

Theodore Roosevelt 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: I = L

Medium · 73 letters

J I I R K Y L Z S J Q X Q X H

U K R Z B O N O I T W X T Z

T X I C U J X K J I

B O P Z O S Q Z C D K Z

Q X B K R Z S Q J I

Q X Z O I I Q H O X 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: G = A

Hard · 73 letters

U G T G C R G N G Q S Z D

F D K S J T M P D S Z G S

H M U D V U U D T K M K

S Z D Y Z G C Y D S V

N V T E Z G T R G S N V T E

N V T S Z R V M C L .

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 = E

Medium · 73 letters

D K V P J R K F N V C B J Q X

U X J U H X P J K Z R P F

F B X T Q X H W X Q C X H H

P D K P J R K F R U J K

J R N B X D N F V

Y N S X K Z Q B S 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

4. Clue: T = I

Easy · 74 letters

W P V Y P L X X T J

B T U T D T A R O T V J Q R X

L U L P E S Q L P L G L R J O

R D T G T O R O T V J R J F

P L Y K D R O T V J V N

B V J O P R B 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: C = E

Medium · 76 letters

H J C A S C R H K E C S E

X L H V F W C S R S C

H J C F E C N T C E

L X S M R S U V I A H J C

F X T C F C I H L X S

L X S C E H

Y S C E C S T R H V X I .

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: Q = N

Medium · 78 letters

N A H A G Q H Y N

L E Y V G Y O C O Q L

P E K A N I Y H G S N A H

P H X O E Q E Q K V I U C E J

C O Q L Y E Y G S

S I Q L O X H Q N O C

E X V G P N O Q 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

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. "All such training must develop not only manual dexterity but industrial intelligence."

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

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

2. "Far and away the best prize that life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1903, *Address to the New York State Agricultural Association, Syracuse, N.Y., September 7, 1903*

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

3. "Any country whose people conduct themselves well can count upon our hearty friendship."

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

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

4. "Progress in civilization has everywhere meant a limitation and regulation of contract."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1908, *Eighth Annual Message to Congress*

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

5. "The great users of timber are themselves forwarding the movement for forest preservation."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1905, *Fifth Annual Message to Congress*

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

6. "The honest disposal and right use of the remaining public lands is of fundamental importance."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1905, *Fifth Annual Message to Congress*

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