FIND YOUR WAY

B L E
E D U L
R O E P R
R G E U
A N P

+

A B C
D E F G
H I J K L
M N O P
Q R S

=

H D E
N O S A
R G C P B
Q K L F
M I J

L F Y C
L A D N I
F T H R R D
W O R T E S C
T G D O E A
E T H G B
E L I A

A M A N
O I S S A
K E N A H K
L O M A T D I
A H N U A R
W E R L O
Y O K F

I N E Y
I A U P S
A L D E S N
L O A P T O N
I R Y U I S
Y T E D A
A H P P

W O R D
T H A T G
O E S A F T
E R C Y C L E
B R I D L E
A N D F L
I G H T

W N R O
O N B A J
R B E D L A
B L A D W I M
T R I E Y N
H C H E A
A T R M

U T E S
L I R O N
A P P D A S
I E O I A P Y
L H N S Y P
D A Y T E
A I N U

A J O R
M N W N R
D W A M B O
E E I T R T N
B L A A H B
C R D L A
H E Y I

To find your way through this puzzle, rules from the example on the left hand side need to be applied to the main puzzle on the right hand side. The rules are: Starting at the yellow circle, trace a path to make words on a theme hinted at by the circles containing images. For the left hand example, the image hints at COLOURS, and you can trace out RED, BLUE, ORANGE, PURPLE in the grid. Tracing that same path in the next hexagon gives a letter string - put that string into the next hexagon in a clockwise spiral starting at the top left blue circle.

On the right hand side, when you fill a blank hexagon with letters you can once again find more words on a theme starting in the yellow circle and repeat the process.

The 1st hexagon contains American states: UTAH, KANSAS, MAINE, OKLAHOMA, NEW YORK, FLORIDA. The 2nd hexagon contains flowers: ROSE, TULIP, DAISY, PANSY, PETUNIA, DAHLIA, PEONY. The 3rd hexagon contains UK prime ministers: BLAIR, THATCHER, MAY, EDEN, BROWN, BALDWIN, MAJOR. This produces a central hexagon that reads WORD THAT GOES AFTER CYCLE, BRIDLE AND FLIGHT, making the answer **PATH**.

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