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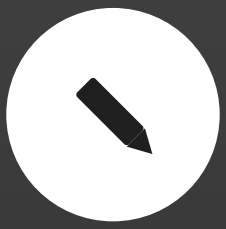

Dementia Worksheets

Large-print word puzzles, with answers

Word searches • missing letter • unscramble • categories • pairs • days and months • answer key

Print the pages you want, as many times as you like

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Before You Start

A FEW MINUTES OF READING FOR THE PERSON HELPING

These worksheets use everyday words, very large letters and plenty of space. They start easy. Word searches only run left to right and top to bottom, never backwards or diagonally.

HOW TO USE IT

1. Pick one page. Read the instructions out loud together.
2. Do the first one together so the idea is clear.
3. Give clues freely. The aim is to finish with a smile, not to finish alone.
4. Stop while it is still enjoyable, and save the rest for another day.
5. The answers are on the last page, for the helper.

TIPS THAT HELP

- Use a thick, dark pen or marker that is easy to grip.
- Good light and reading glasses (if worn) make a big difference.
- If a page is too hard, try the categories page: every sensible answer is right.
- Talk about the words as you go: “Did you grow roses?” often matters more than the puzzle.

These pages are for enjoyment and conversation. They are not a memory test and they do not treat or slow dementia. If you notice a sudden change in memory or behavior, talk to their doctor.

Word Search: In the Garden

WORDS GO ACROSS (LEFT TO RIGHT) OR DOWN (TOP TO BOTTOM) ONLY

U	G	F	S	R	W	V	F	D
P	K	E	C	T	W	B	V	N
W	O	R	M	P	W	V	W	F
V	A	S	L	E	A	F	C	B
S	B	G	H	V	A	P	L	R
E	P	U	B	I	R	D	G	O
E	S	H	S	P	A	D	E	S
D	T	U	L	I	P	W	K	E
S	B	E	N	C	H	R	A	Y

FIND THESE WORDS

- ☐ ROSE
- ☐ SEEDS
- ☐ SPADE
- ☐ TULIP
- ☐ WORM
- ☐ BENCH
- ☐ LEAF
- ☐ BIRD

Word Search: In the Kitchen

WORDS GO ACROSS (LEFT TO RIGHT) OR DOWN (TOP TO BOTTOM) ONLY

D	F	M	C	U	B	S	G	P
B	O	C	U	O	O	C	H	L
C	R	T	P	O	B	U	D	A
H	K	E	T	T	L	E	W	T
W	B	U	B	U	U	N	B	E
H	R	B	T	E	O	V	E	N
K	E	O	J	E	T	D	U	K
T	A	Y	A	F	D	U	U	W
G	D	M	M	S	P	O	O	N

FIND THESE WORDS

- ☐ KETTLE
- ☐ SPOON
- ☐ PLATE
- ☐ OVEN
- ☐ BREAD
- ☐ CUP
- ☐ FORK
- ☐ JAM

Missing Letter

FILL IN THE MISSING LETTER TO FINISH EACH WORD

A fruit — A P P [ ] E

An animal — H O [ ] S E

Furniture — T A B [ ] E

Weather — R A [ ] N

A color — G R [ ] E N

A drink — T [ ] A

Part of the body — H A [ ] D

A bird — R O B [ ] N

In the night sky — S T [ ] R

A tool — H A M [ ] E R

Unscramble

PUT THE LETTERS IN THE RIGHT ORDER TO MAKE A WORD

A pet

G O D

A color

D E R

A drink

K L I M

In the kitchen

P U C

Weather

W O N S

A season

M U S M E R

A day

D A Y N O M

A fruit

N O M E L

Categories

WRITE THREE THINGS FOR EACH ONE. ANY SENSIBLE ANSWER IS RIGHT.

NAME THREE...	1	2	3
Fruits			
Animals on a farm			
Things in a kitchen			
Colors			
Flowers			
Things that are cold			
Ways to travel			
Winter clothes			

Finish the Pair

WORDS THAT GO TOGETHER. FILL IN THE SECOND WORD.

Salt and _____

Cup and _____

Bread and _____

Knife and _____

Needle and _____

Hammer and _____

Pen and _____

Socks and _____

Thunder and _____

Table and _____

Days and Months

NUMBER THEM IN ORDER: 1 FOR THE FIRST, 2 FOR THE NEXT...

DAYS OF THE WEEK (START WITH MONDAY)

- [ ] Thursday
- [ ] Saturday
- [ ] Sunday
- [ ] Friday
- [ ] Monday
- [ ] Wednesday
- [ ] Tuesday

MONTHS OF THE YEAR (START WITH JANUARY)

- [ ] April
- [ ] January
- [ ] March
- [ ] June
- [ ] February
- [ ] November
- [ ] October
- [ ] July
- [ ] December
- [ ] September
- [ ] May
- [ ] August

Answers

FOR THE HELPER

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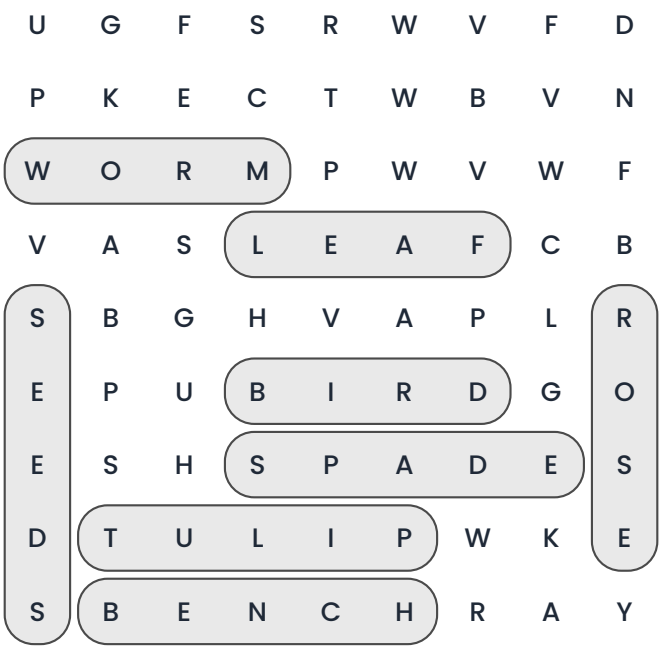

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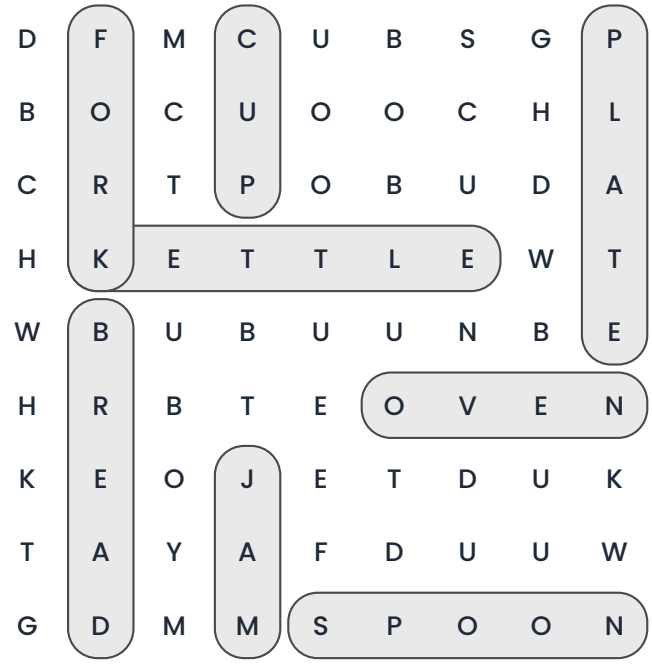

MISSING LETTER

APPLE (L)
HORSE (R)
TABLE (L)
RAIN (I)
GREEN (E)
TEA (E)
HAND (N)
ROBIN (I)
STAR (A)
HAMMER (M)

UNSCRAMBLE

GOD = DOG
DER = RED
KLIM = MILK
PUC = CUP
WONS = SNOW
MUSMER = SUMMER
DAYNOM = MONDAY
NOMEL = LEMON

FINISH THE PAIR

Salt and pepper
Cup and saucer
Bread and butter
Knife and fork
Needle and thread
Hammer and nails
Pen and paper
Socks and shoes
Thunder and lightning
Table and chairs

DAYS AND MONTHS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December.

Categories: no fixed answers. Any sensible answer is right.