

# Cryptograms - Easier



## #1. Not Even Superman Could Do It

Hint: The fifth word is a single letter; how many single-letter words are there? And what letters often come after an apostrophe?

QUESTION:

7	17	15	14
W			

24	9

21	24	1	17	14
		G		

15	9

15

22	6	15	14	17	6	3

  

19	2	14

6	4	6	11
	V		

14	17	6

7	10	3	21	8
W				

9

  

9	14	3	10	11	1	6	9	14
					G			

25	15	11

23	15	11
C		

14

17	10	21	8

24	14

  

22	10	3

14	7	6	11	14	12
	W				Y

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22	24	4	6
		V	

25	24	11	2	14	6	9

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ANSWER:

17	24	9

19	3	6	15	14	17

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## #2. Pinocchio's Problem

Hint: There are usually only a few words that start off a question. Which of them have three letters? Also, does the title give you a hint about what word you might find?

QUESTION:

4	7	19
		Y

14	3	8
		N

10

19	11	26	15
Y			

8	11	3	1
N			

10	4	1	20	9	1
				V	

14	8	22	7	1	3
	N				

20	11	8	12
		N	?

ANSWER:

18	1	22	13	26	3	1

10	7	1	8
			N

14	10

4	11	26	20	17

18	1

13

25	11	11	10
F			

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# Cryptograms - Harder



## #3. Is it an Adage, or an Add-age?

Hint: There are some pretty common short words in this question; some of them are even the same. Can you figure out what they are?

QUESTION:

6	19			14	17	26				6	9			4	26	1	3	16	2	22					16	2	8				14	11	12	13	13														
											S					M																																	
6	9			16						4	12	26	17	8						17	11	16	14							16	12	13								19	26	5	12						
16	2	8								19	6	10	13																																				

ANSWER:

2	6	2	13

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## #4. Calendar Counting Challenge

Hint: All of the problems so far have had numbers in them, and this one's no different. Where do you think the number word(s) might be?

QUESTION:

19	11	8

21	7	2	17

21	11	2	16	19	4

19	7	5	26

16	8	26	2	16	17

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26	6	9	19	16

18	7	17	4

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ANSWER:

7	25	25

11	15

16	19	26	21

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# Cryptograms Answers

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*Hint: The fifth word is a single letter; how many single-letter words are there? And what letters often come after an apostrophe?*

QUESTION: What is light as a feather, but even the world's strongest man can't hold it for twenty-five minutes?

ANSWER: His breath!

## #2. Pinocchio's Problem

*Hint: There are usually only a few words that start off a question. Which of them have three letters? Also, does the title give you a hint about what word you might find?*

QUESTION: Why isn't your nose twelve inches long?

ANSWER: Because then it would be a foot!

## #3. Is it an Adage, or an Add-age?

*Hint: There are some pretty common short words in this question; some of them are even the same. Can you figure out what they are?*

QUESTION: If two is company and three is a crowd, what are four and five?

ANSWER: Nine!

## #4. Calendar Counting Challenge

*Hint: All of the problems so far have had numbers in them, and this one's no different. Where do you think the number word(s) might be?*

QUESTION: How many months have twenty-eight days?

ANSWER: All of them!

# Cryptogram Keys



#1	#2	#3	#4	#5
G 1	E 1	M 1	J 1	X 1
U 2	K 2	N 2	N 2	N 2
R 3	S 3	P 3	K 3	M 3
V 4	W 4	C 4	S 4	W 4
Z 5	M 5	U 5	V 5	Q 5
E 6	Q 6	I 6	I 6	U 6
W 7	H 7	K 7	A 7	I 7
D 8	N 8	D 8	W 8	T 8
S 9	V 9	S 9	G 9	K 9
O 10	T 10	V 10	U 10	Y 10
N 11	O 11	H 11	O 11	V 11
12	G 12	R 12	Z 12	L 12
Q 13	A 13	E 13	X 13	Z 13
T 14	I 14	T 14	B 14	J 14
A 15	R 15	Q 15	F 15	S 15
X 16	X 16	A 16	T 16	E 16
H 17	D 17	W 17	Y 17	C 17
K 18	B 18	Z 18	D 18	O 18
B 19	Y 19	F 19	H 19	P 19
P 20	L 20	X 20	C 20	H 20
L 21	P 21	J 21	M 21	R 21
F 22	C 22	Y 22	P 22	B 22
C 23	Z 23	B 23	Q 23	D 23
I 24	J 24	G 24	R 24	F 24

M 25  
J 26

F 25  
U 26

L 25  
O 26

L 25  
E 26

A 25  
G 26