

# ALPHAPUZZLE®

Alphapuzzle® tests your logic and word power. Each grid number represents a letter. Each letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter or letters - below the main grid - to start. Can you beat the Target Time? Call for an Extra Letter Clue if you get stuck. Solution next Sunday. **DIFFICULTY:** 10/10;

**TARGET TIME:** 30 minutes; **CLUE:** Boat the French join for music.

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|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 15 |    | 20 |    | 19 |    |    |    | 20 |    | 15 |    | 9  |
| 13 | 22 | 16 | 23 | 7  | 19 |    | 8  | 3  | 25 | 22 | 19 | 21 |
| 7  |    | 22 |    | 4  |    | 21 |    | 13 |    | 16 |    | 21 |
| 1  | 22 | 19 | 2  | 18 | 7  | 7  |    | 7  | 19 | 9  | 21 | 7  |
| 3  |    | 16 |    | 7  |    | 20 |    | 6  |    | 6  |    | 19 |
| 20 | 22 | 13 | 16 |    | 20 | 12 | 22 | 24 | 7  |    |    |    |
| 23 |    | 7  |    | 24 |    | 7  |    | 7  |    | 19 |    | 20 |
|    |    |    | 20 | 13 | 18 | 19 | 12 |    | 11 | 3  | 6  | 5  |
| 15 |    | 14 |    | 18 |    | 22 |    | 7  |    | 4  |    | 3  |
| 7  | 10 | 7  | 19 | 16 |    | 21 | 3  | 20 | 16 | 22 | 14 | 14 |
| 3  |    | 19 |    | 16 |    | 9  |    | 20 |    | 13 |    | 14 |
| 26 | 22 | 19 | 21 | 7  | 6  |    | 15 | 22 | 19 | 19 | 7  | 13 |
| 7  |    | 17 |    | 19 |    |    |    | 17 |    | 17 |    | 7  |

For extra letter clues, call:

**0907 181 2603**

(Deduct two minutes from Target Time for each extra letter heard).

Alternatively, for six extra letter clues direct to your mobile, text:

**SXALPHA to 84901.**

Texts cost £1 plus your normal network operator rate.

Full solution:

0907 181 2602

Across only:

0907 181 2600

Down only:

0907 181 2601

\*Calls cost 80p a minute plus your telephone company's network access charge.

SP: Spoke, London W1B 2AG.

### Last Sunday's solution

**ACROSS:** Verbal, Junior, Regiment, Blaze, Wind, Penny, Quota, Lace, Ether, Outrage, Syntax, Closet.

**DOWN:** Overawe, Beast, Brigand, Chunk, Balm, Surreal, Injection, Husband (clue), Stile, Rival, Malaise, Brief, Beneath.

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|----|----|----|----|----|----|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7        | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    | <b>E</b> |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20       | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |

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## THE ULTRA ALPHAPUZZLE®

Here's the Ultra Alphapuzzle® - Sunday's extra tough version of Britain's favourite wordpower challenge. Each grid number represents a different letter. All 26 letters are used.

**Target time:** 30 minutes **Solution next Sunday.**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 3  | 6  | 9  | 12 | 15 | 18 | 21 | 24 |    |    | 19 |    | 9  |
| 6  |    | 6  |    | 6  |    | 24 |    | 22 | 9  | 18 | 11 | 24 |
| 9  | 6  | 13 | 8  | 21 | 26 | 24 | 17 | 9  |    | 24 |    | 22 |
| 12 |    | 14 |    | 2  |    | 12 |    | 18 |    | 21 | 8  | 9  |
| 4  | 8  | 17 | 9  |    | 10 | 15 | 6  | 7  | 24 | 12 |    | 24 |
|    |    | 24 |    | 24 |    | 24 |    | 7  |    |    |    | 23 |
| 8  | 13 | 26 | 6  | 20 | 24 |    | 6  | 15 | 16 | 6  | 4  | 23 |
| 20 |    |    |    | 6  |    | 11 |    | 4  |    | 13 |    |    |
| 24 |    | 23 | 18 | 23 | 26 | 24 | 9  |    | 26 | 24 | 6  | 5  |
| 9  | 6  | 26 |    | 18 |    | 16 |    | 25 |    | 9  |    | 17 |
| 26 |    | 9  |    | 8  | 17 | 26 | 21 | 17 | 5  | 10 | 24 | 9  |
| 6  | 15 | 18 | 24 | 21 |    | 24 |    | 23 |    | 18 |    | 6  |
| 1  |    | 11 |    |    | 11 | 9  | 8  | 26 | 8  | 13 | 8  | 15 |

For up to six extra clue letters call:

**0907 181 2607**

(Deduct three minutes from Target Time for each extra letter heard).

Alternatively, for six extra clues direct to your mobile, text

**SXALPHAU to 84901.**

Texts cost £1 plus your normal network rate.

Full solution:

0907 181 2611

Across only:

0907 181 2609

Down only:

0907 181 2610

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### Last Sunday's solution

**ACROSS:** Fabulous, Deign, Avalanche, Elf, Debt, Filial, Zigzag, Wobble, Scenic, Quad, Lot, Impetuous, Given, Property.

**DOWN:** Fraud, Zoology, Beanbag, Stove, Loam, Javelin, Urchin, Kipper, Demigod, Step, Pixel, Boudoir, Snuffle, Dishy.

|          |          |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1        | 2        | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| <b>X</b> | <b>K</b> |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 14       | 15       | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |

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