

Lesson 8 – Finding the word which can't be made from the letters.

In this exercise, you need to use the letters of the word in bold on the left of the page. From these it is only possible to make three of the four words on the right. Circle the word which can not be made.

Helpful hints:

1. You may only use each letter once. If a letter appears more than once it may be used as many times as it occurs in the word.
2. You don't need to use every letter in the word on the left.
3. Cross off the letters as you go; as soon as you realise you can make one word, move on and look to the next.

Example:

**disappointed**      stopped      positions      painted      pointed

In this case the correct answer would be *positions* as all the other words can be made from the letters of disappointed.

Now look at the next page. Try to do each one as quickly as you can but make sure you finish them all. Time yourself. You need to be able to complete 20 in 10 minutes. When you have finished write your time in the box at the top.

Extension 8.

My Time

My Score

<b>1. confrontation</b>	action	frantic	fanatic	fraction
<b>2. charismatic</b>	charming	chairs	charts	charms
<b>3. archaeology</b>	logic	glare	larch	ache
<b>4. homogenous</b>	mouse	gnomes	huge	hedge
<b>5. heinous</b>	shine	shins	house	noise
<b>6. mischievous</b>	vicious	chives	chief	mice
<b>7. refutable</b>	fable	tablet	flare	bleat
<b>8. kinetic</b>	tinker	tick	neck	kite
<b>9. pheasant</b>	shape	phase	peach	tapes
<b>10. inextricable</b>	extra	cable	clean	exhale
<b>11. phosphorous</b>	porous	posh	shopper	hush
<b>12. vindictive</b>	dictate	divine	edict	vice
<b>13. levitating</b>	tingle	evict	vital	invite
<b>14. reminiscent</b>	minister	entice	retire	mitre
<b>15. pedantic</b>	date	paid	depend	peat
<b>16. indicative</b>	indicate	dice	activate	vindicate
<b>17. interrogative</b>	gravitate	inter	invigorate	trove
<b>18. ordinarily</b>	daily	airily	dairy	dreary
<b>19. marvellous</b>	marvel	ravenous	meals	mouse
<b>20. horrendous</b>	shore	roused	honed	shoddy

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ANSWERS

1. <b>confrontation</b>	action	frantic	<u>fanatic</u>	fraction
2. <b>charismatic</b>	<u>charming</u>	chairs	charts	charms
3. <b>archaeology</b>	<u>logic</u>	glare	larch	ache
4. <b>homogenous</b>	mouse	gnomes	huge	<u>hedge</u>
5. <b>heinous</b>	shine	<u>shins</u>	house	noise
6. <b>mischievous</b>	vicious	chives	<u>chief</u>	mice
7. <b>refutable</b>	fable	<u>tablet</u>	flare	bleat
8. <b>kinetic</b>	<u>tinker</u>	tick	neck	kite
9. <b>pheasant</b>	shape	phase	<u>peach</u>	tapes
10. <b>inextricable</b>	extra	cable	clean	<u>exhale</u>
11. <b>phosphorous</b>	porous	posh	<u>shopper</u>	hush
12. <b>vindictive</b>	<u>dictate</u>	divine	edict	vice
13. <b>levitating</b>	tingle	<u>evict</u>	vital	invite
14. <b>reminiscent</b>	minister	entice	<u>retire</u>	mitre
15. <b>pedantic</b>	date	paid	<u>depend</u>	peat
16. <b>indicative</b>	indicate	dice	<u>activate</u>	vindicate
17. <b>interrogative</b>	<u>gravitate</u>	inter	invigorate	trove
18. <b>ordinarily</b>	daily	airily	dairy	<u>dreary</u>
19. <b>marvellous</b>	marvel	<u>ravenous</u>	meals	mouse
20. <b>horrendous</b>	shore	roused	honed	<u>shoddy</u>