

Jane Austen Cryptograms — Set 5

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: M = E

Easy · 74 letters

V J M U M B A N

A V F O O I U Z Z M A A

N O I F V Q M V J N V

Z M D M U L N Z O M N U V I

O M W U B R J V M Z M X N V

V J M Y B K K I W

I V J M U 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: K = E

Medium · 80 letters

W O K J K M R U Q , G K P W

D K Q W I K A V Q U M

I V F Z , Y O U O V R Q U W

J I K V R L M K P Q V

D U U F Q U S K I , A L R W

G K P Q W U I K M V G I Z

R W L J P F .

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: U = T

Easy · 82 letters

U J M Q U Y M L G B Q L Q

O N N C L Q L U I B Y Q U ;

U J M F B U U F M

Y A H H B Q J B U

T N F F M T U Q B X U J M

U A Y X B X O Q B Q

M L Q B F R G N K M C

L D L R .

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 = I

Easy · 83 letters

C H C A V ' J

B G C O B Z C D B U Z B J

W P F V F C X B A ; B D

T E G X J K F U G

C A G B F C D B U Z D U

H U W P , K F U G H U W P D U

G C D F B G U Z V , B Z C

G U G P Z D .

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: E = N

Hard · 84 letters

L P P R Y P J C H E M

Q Z G B K Q Z F P E V M

D K Q O S , Z R B Y H O K P E ,

H E R J H E E Z Q F , H E R

A K O S Q Z L H Q R O P

Z R B Y H O K P E K F E P O

T Z Q M E K Y Z .

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: C = N

Easy · 85 letters

D R D I J P L W C V

N C W P D S W C L W H ;

V Q Q S

N C S D I G P X C S W C V ,

T Q I I D T P Q F W C W Q C G ,

U C Q K O D S V D Q E P L D

K Q I O S , X C S X K X I H

L D X I P .

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. "There is a stubbornness about me that never can bear to be frightened at the will of others."

— Jane Austen, 1813, *Pride and Prejudice*

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

2. "The person, be it gentleman or lady, who has not pleasure in a good novel, must be intolerably stupid."

— Jane Austen, 1817, *Northanger Abbey*

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

3. "The stream is as good as at first; the little rubbish it collects in the turnings is easily moved away."

— Jane Austen, 1817, *Persuasion*

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

4. "A lady's imagination is very rapid; it jumps from admiration to love, from love to matrimony, in a moment."

— Jane Austen, 1813, *Pride and Prejudice*

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

5. "Good company requires only birth, education, and manners, and with regard to education is not very nice."

— Jane Austen, 1817, *Persuasion*

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

6. "Everything united in him; good understanding, correct opinions, knowledge of the world, and a warm heart."

— Jane Austen, 1817, *Persuasion*

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