

Easy Cryptograms — Set 24

6 puzzles · Large 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: X = S

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L U C R R X B R R V B R X X

D A P U L X A V W X X R Z

A D X F M D Z A D P F D ,

L U C F M P U G F C Z X W D Z

L U A D P X , W Z A J W D Z

V R C A B F M X G W 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

2. Clue: X = N

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Y E D O L X Y F L P P Q X K

Q X Y D P P Q K D X O D

R X J D F B Y S X J B Q Y B

L C X X S Y R F D, S X J

C E S Y Q Y J L D B, S X J

C E D F D L X Q Y C L F T B.

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 = A

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B M I M L B L I S I M A

U D C N W Y K C S I C M B

F C N M L L G Q W B U B

U N Q H Q G U I ,

H W I B U B M A C Q

N M H W I B U B M A , B U

A D I K B U I S B F Z I .

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: T = N

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P J A C B T

N T A Y G E B N K I

F J T A N E N J T G K B C

G Y F U E U K E

F J P M N T K E N J T N G

T J E J T I V

T C F C G G K B V M Y E

N T C X N E K M I 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: K = N

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T D T K M S G Z P K G H

S T Y Y U Z K H S W

B G D Y T K U B T K K G H

O Z K I T K U M G C I Z K

S Z P D W D G C U H S T H

M Z Q Q O Z H H S W

G B B T P Z G K .

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: I = E

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M F E R S I G N C M

Q R T T C T G R Z I A M S D

A E K K I Z D B R Q G A I

I C I ; D M E B M T M

T G M B , O A I Z R Z S C

R Z I E T T A E Z E Z U E Z

G A I T Y 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

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. "Three sleepless nights I passed in sounding on, Through words and things, a dim and perilous way."

— William Wordsworth, 1842, *The Borderers*, Act IV. Sc. 2 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

2. "The controlling Intelligence understands its own nature, and what it does, and whereon it works."

— Marcus Aurelius, 170, *Meditations*, VI. 5 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

3. "An engagement should come on a young girl as a surprise, pleasant or unpleasant, as the case may be."

— Oscar Wilde, 1895, *The Importance of Being Earnest*

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

4. "Modern industrial conditions are such that combination is not only necessary but inevitable."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1907, *Seventh Annual Message to Congress*

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

5. "A man who is not happy in the company cannot find any word in his memory that will fit the occasion."

— Ralph Waldo Emerson, 1844, *Essays: Second Series*

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

6. "A violet by a mossy stone Half hidden from the eye; Fair as a star, when only one is shining in the sky."

— William Wordsworth, 1800, *Lyrical Ballads* (1800), *She dwelt among the untrodden ways* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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