

## HOW TO SOLVE LOGIC GRIDS

A Logic Grid has groups of "things". These groups can be anything; animals, colors, actions, and so on. Each "thing" can only be paired with one "thing" from each other group.

### Example 1:

There are three **people (1st Group)**; a man, a woman, and a boy.  
Each person has a different piece of **fruit (2nd group)**; an apple, a strawberry, or a banana. Who has what?

**Q Clue 1: The woman does not have the apple.**

1. We can place our first **X**.

**Q Clue 2: The boy has the strawberry.**

2. We can place our first **✓**.

3. Now, because we know that one person (*group 1*) can have only one fruit (*group 2*); we know the boy does not have the **X** apple, nor the **X** banana. We also know the strawberry does not belong to the **X** man or the **X** woman.

4. We can now see that the woman does not have an apple (*clue 1*), or a strawberry (*clue 2*). Since she must have one thing, she must have the **✓** banana.

5. We can also see that the apple doesn't belong to the woman (*clue 1*), or the boy (*clue 2*). Since the apple must belong to someone, it must belong to the **✓** man.

We now know which person has which fruit.

1.

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|  |  | X |  |
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2.

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|  |  | X |   |
|  |  |   | ✓ |
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3.

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|  |   |   |   |
|  |   | X | X |
|  | X | X | ✓ |
|  |   |   | X |

4.

|  |   |   |   |
|--|---|---|---|
|  |   |   |   |
|  |   | X | X |
|  | X | X | ✓ |
|  | X | ✓ | X |

5.

|  |   |   |   |
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|  |   |   |   |
|  | ✓ | X | X |
|  | X | X | ✓ |
|  | X | ✓ | X |

### Example 2:

We can also infer pairings across groups:

There are three animals inside a house.  
Each animal is 2, 3, or 4 years old.  
Each animal is next to something different.  
Where is each animal?

**Q Clue 1: The oldest animal is next to the door.**

**Q Clue 2: The cat is four years old.**

|    |  |   |   |    |    |    |
|----|--|---|---|----|----|----|
|    |  |   |   | 2y | 3y | 4y |
|    |  |   |   |    |    |    |
|    |  | ✓ | ← |    |    | ✓  |
|    |  | ↑ |   |    |    |    |
| 2y |  |   |   |    |    |    |
| 3y |  |   |   |    |    |    |
| 4y |  | ✓ |   |    |    |    |

From the first and second clues, we can deduce that **✓** the cat is next to the door.

This also works for deducing **X**s across groups. For example:

**Q Clue 3: The youngest animal is not next to the window.**

**Q Clue 4: The bird is not two years old.**

From the third and fourth clues, we can deduce that **X** the bird is not next to the window.

And that's it! Turn the page and start solving your first puzzle!



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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| zoi³ gin³<br>再見<br>GOODBYE        | baa¹ si²<br>巴士<br>BUS | baa¹ si² zaam₆<br>巴士站<br>BUS STOP | zou²<br>早<br>EARLY          | zaam₆<br>站<br>STATION |
| baan₆ gung¹ sat¹<br>辦公室<br>OFFICE | ci₄<br>遲<br>LATE      | min₆ baau¹ pou³<br>麵包舖<br>BAKERY  | dim² zung¹<br>點鐘<br>O'CLOCK |                       |

jat¹ go³ ziu¹ zou² ge³ lai³ maa₆ syut³ waa₆  
 一個朝早嘅禮貌說話  
 ①   

jat¹ go³ jan₄ hai² ziu¹ zou² gong² zo² saam¹ geoi³ m₄ tung₄ ge³  
 一個人喺朝早講咗三句唔同嘅

syut³ waa₆ mui³ geoi³ syut³ waa₆ dou¹ hai² hai² m₄ tung₄  
 說話。每句說話都係喺唔同

dei₆ fong¹ m₄ tung₄ si₄ gaan³ gong² ge³  
 地方、唔同時間講嘅。

keoi³ hai² mui³ go³ si₄ gaan³ tung₄ dei₆ fong¹ gong² zo² bin¹ geoi³  
 佢喺每個時間同地方講咗邊句

syut³ waa₆  
 說話？

Q

hai² min₆ baau¹ pou³ gong² go² geoi³ syut³ waa₆ hai₆  
 1. 喺麵包舖講嘅句說話係

do¹ ze₆  
 「多謝」。

ni¹ go³ jan₄ gong² m₄ hou² ji³ si¹ ge³ si₄ gaan³ zou²  
 2. 呢個人講「唔好意思」嘅時間，早

gwo³ gong² do¹ ze₆ ge³ si₄ gaan³  
 過講「多謝」嘅時間。

sap₆ dim² zung¹ go² zan₆ ni¹ go³ jan₄ hai² baan₆ gung¹ sat¹  
 3. 十點鐘嗰陣，呢個人喺辦公室。

ni¹ go³ jan₄ gong² zoi³ gin³ ge³ si₄ gaan³ ci₄ gwo³ keoi³  
 4. 呢個人講「再見」嘅時間，遲過佢  
 hai² baa¹ si² zaam₆ gong² go² geoi³ syut³ waa₆ ge³ si₄ gaan³  
 喺巴士站講嘅句說話嘅時間。

cat¹ dim² zung¹ go² zan₆ ni¹ go³ jan₄ m₄ hai² baan₆ gung¹ sat¹  
 5. 七點鐘嗰陣，呢個人唔喺辦公室。

|    |        | 地方  |     |     | 說話     |      |      |
|----|--------|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|------|
|    |        | 巴士站 | 麵包舖 | 辦公室 | 「唔好意思」 | 「多謝」 | 「再見」 |
| 時間 | 七點鐘    |     |     |     |        |      |      |
|    | 九點鐘    |     |     |     |        |      |      |
|    | 十點鐘    |     |     |     |        |      |      |
| 說話 | 「唔好意思」 |     |     |     |        |      |      |
|    | 「多謝」   |     |     |     |        |      |      |
|    | 「再見」   |     |     |     |        |      |      |

| 時間  | 地方 | 說話 |
|-----|----|----|
| 七點鐘 |    |    |
| 九點鐘 |    |    |
| 十點鐘 |    |    |