

Across

1. *Start of a word chain*

5. *Word chain, step 2*

9. *Word chain, step 3*

14. Mrs. Krabappel of "The Simpsons"

15. Little green man?

16. "Sixteen Tons" singer Tennessee ____ Ford

17. Stadium section

18. Tiny incision

19. Sprinkles something in the soup, say

20/22. Current example of the term that begins and ends the word chain

24. Note between "fa" and "la"

25. Place to clean up

26. Big name in peanut butter

29. Champions' cry

31. "____ Will Be Loved" (Maroon 5 hit)

34. Bit of farmland

36. Morse code sound

37. Gentle breeze

39. Breakfast, lunch and dinner

41. Angel dust, initially

43. Place, as over the back of a chair

44. Seriously depressed

46. Cartoon drunk's sound

48. Barrel producing grp.

49. Swinger in the jungle

50. Money

53. Ending in superlatives

54. Cliffside nest

55. Steal (from)

57. *Word chain, step 4*

59. *Word chain, step 8*

62. Comic Milton

63. Military no-show

65. Off-road transports

67. Stomach woe

68. Programmer's lines

69. Insect repelled by a collar

70. *Word chain, step 9*

71. *End of the word chain*

72. *Word chain, step 7*

Down

1. ____ off steam

2. Polish up text

3. From scratch

4. Whittles (down)

5. Gave the elbow, in a crowd

6. Tough to look at

7. Radiology diagnostic procedure: Abbr.

8. Stroked, as a kitty

9. "Let's begin the meeting"

10. Big name in toothbrushes

11. Running Rebels sch.

12. Evening, in ad-speak

13. ____ Moines, Iowa

21. "Don't just stand there! Do it!"

23. Crackerjack

25. "La Bamba" singer Valens

26. ____ Juice (smoothie chain)

27. Freeze over

28. *Word chain, step 5*

30. Hummus, e.g.

31. *Word chain, step 6*

32. Promotes heavily

33. On two feet

35. "Slippery" tree

38. Side in a debate

40. States that leave the Union

42. Bottomless ____

45. Alternative to "truth"

47. "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" singer

51. Illegal copies

52. Baseball legend Gehrig

54. Where Van Gogh painted "Sunflowers"

56. "Scrubs" star Zach

57. Concierge summoner

58. Killer whale

59. Last section of a song

60. French D-Day invasion town

61. Second-to-last word in fairy tales

62. Tampa Bay footballer

64. "____ Is I" (popular grammar book)

66. Beer brewer Adams

