

Theodore Roosevelt Cryptograms — Set 3

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: X = E

Medium · 62 letters

R J X H P R O L J M D E F C X K

S M F X E P V X Q X Y O

Y X L A X H R B M Y K E E R J X

H P R P X L M B R J X

H M D V R Y 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: H = E

Medium · 63 letters

G W B Q S Z H B H V Z V J S R

Z L G V H G I G W B V G W Z L H B S

S H Q U L C G B V J B H Q S

B H J N Q Z M Q R H S Z Q K J N .

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: R = E

Easy · 64 letters

M Q F U J M X U J L

V A A F R X X V F X S U K R G U J Q

M W G R X G U L R U

T W Z L R F J R X X U J L

D U Z Z R L W M A R U D 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: M = E

Hard · 64 letters

L B U T V R B P Z V O V M ,

Z V T J J J M Z Z V X M

L O V T B L , U O L K M

T L G N P M Q K R V X M

M L I B P U M E M L V B I J O 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

5. Clue: B = E

Medium · 65 letters

H K B V I M I X S Y X X A B C N

E F B I H A B M B N Y H H C

I Z B F Y V I , I M R C N

Y Z W C F H I M V B H C I X X H K B

S C F X 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

6. Clue: U = N

Easy · 65 letters

Z I I R B S U U M A X X W I H T R

Y M S U C U G M A U S G C I U S T

U I T M X X G W S U S U

C U R C N C R H S T S G G A C Y H G 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

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. "The city should be a model in every respect for all the cities of the country."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1902, *Second Annual Message to Congress*

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

2. "Our interests and those of our southern neighbors are in reality identical."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1904, *Fourth Annual Message to Congress*

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

3. "Tyrants and oppressors have many times made a wilderness and called it peace."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1904, *Fourth Annual Message to Congress*

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

4. "No city or State, still less the Nation, can be injured by the enforcement of law."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1903, *Third Annual Message to Congress*

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

5. "The canal will be of great benefit to America, and of importance to all the world."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1902, *Second Annual Message to Congress*

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

6. "Good manners should be an international no less than an individual attribute."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1906, *Sixth Annual Message to Congress*

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