who carries with them anger and resentment for something that happened to them in the past is said to be bitter and _____ . (7)

2 To be given another chance or opportunity is to be given a second bite of the _____ . (6)

3 To say that somebody is as cool as a _____ is to say that they remain calm and collected in even the most stressful or difficult

situations. (8)

6 When you _____ for something or someone, you have a great yearning or desire for it or them. (6)

7 To completely devour something extremely quickly is to _____ it up. (6)

8 When somebody who is angry with somebody else looks at them with cold, emotionless, eyes, they give them an icy _____ . (5)

9 When you cannot satisfy two contradictory desires, we say that you can't have your _____ and eat it. (4)