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**Brain Teasers**

1. What can you catch but not throw?
2. I am light as a feather, yet the strongest person can't hold me for 5 minutes. What am I?
3. I am an odd number. Take away one letter and I become even. What number am I?
4. Two fathers and two sons go fishing. Each catches one fish. They bring home only three fish. Why?
5. What goes up but never comes down?
6. I am tall when I am young, and short when I am old. What am I?
7. You see a boat full of people but there isn't a single person on board. How?
8. Forward I am heavy, backward I am not. What am I?
9. A bat and a ball cost \$1.10 in total. The bat costs \$1 more than the ball. How much does the ball cost?
10. I speak without a mouth and hear without ears. What am I?
11. What word looks the same upside down and backwards?
12. If a plane crashes on the border of the United States and Canada, where would they bury the survivors?



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## Brain Teasers - Answers

1. What can you catch but not throw?  
Answer: A cold.
2. I am light as a feather, yet the strongest person can't hold me for 5 minutes. What am I?  
Answer: Breath.
3. I am an odd number. Take away one letter and I become even. What number am I?  
Answer: Seven (remove the "s" > "even").
4. Two fathers and two sons go fishing. Each catches one fish. They bring home only three fish. Why?  
Answer: Three people: a grandfather, his son, and his grandson.
5. What goes up but never comes down?  
Answer: Your age.
6. I am tall when I am young, and short when I am old. What am I?  
Answer: A candle.
7. You see a boat full of people but there isn't a single person on board. How?  
Answer: Everyone on the boat is married (no singles).
8. Forward I am heavy, backward I am not. What am I?  
Answer: The word "ton" (reversed: "not").
9. A bat and a ball cost \$1.10 in total. The bat costs \$1 more than the ball. How much does the ball cost?  
Answer: 5 cents (bat \$1.05 + ball \$0.05 = \$1.10).
10. I speak without a mouth and hear without ears. What am I?  
Answer: An echo.
11. What word looks the same upside down and backwards?  
Answer: "SWIMS".
12. If a plane crashes on the border of the United States and Canada, where would they bury the survivors?  
Answer: Survivors are not buried.