

Easy Cryptograms — Set 14

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: Q = E

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T Z A S G A M K K O Q

Y B Q Z K E B Q M X

Y S B Y E T G K Z A Y Q G .

Y S B Y E T G K Z A Y Q G Z B Q

K O Q Y B Q Z K E B Q G M X T Q A .

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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W P E B E Y W F O G G R W G L B E K

Y P N N G L Y G W I G

V L P W G Y W F P B P M E B E O E K

M P L Y G F X

F B U F X V G B X E Q K 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: B = N

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J R V W W H P U B S W T Q , V B S

H B V P T B S X V B ' J C U Z ,

Q H M R P V M U S P N U V M R V B S

Q R H J A U N H B K

R O X P W U B U J J .

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: Y = A

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C P V O Y M X C Y X E L X X E F

J Y W S E F X C M P V D C L D

G F Y N D ! D P D C L W F D Y

I P P S S F F S L W Y

W Y H I C X R V P M E S .

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: Q = T

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W , S Q S K Y I T Y G G Y A Q Q W

P F E Y F C S F A Q ' K

K Q D Y A C Q P ; H J Q S Q S K

Q O D F A A W J K Q W J K Y S Q

G S L Y F C S F A Q .

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: O = E

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S T O X Z O O S P I U M S Y N O

W X R P F O ; H O S , W I W T M F O

M I N W O U J W M C

S P N C O U S O J A H C H

W C E O N I O D S W P U X .

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. "Man is not the creature of circumstances. Circumstances are the creatures of men."

— Benjamin Disraeli, 1826, *Vivian Grey*, Book VI. Chap. VII (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

2. "To an active external commerce the protection of a naval force is indispensable."

— George Washington, 1796, *Eighth Annual Message to Congress*

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

3. "Shall I bend low, and in a bondman's key, With bated breath and whispering humbleness."

— William Shakespeare, 1597, *The Merchant of Venice*, Act I. Sc. 3 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

4. "How far that little candle throws his beams! So shines a good deed in a naughty world."

— William Shakespeare, 1597, *The Merchant of Venice*, Act V. Sc. 1 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

5. "O, it is excellent to have a giant's strength; but it is tyrannous to use it like a giant."

— William Shakespeare, 1604, *Measure for Measure*, Act II. Sc. 2 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

6. "The sweet of nature is love; yet, if I have a friend I am tormented by my imperfections."

— Ralph Waldo Emerson, 1841, *Essays: First Series*

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