

A'phabet Day Solution

Answer: ██████████

The themes of this puzzle are puns, games, and removing "L"s.

Step 1: The clues with question marks are puns or clues to how the word is spelled instead of its definition. All the words are related to gaming.

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

Clue	Answer	Explanation
If John Kennedy were an Anthony instead..., abbrev.?	AFK	If JFK was named Anthony instead, his initials would be AFK. Related to gaming, this means "away from keyboard."
Hawaiian bowl dish with fish + work week starter, for short?	POKEMON	Hawaiian bowl dish with fish is POKE and work week starter is MON, which is short for Monday. Related to gaming, this is a popular media franchise that includes many popular games.
Bearded ruminant	GOAT	This is a crossword-style clue.

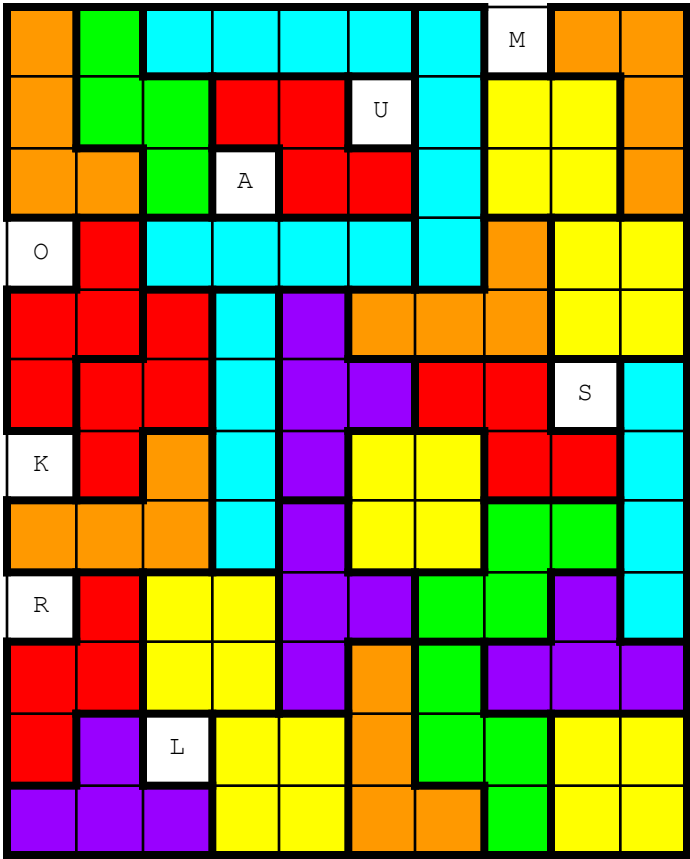
		Related to gaming, this means "greatest of all time."
Meta's all-in-one VR headsets	QUESTS	This is a definition. Related to gaming, these are objective-based activities that can be done in-game.
Spider's construction	WEB	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is where online games are played.
Violent behavior, in British slang	AGGRO	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is the act of attracting hostile attention.
LMN followers?	OP	In the alphabet, the letters LMN are followed by O and P. Related to gaming, this means "overpowered."
A ____ OR C OR D?	ORB	The blank is filled by "OR B". Related to gaming, these are objects that may be found in games (like Valorant).
Sulfur + future queen, maybe?	SPAWN	"Sulfur" clues to the letter S and "future queen" clues to PAWN. Related to gaming, this is the place a character or item is placed in the game world.
Fifth tone of C major, fifth tone of C major?	GG	"Fifth tone of C major" is G. Doubling it gives GG. Related to gaming, this means "good game."
Deep sorrow	GRIEF	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this means to deliberately irritate or harass other players in a game.

Palindromic data?	STATS	Data is a definition of STATS. The "palindromic" describes the word itself and not its meaning. Related to gaming, these are pieces of data describing an aspect of a game entity.
Crush to a powder	GRIND	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this means to perform a repetitive and time-consuming action in a game before being able to advance.
Tabloid tell-all tale, but with the former partner swapped out for a letter like a golf ball support?	TPOSE	"Tabloid tell-all tale" is an EXPOSE. The former partner is "EX" and is swapped out for the letter "T", which sounds like the golf ball support TEE. Related to gaming, this is a default position in games where a character stands with their arms horizontally outstretched.
Thrill or boot	KICK	"Thrill" and "boot" are both alternate definitions of KICK. Related to gaming, this is the ability of a host to remove players from a game server.
Aang or Roku, for example	AVATAR	Aang and Roku are both Avatars from the show <i>Avatar: The Last Airbender</i>. Related to gaming, this is a player's representation in the gaming world.
Former measure of distance, around three miles	LEAGUE	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is the commonly referred to nickname of a popular game League of Legends.
Opposite of "Woman Z"?	MANA	The canonical opposite of WOMAN is MAN and the opposite of A is Z. Putting that together you get MANA. Related to gaming, this is a pool of resources inherent to a character that

		determines the amount of magical abilities they are able to use.
Aries animal	RAM	This is a crossword-style clue. Related to gaming, this is the main memory on a computer and holds a game's short-term storage.
Take advantage of	EXPLOIT	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is a bug or a glitch that can be used to gain an unfair advantage in a way unintended by developers.
Clean with a broom	SWEEP	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is when one person wins every round against their opponent.
<i>One Piece</i> clown	BUGGY	The most well-known clown character in <i>One Piece</i> is named Buggy. Related to gaming, this is when a game has unexpected glitches in it.
Loafing around	IDLE	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is a type of animation that plays when a character is not doing anything. This can also refer to idle games, which are games that can progress without the player's input.
Rags or goads	TAUNTS	This is a definition. Related to gaming, this is a tactic used by a character to trick opponents into attacking them instead of their teammates.
Jet problem?	LAG	This is a crossword-style punny clue that refers to the problem JET LAG. Related to gaming, this is an unexpected delay between a gamer's action and the server's reaction.

Fuel location for the army vehicle?	TANK	"Fuel location" and "army vehicle" are both alternate definitions of TANK. Related to gaming, this is a character with high health and the ability to draw attention from opponents so that their teammates can concentrate on attacking.
Engineering sorority founded at Marquette University, in the English alphabet	AOE	This is the sorority Alpha Omega Epsilon, which is roughly equivalent to AOE in the English alphabet. Related to gaming, this means "area of effect."

Step 2: The given video is a "duck konundrum"-esque series of instructions. After letting all the blocks fall, you will get the following arrangement (colors are added for ease of differentiation).



Step 3: The blocks are opaque and cover the letters, but if you remove all the "L" shaped blocks, you will read the message: AMONGUSWEAPONSTASKCLEARBLANK.

A							M	O	N
G					U				S
W	E		A						P
O							N		
					S	T	A		
								S	
K		C							
L	E	A							
R									
					B				
		L			A				
					N	K			

The Among Us weapons task is called "Clear **ASTEROIDS**".

References:

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