

Medium Cryptograms — Set 11

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: F = O

Medium · 41 letters

K Y E M U X F T B U N J F D M F S

O Y J , Y Q N T F F L H F Z Q D

J K T T O F M J 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

2. Clue: P = N

Medium · 41 letters

U W V Y U J O T Z P O H Z P Q

E N Y O E W N L H M . Z P Y H B W N

I Z P ' O , L I W Z 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

3. Clue: Z = E

Medium · 41 letters

K C K V Y F V B H K W B U G

M Z R K D F Z S Z L Z Z G F B L L

L Y V Z G Y F S Z 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

4. Clue: P = T

Medium · 41 letters

P J O M O P H Y J Q P O R H N P J

Q J Q P O B Y C E R Y E G D Y E

P J O M P Q Z 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

5. Clue: G = O

Medium · 41 letters

X J C L V C I X Y G Z G P I

X J G T K I Z N P G V C K X K Y K

Y Z G Z C I L G V 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: W = O

Medium · 41 letters

C G F U F Y I O W I X Z G

C G Y O Q R I R D W U R E W U R O

Y D D W U R E P W W 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

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 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. "I am resolved to grow fat, and look young till forty."

— John Dryden, 1668, *Secret Love, or The Maiden Queen, Act III. Sc. 1* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

2. "Few of us can stand prosperity. Another man's, I mean."

— Mark Twain, 1897, *Following the Equator*

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

3. "A man is not a lord because he feeds off fine dishes."

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

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

4. "These two hated with a hate Found only on the stage."

— Lord Byron, 1819, *Don Juan, Canto IV. Stanza 93* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

5. "The creation of a thousand forests is in one acorn."

— Ralph Waldo Emerson, 1841, *History*

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

6. "There is no such thing as a moral or an immoral book."

— Oscar Wilde, 1891, *The Picture of Dorian Gray*

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