

Packet Riders

Penny's Maze

You've probably enjoyed tackling lots of different types of mazes. Maybe you have a book of mazes at home? If not, you can find some at the local library or in your school library.

Take a look at the many types of mazes and think about creating an Internet maze. Imagine a maze that features a packet trying to get from one computer to another, just like in the Peter Packet and Penny Packet games. Obstacles such as viruses, hackers, and interference might be dead ends in your maze, and virus protection, encoding, and security officers might provide clues that help the packet through the maze.

Design your own maze and be sure to include lots of pathways with dead ends and one pathway that goes all the way through from one computer to another.

Don't forget to add some drawings or graphics to make your maze more attractive.

If you have a program like Kid Pix® or other art software, use it to help create your maze. You can import some of the Penny and Peter graphics into your work.

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