

**1. Hermione Granger**

*My row is all female.*

*Harry's first girlfriend is at the end of my row.*

Cho Chang is in E1.

**2. Cho Chang**

*A Ravenclaw DA member 2 years below me is at the bottom of my column.*

*My 3 adjacents and I represent all 4 houses.*

Luna Lovegood is in E6.

**3. Luna Lovegood**

*The golden trio is all in the same column, Harry's in my row.*

*I have two twins on my diagonal.*

Harry Potter is in A6.

**4. Harry Potter**

*I'm vertically adjacent to Draco. Ron isn't adjacent to Draco or Hermione.*

This tells us Draco Malfoy is in A5 and that Ron Weasley is in A3.

**5. Draco Malfoy**

*The four Slytherins who were with me on the train to Hogwarts in my sixth year are here.*

Blaise, Crabbe, Goyle, and Pansy are somewhere in the quiz.

**6. Ron Weasley**

*I'm adjacent to one of my twin brothers, who's in the same row as his twin.*

*Neville is in D2.*

Fred and George are in the same row, one of them is adjacent to Ron. Neville is in D2.

**7. Neville Longbottom**

*All my adjacents except in Row 1 are male. I'm adjacent to two dorm-mates, and my Yule Ball date.*

Neville's Yule Ball date is Ginny, she has to be in Row 1 because only Neville's adjacents in that row are female. Cho told us D1/E1/D2/E2 have one person each from the four houses. Neville and Cho are already in these squares so Ginny can't be in D1 because it has to be a Hufflepuff or Slytherin. Ginny has to be in C1.

**8. Ginny Weasley**

*I have two brothers in column 1, one brother in column 2, and one in column 3.*

*My Gryffindor ex-boyfriend is on my diagonal, I'm not adjacent to them.*

Dean is on Ginny's diagonal and non-adjacent, this can only be E3.

**9. Dean Thomas**

*There are two Slytherins in my column, and two in my row. Ron is horizontally adjacent to the youngest DA member.*

This refers to Dennis Creevey, in B3.

#### **10. Dennis Creevey**

*I'm adjacent to four twins. None of the twins are adjacent to their own twin though. A male Ravenclaw prefect is on Luna's diagonal.*

The only four student twins we know are Fred, George, Padma, and Parvati. All are adjacent to Dennis. We know from Luna's clue that she has two twins on her diagonal. This has to mean that A2 and C4, on Luna's diagonal and adjacent to Dennis, are some combination of Parvati/Padma/Fred/George. We don't have enough information to definitively place any twins yet. It does leave just one free spot on Luna's diagonal however, which means the only male Ravenclaw prefect we know, Anthony Goldstein, is in D5.

#### **11. Anthony Goldstein**

*The bottom row is all DA members. Ernie is adjacent to Hermione and Seamus.*

Neville told us he is adjacent to two of his dorm-mates. Harry and Ron are already placed, which means Neville is adjacent to Seamus and Dean. Row 1 is all female so Ernie and Seamus can't be in that row. The only remaining way that Ernie and Seamus could be placed so Ernie is adjacent to Hermione and Seamus adjacent to Neville is Ernie in B2 and Seamus in C2.

#### **12. Ernie Macmillan**

*George shares a column with Lee Jordan.*

#### **13. Seamus Finnegan**

*Romilda Vane is in column D.*

Romilda is in column 4, but we can't be sure where yet. Placing Ernie/Seamus means we can place Fred and George.

We know that four twins are adjacent to Dennis. Dean's hint indicates that C3 and C4 are Slytherins, so Dennis' C3 adjacent is not a twin. On top of what we know from Luna/Dennis' hints that A2 and C4 are twins, then Dennis' two remaining adjacents A4 and B4 must also be twins. Fred and George are in the same row and not adjacent, so must be in A4 and C4. Which means Padma/Parvati are in A2/B4, we just don't know which one is in what spot yet. George is in the same column as Lee, Lee can't fit anywhere in column A which means George is in C4. This puts Fred in A4.

#### **14. George Weasley**

*C5 and D3 were in the Slug Club. Goyle and Millicent Bultstrode share a diagonal.*

#### **15. Fred Weasley**

*B1 and D1 were prefects in Harry's year. Lee is adjacent to Zacharias Smith.*

We know that Lee Jordan is in George's column. He wasn't in the Slug club, and we know C3 is a Slytherin (Dean's hint) so Lee must be in C6. We also know D3 is a Slytherin, the only Slytherin Slug club member is Blaise, Blaise is in D3.

Hermione and Fred's hints tell us B1 and D1 are some combination of Pansy Parkinson/Hannah Smith, the only remaining female prefects from Harry's year. Ginny told us she had a brother in column B. Her only remaining brother that was a student while Harry was too is Percy. Percy can't be in B6 (Anthony's hint - not in DA), B4 (that's Padma or Parvati) or B1 (Pansy or Hannah) so he has to be in B5.

We know that Romilda Vane is in column D (Seamus' hint), knowing that D1 is a prefect and D6 is a DA member, Romilda can only be in D4.

**16. Lee Jordan**

**17. Blaise Zabini**

**18. Percy Weasley**

**19. Romilda Vane**

*Cormac McLaggen is adjacent to Colin Creevey.*

We know Goyle and Millicent Bullstrode share a diagonal. D1 + E2 have to be a Hufflepuff/Slytherin (Cho's hint). The empty spots in Row 1 are female prefects, and Row 6 are DA members so they can't be in any of those spaces. We know B4/A2 are the Patil twins. The only way Millicent/Goyle can share a diagonal then is if Goyle is in C3 and Millicent is in E5.

**20. Millicent Bullstrode**

**21. Gregory Goyle**

*I'm adjacent to Ron's Yule Ball date.*

Padma is in B4. Parvati is in A2.

To fit Cormac and Colin we need two adjacent free spaces. Row 1 is all female so they can't be in any spaces there. Dean has two Slytherins in his column so they can't be in the adjacent spaces in column E. B4 is occupied by Padma. This leaves C5+B6 or D6 as the two adjacents that could fit Cormac and Colin. C5 is in the Slug club and Row D is all DA. This means Cormac has to be the one in C5. Colin Creevey and Zacharias Smith (Fred's hint) are in B6/D6 we don't know which yet.

**22. Cormac McLaggen**

**23. Padma Patil**

*All male Hufflepuff DA members are in the quiz.*

Ernie Macmillan and Zacharias Smith are already placed, Justin Finch-Fletchley is somewhere in the quiz.

**24. Parvati Patil**

*Pansy is the only Slytherin in her column.*

We know from Hermione + Fred's hints that Pansy is in B1 or D1. Column D already has Slytherins in it, so Pansy is in B1.

**25. Pansy Parkinson**

*Millicent is adjacent to one Hufflepuff.*

Placing Pansy also means we can place Hannah Abbott in D1, the remaining female prefect. With Hannah in D1 this also means E2 has to be a Slytherin (Cho's hint).

**26. Hannah Abbott**

We have Crabbe, Zacharias Smith, Colin Creevey and Justin Finch-Fletchley left to place. E2 has to be a Slytherin (Cho's hint), Crabbe is in E2. We know Colin and Zacharias are in Row 6 (Fred + Romilda's hints). This means Justin has to be in E4. Millicent is only adjacent to one Hufflepuff (Pansy's hint), so Colin is the one in D6 and Zacharias Smith in B6.

**27. Vincent Crabbe**

**28. Justin Finch-Fletchley**

**29. Colin Creevey**

**30. Zacharias Smith**