

Jane Austen Cryptograms — Set 1

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: Y = E

Hard · 40 letters

V B B O F Y L E T B S V T Y

P E E S V W S

V P T Y Y V I B Y J W Q E G T

Y Q Y 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

2. Clue: O = E

Easy · 44 letters

Y S H H U J O Q Q U J

G S D D U S R O U Q

O J E U D O W X S G S E E O D

N L P Y S J P 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

3. Clue: K = T

Expert · 49 letters

D K D H A I X S T R K I P

P T K F D P Q E Z K T Z X

T V P A Y P D K S K F Y K

M I J I D A I H Z H .

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: B = N

Medium · 49 letters

V B J Y Q B B V K I B V D

D L Q K Q R Q B M J Q H H N

E F W N K L J J B G V X Q

X V M K B E Z L 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

5. Clue: D = T

Expert · 51 letters

P W A J K D M V D I W

M E Z W H M Q H K L G V T

H F F D S W X E T D J W K

E M D V D S W I H T N H E M .

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: T = E

Hard · 52 letters

M S Z T O N D Q Z R T

P A B O E T

T D U Z A C M W T X N D

E Z O J U M S M U N O N T B ,

Z C D T N O J T 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 wordsOF 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 apostropheT (don't) S (it's) RE (we're) VE (I've) LL (we'll) D
(I'd)

Answer key

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1. "All the world are good and agreeable in your eyes."

— *Jane Austen, 1813, Pride and Prejudice*

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

2. "Happiness in marriage is entirely a matter of chance."

— *Jane Austen, 1813, Pride and Prejudice*

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

3. "It is very often nothing but our own vanity that deceives us."

— *Jane Austen, 1813, Pride and Prejudice*

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

4. "One cannot know what a man really is by the end of a fortnight."

— *Jane Austen, 1813, Pride and Prejudice*

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

5. "We must not be nice and ask for all the virtues into the bargain."

— *Jane Austen, 1815, Emma*

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

6. "A poet in love must be encouraged in both capacities, or neither."

— *Jane Austen, 1815, Emma*

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