

Spanish proverb Cryptograms — Set 19

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: L = O

Hard · 55 letters

J L E Y U J P B B I L V Y L

X L E N O H K I V, X L E

U S A Y L A U I L V C K V

X H P V S A G A I P I

Y A A Y U.

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: R = A

Hard · 55 letters

U C F U A G R Y C S W V A S

K U C A J Y G R V ,

J R W N U C Y R K S P B M K

R V Y H B P C Y

R S K C B F R B Y 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

3. Clue: X = L

Easy · 56 letters

P Y Z U M X P H I D A J I J

E U X D, Z U M O P X X

E D J L P X X U Y

Z U M L H D X Y J H O D X X

J H U I E D L 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: D = A

Medium · 56 letters

V J G K L D I V D O L

E S O K X T K X Z G G Z J B S

W B X ' L D R R D K S L ,

I B D Y L D Y D X T B S G H L

I K R 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

5. Clue: Y = E

Medium · 57 letters

H Y R E S Y T E Q L F S S T ,

X F J Y F X E Q U Y C E

P M J Y M D , R M Y P I U C E

C M P P , F D I J M D Y U C E

G Q 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

6. Clue: K = L

Expert · 57 letters

P J K K X Z P B K K F Z V

A X Z L , X Z G D V H S J Z R

B K K F Z V Q J J , Y R

F Z V L Z V K H K Y I J Y X

U J B E 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

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. "Words will not do for my aunt, for she does not put faith even in deeds."

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

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

2. "He who made fun of the old man, laughed at first and cried afterwards."

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

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

3. "If you listen at a hole, you will hear ill of yourself as well as others."

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

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

4. "Who is always prying into other men's affairs, leads a dangerous life."

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

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

5. "Before you marry, have a house to live in, fields to till, and vines to cut."

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

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

6. "Tell not all you know, nor judge of all you see, if you would live in peace."

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

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