

TRAIN  
— YOUR —  
BRAIN



**Week 5**

# Riddle it Out!

1. What gets broken without being held?

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2. Poor people have it. Rich people need it. If you eat it you die. what is it?

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3. I am a word of 5 letters and people eat me. If you remove the first letter I become a form of energy. Remove the first two and I'm needed to live. Scramble the last 3 and you can drink me. What am I?

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4. What begins with T, ends with T and has T in it?

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5. A man is trapped in a room. The room has only two possible exits: two doors. Through the first door there is a room constructed from magnifying glass. The blazing hot sun instantly fries anything or anyone that enters. Through the second door there is a fire-breathing dragon. How does the man escape?

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6. What can you hear but not touch or see and yet control?

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# Word Circles

These 'round words' have several clues, and the answers read clockwise round the circle.

The end of each word overlaps the beginning of the next by one or more letters. We've given you at least one letter to get you started. How quickly can you complete the circle?

1. Stay  
2. Barbaric  
3. Handbook  
4. Nearly  
5. Long step  
6. Modest

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1. Underground storeroom  
2. Take into custody  
3. Make great efforts  
4. Animal pests  
5. Enter by force  
6. Mechanical contrivance

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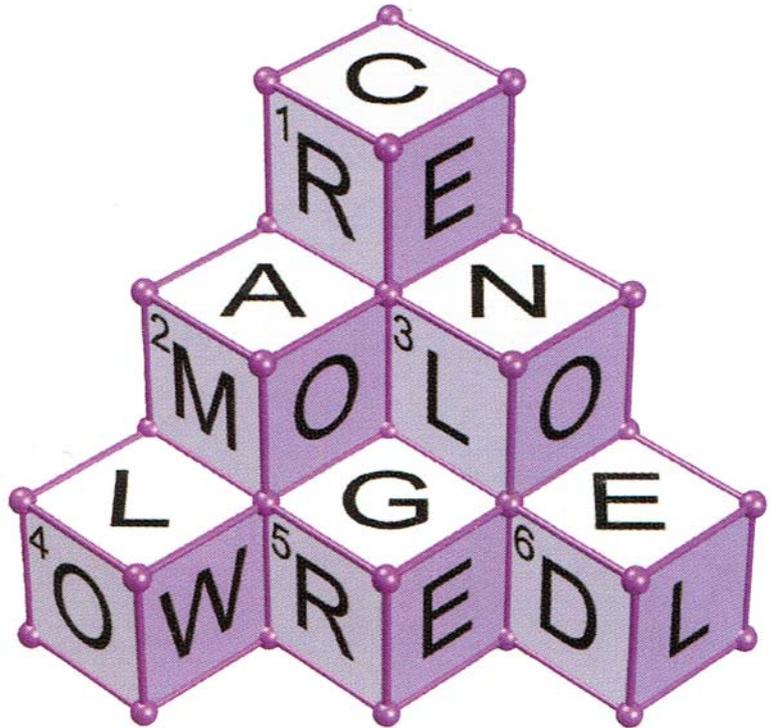


# Alpha Dice

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**Clues:**

1. Salad vegetable
2. River
3. Usual
4. Colour
5. Fruit
6. Used for sewing



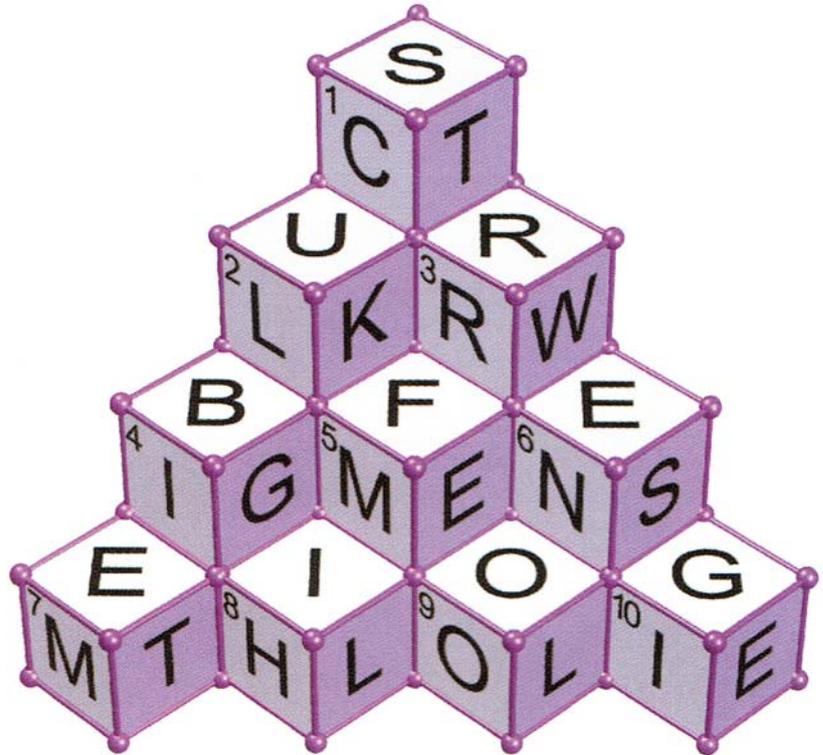
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**Clues:**

1. Something hidden
2. Open up
3. Thin
4. Tedious
5. On fire
6. Sport
7. Head protection
8. Take in
9. Chinese food
10. Laugh



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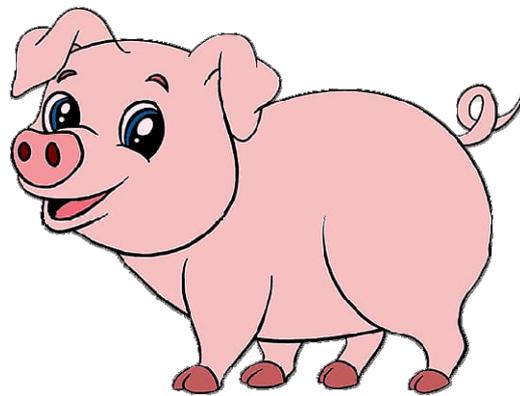
# Heteronyms

Heteronyms are words or phrases that use the same letters, in the same order, but are usually pronounced differently and mean different things. Use the clues to figure out the heteronymic pairs.

Use these pairs of clues to identify four heteronyms. Remember that each word is spelt the same, has a different pronunciation.

## The name's the same

1. plant seeds / female pig
2. turn down / garbage
3. tiny / period of time
4. abandon / dry place



Many heteronyms are the result of one word being a verb and another being a noun.



Heteronyms are another way of increasing your word power - and keeping a check of your spelling. Use the following clues to identify five heteronyms.

## Sounds Different

1. captivate / way in
2. fruit and veg / create
3. line / argument
4. take exception / thing
5. turned / injury





# Colouring to Relax



# Answers

## Riddle it Out! pg. 2

1. A Promise
2. Nothing
3. Wheat, heat, eat, tea
4. A Teapot
5. He waits until night time and then goes through the first door.
6. Your voice.

## Heteronyms pg. 7

### The name's the same

1. Sow
2. Refuse
3. Minute
4. Desert

### Sounds Different

1. Entrance
2. Produce
3. Row
4. Object
5. Wound

## Circle Words pg. 3

1. REMAIN
2. INHUMAN
3. MANUAL
4. ALMOST
5. STRIDE
6. DEMURE

## Alpha Dice pg. 5

1. CELERY
2. AMAZON
3. NORMAL
4. YELLOW
5. ORANGE
6. NEEDLE

First Column: Canyon

## Words in Words pg. 8

There are over 3000 words in the word  
RELATIONSHIP

## Circle Words pg. 4

1. CELLAR
2. ARREST
3. STRIVE
4. VERMIN
5. INVADE
6. DEVICE

## Alpha Dice pg. 6

1. SECRET
2. UNLOCK
3. NARROW
4. BORING
5. AFLAME
6. TENNIS
7. HELMET
8. INHALE
9. NOODLE
10. GIGGLE

First Column: SUNBATHING

