

Worked word searches and word fit puzzles can be found at the back of this book.

### Unit 1

- A** 1 Flume – A water chute.  
 2 Obtuse – An angle larger than 90°.  
 3 Salute – An armed forces greeting.  
 4 Supreme – Ultimate.  
 5 Universe – The whole world and beyond.  
 6 Suburb – District.  
 7 Mustard – A strong tasting, yellow sauce.  
 8 Bruises – Black marks on the body.  
 9 Gruesome – Grisly.  
 10 Guarding – Protecting.  
 11 Persuade – Encourage, coax.  
 12 Religious – To have a religion.  
 13 Taut – Pulled tight.  
 14 Tongue – A part of our mouth.  
 15 Fluorescent – Glowing.  
 16 Argumentative – Confrontational.

- B** 1 EFLMU 3 BEOSTU  
 2 EEGMORSU 4 ADEEPRSU

- C**

25	22	9	19	10	8	16	21	13	1	11	3	18	14	20	7	4	6	15	2
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	K	L	N	O	P	R	S	T	U	V	W

- D** 1 **Message:** ALL OF THESE WORDS HAVE A SOFT 'G'

- E Across:**  
 1 Domain  
 6 Maintain  
 7 Tablespoon  
 10 Slain  
 11 Obtain  
 12 Yearn  
 13 Optician  
 14 Cauldron
- Down:**  
 1 Dalmatian  
 2 Tendon  
 3 Medallion  
 4 Pardon  
 5 Amphibian  
 8 Lengthen  
 9 Pentagon  
 10 Sustain

- F** 1 Slavery 5 Sympathy 9 Mutiny 13 Portray  
 2 Brainy 6 Wavy 10 Flimsy 14 Solidify  
 3 Stony 7 Airy 11 Grimy 15 Sorry  
 4 Clarify 8 Purify 12 Edgy 16 Frumpy

- G** 1 purify 3 solidify 5 flimsy 7 frumpy  
 2 sympathy 4 clarify 6 sorry 8 grimy

### Unit 2

- A** 1 **Message:** END IN TION OR SION

- B** 1 Affect 6 Destruct  
 2 Digest 7 Except  
 3 Explode 8 Introduce  
 4 Oppose 9 Perfect  
 5 Process 10 Produce

- D** 1 worst 6 intelligent  
 2 divert 7 violent  
 3 alphabet 8 antagonist  
 4 decrepit 9 prophet  
 5 apparent 10 benefit

- E**

19	8	4	21	1	26	14	7	15	24	10	13	23	20	11	2	22	9
A	B	C	D	E	G	H	I	J	L	M	N	O	P	R	S	T	W

- F** 1 moist 5 seedling  
 2 pliable 6 speechless  
 3 reliable 7 easel  
 4 appearance 8 tortoise

- G** 1 **Message:** WORDS WITH TRICKY SPELLING

- H** In any order: 3 khaki  
 1 fuchsia  
 2 mauve

- I** In any order: 3 orchestra  
 1 audio  
 2 hymn

- J** 1 yoghurt

### Unit 3

- A** 1 sergeant 9 dungeon  
 2 beverage 10 agitated  
 3 geography 11 lineage  
 4 legible 12 sage  
 5 emerged 13 indulging  
 6 genuine 14 magician  
 7 manageable 15 region  
 8 rummaged 16 pageant

- B** 1 Cassette – A cartridge or container.  
 2 Chapel – A church.  
 3 Chasm – A deep crevice.  
 4 Column – A pillar or post.  
 5 Florist – Someone who sells flowers.  
 6 Gladiator – A Roman warrior.  
 7 Governor – Someone who attends school meetings.  
 8 Hovel – A run down shack.  
 9 Hurricane – Extremely strong wind.  
 10 Melon – A large fruit.  
 11 Novel – A fictional book.  
 12 Orator – A speaker.  
 13 Professor – A highly educated lecturer.  
 14 Scholar – A school pupil.  
 15 Swordfish – A large fish with a pointed nose.  
 16 Tailor – Someone who makes suits.

- D Across:**  
 3 Strode  
 5 Rectangle  
 6 Portable  
 7 Abstract  
 11 Professional  
 13 Liberate  
 14 Abrupt
- Down:**  
 1 Loathe  
 2 Ownership  
 3 Streaked  
 4 Adept  
 7 Awesome  
 8 Senior  
 9 Oboe  
 10 Ranch  
 12 Suitable

- F** 1 astronaut 4 miniature  
 2 dinosaur 5 temperature  
 3 applause 6 distribute

### Unit 4

- B** 1 complete 7 response  
2 content 8 weird  
3 curious 9 wit  
4 electric 10 worried  
5 fortune 11 polite  
6 major
- D** 1 Behaviour – How we behave.  
2 Boundary – The edges.  
3 Bouquet – A bunch of flowers.  
4 Compound – Two or more things added together.  
5 Courageous – Brave.  
6 Delicious – Tastes really lovely.  
7 Drought – A lack of water.  
8 Encourage – To support and coax.  
9 Gorgeous – Absolutely beautiful.  
10 Gracious – To be tactful and polite.  
11 Marvellous – Awesome.  
12 Miscellaneous – A mixed variety.  
13 Neighbours – People who live close to us.  
14 Precious – Valuable.  
15 Spacious – Plenty of room.  
16 Thorough – To leave nothing unchecked.

**E**

25	3	10	21	7	14	24	9	15	17	8	22	5	19	11	18	13	1	4
A	B	C	D	E	G	H	I	L	M	N	O	P	R	S	T	U	V	Y

- F**  
**ATE:** articulate, elevate, emigrate, illustrate, intimate, investigate, navigate, ornate, primate, spectate  
**ANT:** buoyant, dormant, ignorant, pheasant, pleasant, restaurant
- H** 1 flickered 4 trudged/clambered/  
2 halved scarpered  
3 detailed 5 frustrated

### Unit 5

- A** 1 Advertise – To promote.  
2 Aeroplanes – They carry people through the sky.  
3 Atmosphere – The air.  
4 Decrease – To get smaller.  
5 Genre – Category or type.  
6 Interfere – To meddle with.  
7 Loiter – To hang around.  
8 Persevere – To persist.  
9 Remainder – That left over when we divide a number.  
10 Solitaire – A single gemstone.  
11 Swore – To have said an impolite word.  
12 Sycamore – A type of tree.  
13 Traipse – To trudge around.  
14 Verse – A poem.  
15 Welfare – Well-being.  
16 Wives – The opposite to 'husbands'.
- B** 1 atmosphere 4 remainder  
2 persevere 5 aeroplanes  
3 solitaire 6 decrease

**C**

21	3	16	13	11	26	5	22	12	10	4	18	1	15	24	25
A	C	D	E	G	I	L	M	N	O	P	R	S	T	U	V

### D Across:

- 1 Improvement  
6 Amazement  
11 Coherent  
12 Compliment  
13 Payment  
14 Continent  
15 Complement  
16 Absent

- E** 1 Cheetah  
2 Gnarled  
3 Leopard  
4 Melancholy  
5 Omelette  
6 Overwhelmed  
7 Rhyme  
8 Rhythm

- F** 1 gnarled  
2 omelette  
3 rhyme  
4 wreath  
5 whispering

### Down:

- 2 Moment  
3 Effervescent  
4 Judgement  
5 Consistent  
7 Advertisement  
8 Refreshment  
9 Magnificent  
10 Despondent

- 9 Scissors  
10 Thyme  
11 Whimpering  
12 Whipped  
13 Whispering  
14 Whistle  
15 Wrapped  
16 Wreath

- 6 cheetah, leopard  
7 thyme  
8 scissors  
9 wrapped

### Unit 6

- A** 1 **Message:** THESE WORDS HAVE A 'C' SOUND, BUT THEY DON'T ALL HAVE A 'C' IN THEM

- B** 1 sealed 4 conquer  
2 matchstick 5 quilted  
3 opaque
- C** 1 tributary 7 powerless  
2 opportunity 8 oppressed  
3 attached 9 attacked  
4 flawless 10 kidnapped  
5 establish 11 necessity  
6 painless 12 rudeness

- D** 1 abolish 5 rudeness  
2 powerless 6 diminish  
3 flawless 7 tributary  
4 lavish 8 attached

- E** In any order:  
1 attacked 3 kidnapped  
2 flawless 4 painless  
5 powerless

### F Across:

- 2 Legendary  
4 Pottery  
5 Enslave  
9 Shattered  
11 Delve  
13 Settled  
14 Sensory  
15 Pyjamas

### Down:

- 1 Shoved  
2 Lithe  
3 Satisfactory  
6 Stuttered  
7 Artefacts  
8 Villains  
10 Earrings  
12 Income

- G** 1 cathedral 5 fictional 9 artificial 13 colossal  
2 logical 6 crystal 10 vertical 14 cynical  
3 topical 7 factual 11 internal 15 principal  
4 feral 8 spherical 12 physical 16 optical

- H** 1 internal  
2 logical  
3 vertical
- I** 1 fictional  
2 factual
- 4 artificial  
5 colossal  
6 feral
- 3 physical  
4 spherical

### Unit 7

- B** 1 gaggle  
2 ogre  
3 dinghy
- D** 1 approach  
2 bury  
3 deaf  
4 despair  
5 disgust  
6 die or dye  
7 flush  
8 fright
- E** 1st gnidnem  
2nd gnigdol
- F** 16 10 1 19 11 14 6 3 21 20 22 13  
A B C D E F G H I L M N  
26 18 8 7 15 12 2 5 24 25 4  
O P Q R S T U V W Y Z
- G** 1 quarrel  
2 abbreviate  
3 forbidden
- 4 sprig  
5 granite  
6 glimpse
- 9 laugh  
10 lodge  
11 mend  
12 move  
13 practise  
14 stay  
15 threat  
16 trespass
- 3rd gnivom  
4th gniyd
- 4 accurate  
5 puzzled  
6 accompany

### Unit 8

- A** 1 Abbey – A monastery.  
2 Alleyway – An entry leading from one road to another.  
3 Authority – An expert or someone in control.  
4 Cemetery – A place where people are buried.  
5 Emergency – A crisis.  
6 Jockey – Someone who rides a racing horse.  
7 Kidney – An organ in our body.  
8 Laboratory – A room for a scientist to work in.  
9 Luxury – Indulgent and extravagant.  
10 Missionary – An evangelist who is a travelling preacher.  
11 Pastry – A mixture of flour, butter and water for making pies.  
12 Quarry – A place to mine stone.  
13 Remedy – A solution or cure.  
14 Salary – The wages that we earn.  
15 Strategy – A plan or scheme.  
16 Trolley – A basket on wheels that we use in a supermarket.
- C** 1 **Message:** THESE WORDS END IN THE SAME LETTER
- D** 1 pity  
2 plenty  
3 skill  
4 deceit
- 5 success  
6 part  
7 dread  
8 pain
- F** 1 CCDNOORTU  
2 CEIORRU
- 3 EEEIMPRRT  
4 EORRR

- G** 1st rednih  
2nd repat  
3rd retlaf
- 4th romert  
5th ronod  
6th rorre

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### Unit 9

- A** 1 odorous  
2 industrious  
3 hideous  
4 countryside  
5 limousine  
6 numerous  
7 mischievous  
8 humour
- B** 1 civil  
2 fierce  
3 number
- C** 1st dicalp  
2nd dicnar  
3rd ecamirg
- D** 1 CEIILNPPR  
2 CDEIILSV  
3 CENNOOPRU
- F** 1 attract  
2 definite  
3 heavy  
4 impulse/pulse
- 9 colourful  
10 honoured  
11 courteous  
12 nourish  
13 mountains  
14 enormous  
15 luscious  
16 mysterious
- 4 pierce  
5 private  
6 sincere
- 4th ecnim  
5th ecnuo
- 4 ACEFNRRU  
5 CDEEEIRV  
6 AACENPSU
- 5 real  
6 nomad  
7 weary  
8 fortune

G	22	4	16	12	3	9	17	14	6	15	23	11	7	8	20	24	25	10	2
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- H** 1 hostile  
**I** 1 postpone
- 2 awkward  
2 tepid

### Unit 10

- A** 1 Embarrassed  
2 Complaint  
3 Claimed  
4 Machinery  
5 Pendulum  
6 Millionaire  
7 Platinum  
8 Mottled
- B** 1 millionaire  
2 mottled
- C** 1 Insufficient  
2 Abseil  
3 Believing  
4 Client
- 9 Trapezium  
10 Command  
11 Amethyst  
12 Modem  
13 Metallic  
14 Muttered  
15 Miserable  
16 Maim
- 3 pendulum
- 5 Healthier  
6 Pastries  
7 Sufficient  
8 Heir

- D

1

healthier

2

abseil

3

heir

4

client

5

obedient

6

spies

7

insufficient

8

penalties
- E

1

Appear

2

Appoint

3

Comfort

4

Integrate

5

Own

6

Patient

7

Act/active

8

Depend
- F

1

microscopic

2

disappearing

3

recollect
- G

1

independent

2

recollect
- H

comfort + able, fur + row, no + mad, self + less, credit + able, gall + eon, occur + red, to + wards, for + getting, glut + ton, off + ended, to + wing, for + mat, met + hod, panic + king, travel + led
- 9

convenient

10

variety

11

sovereign

12

believing

13

shrieked

14

leisure

15

sufficient

16

pastries
- 9

Scribe

10

Sight

11

Scope

12

Trust

13

Weight

14

Claim

15

Collect

16

Usual
- 4

inactive

5

overweight

6

unusual
- 3

disappointment

4

mistrust