

Easy Cryptograms — Set 10

6 puzzles · Standard print · answers on the last page

Every letter has been swapped for another letter. The same cipher letter always stands for the same letter, and no letter ever stands for itself. Write your answer in the blank under each letter. Answers are on the last page.

1. Clue: L = E

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A D A K S A X D O E O K

U Q H H L X K N C A J C

J E H K D A D O D L D C L

L R J L F F L H J L E Z Q

H L A Y C M E X C E E W .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

2. Clue: G = E

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J U D B P I U P G L F Y B P
 I B T J I C L Q C F L B D G
 G P U H V I ; F I G Q I U T G C L
 F U U T C F F T G J U D B
 W P B X G .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

3. Clue: F = T

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F B T D F L S T C D B J Z M J S M
 F B T M Z L A C D D K J O O , E X F
 J B L O T C D K J M T E G F B T
 H L S D F J S F R J O O .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

4. Clue: C = E

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W T C D Y F F C F M Q C G Q Y P I

 Z W V M Q C B W M Q C V ' F F O D C ,

 O T I M Q C B W M Q C V Z W V

 M Q C G Q Y P I ' F F O D C .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

5. Clue: W = E

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G J G Q P Y C C F ' Q F G Y W , P Q

 J Z W L H G F F Y G V B H Z W V

 J Z W L R W J J C J Z W W V B C Y

 G J , G Y V C J S W Y C M W .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

6. Clue: R = A

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S J R W ' C N B R B R L T ? W J R W

S J N K J S T K R O O R U H C T

X Q R B Q H W J T U B R L T

S H M O Y C L T O O R C C S T T W .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Solver's cheat sheet

Most common letters	E T A O I N S H R D L U
Most common 1-letter words	A I
Most common 2-letter words	OF TO IN IT IS BE AS AT SO WE HE BY OR ON DO IF ME MY UP AN GO NO US AM
Most common 3-letter words	THE AND FOR ARE BUT NOT YOU ALL ANY CAN HER WAS ONE OUR OUT DAY GET HAS HIM HIS HOW MAN NEW NOW OLD SEE TWO WAY WHO BOY DID ITS LET PUT SAY SHE TOO USE
Common double letters	LL EE SS OO TT FF RR NN PP CC
Common word endings	-ING -ION -ENT -TION -LY -ED -ER -EST
After an apostrophe	T (don't) S (it's) RE (we're) VE (I've) LL (we'll) D (I'd)

Answer key

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1. "It is virtuous manners which constitute the excellence of a neighborhood."

— Confucius, 1861, *The Analects* (James Legge translation, 1861)

Cipher key: A=I B=P C=H D=T E=O F=L G=J H=N I=Y J=C K=S L=E M=B N=W O=U P=K Q=A R=X S=V T=Z U=M V=Q W=D X=R
Y=G Z=F

2. "For an honest man half his wits are enough; the whole is too little for a knave."

— Italian proverb, 1857, Recorded with English translation in Henry G. Bohn, *A Polyglot of Foreign Proverbs* (London, 1857)

Cipher key: A=X B=A C=I D=R E=P F=T G=E H=U I=H J=F K=Z L=S M=B N=J O=C P=N Q=W R=D S=Y T=L U=O V=G W=K X=V
Y=M Z=Q

3. "The stone is hard and the drop is small, but a hole is made by the constant fall."

— Spanish proverb, 1857, Recorded with English translation in Henry G. Bohn, *A Polyglot of Foreign Proverbs* (London, 1857)

Cipher key: A=P B=H C=I D=S E=B F=T G=Y H=C I=J J=A K=M L=O M=D N=K O=L P=G Q=W R=F S=N T=E U=Q V=Z W=X X=U
Y=V Z=R

4. "One kisses the child for the mother's sake, and the mother for the child's sake."

— German proverb, 1857, Recorded with English translation in Henry G. Bohn, *A Polyglot of Foreign Proverbs* (London, 1857)

Cipher key: A=V B=M C=E D=K E=B F=S G=C H=U I=D J=W K=P L=X M=T N=Z O=A P=L Q=H R=Q S=Y T=N U=J V=R W=O X=G
Y=I Z=F

5. "It is a fool's life, as they will find when they get to the end of it, if not before."

— Henry David Thoreau, 1854, *Walden*

Cipher key: A=X B=D C=O D=M E=J F=L G=I H=W I=V J=T K=U L=Y M=R N=C O=P P=A Q=S R=G S=B T=Z U=Q V=N W=E X=K
Y=F Z=H

6. "What's in a name? That which we call a rose by any other name would smell as sweet."

— William Shakespeare, 1595, *Romeo and Juliet*, Act II. Sc. 2 (in Bartlett's *Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

Cipher key: A=J B=N C=S D=X E=Q F=G G=F H=O I=Z J=H K=C L=M M=U N=I O=L P=V Q=Y R=A S=W T=E U=R V=P W=T X=B
Y=D Z=K