

## Harry Potter Characters House Logic Puzzle

### **1. Ron Weasley**

*Every Hogwarts house is represented just once on each row. Draco is in A6.*

Someone from Gryffindor, Hufflepuff, Ravenclaw, and Slytherin appear once in each row, along with one non-housed character.

### **2. Draco Malfoy**

*Including me, every house is represented on my diagonal, with 2 Ravenclaws. My old house-elf is at the end of my row.*

This tells us the 4 remaining spots on Draco's diagonal are made up of 2 Ravenclaws, a Gryffindor, and a Hufflepuff. Dobby is in E6.

### **3. Dobby**

*Malfoy, Zabini, and Regulus aren't adjacent to any Slytherins, unlike Snape. Tonks is horizontally adjacent to Ron. Harry is adjacent to Tonks.*

Malfoy, Zabini and Regulus have no Slytherin adjacents but Snape does. Tonks is in B1. Harry is in A2, B2 or C2.

### **4. Tonks**

*Two Slytherins and two Gryffindors are on my diagonals. My house ghost is in D4. The Slytherin and Ravenclaw prefects from Harry's year are here.*

We know the four remaining spots on Tonks' diagonals are two Gryffindors and two Slytherins. The Fat Friar is in D4. Draco, Pansy, Padma, and Anthony are in the quiz.

### **5. Fat Friar**

*Row 5 is all students in Harry's year, except for one creature. The first Slytherin quidditch captain Harry meets is in E1.*

Marcus Flint is in E1.

### **6. Marcus Flint**

*I'm adjacent to two heads of houses that aren't my own, and a Ravenclaw seeker. Draco is adjacent to the oldest Weasley child.*

Marcus is adjacent to Cho, the only Ravenclaw seeker we know from the books. He is also adjacent to Flitwick and Sprout, since Ron is in row 1 and Harry is in row 2 McGonagall can't also be there.

Draco is adjacent to Bill, who can't be in Row 5, so Bill is in B6.

### **7. Bill Weasley**

*I'm adjacent to Blaise Zabini. Percy's old girlfriend is in my row, and Ron's wife is in my column.*

Blaise is in C5 because Malfoy has no Slytherin adjacents. Penelope Clearwater is in row 6, and Hermione is in column B.

### **8. Blaise Zabini**

*There are two prefects in my row, one male, one female. The Ravenclaw and Gryffindor female prefects in my year are next to each other in Row 4.*

Hermione and Padma are next to each other in Row 4. Hermione is in B4.

### **9. Hermione**

*A Hogwarts Triwizard champion is on my diagonal. They're adjacent to their head of house.*

Cedric is on Hermione's diagonal, since Harry is adjacent to Tonks which means he can't be on Hermione's diagonal. We know Professor Sprout is adjacent to Marcus Flint. So for Cedric to be on Hermione's diagonal and adjacent to Sprout, Cedric must be in C3 and Sprout in D2.

### **10. Cedric Diggory**

*I have the only potions professor in the quiz, and a Defence Against the Dark Arts professor, on either side of me.*

Putting Tonks and Draco's clues together about their diagonals indicates D3 has to be a Gryffindor (since Tonk's diagonals are only Gryffindors/Slytherins, and Draco has no Slytherins on his diagonal). There are no Gryffindor potions professors, and the only known Gryffindor DADA professor is Lupin.

Snape (mentioned in Dobby's clue) is in B3.

### **11. Professor Sprout**

*The centaur turned teacher is in my row. The first centaur Harry ever sees is in Column A.*

Firenze is in row 2. He can't be in E2 since we know Flint is adjacent to Cho/Flitwick. He also can't be in A2 or C2 since we know Tonks' diagonals are Gryffindor/Slytherin. Firenze is in B2.

The other centaur referred to is Ronan, who is in A3, A4 or A5 (he can't be in Firenze's row)

### **12. Remus Lupin**

*Harry's owl is in my row.*

Hedwig is in row 3 (either A3 or E3), this means Ronan has to be in A4 or A5.

### **13. Severus Snape**

### **14. Firenze**

*I'm adjacent to the goblin that takes Harry to his vault for the first time.*

Griphook is adjacent to Firenze. He can't be in A2/C2 because of Tonks' diagonals, Hedwig is in Row 3 so Griphook can't also be in that row, which means Griphook is in C1.

### **15. Griphook**

*A boy that wielded the sword I tried to take back is in Row 5.*

The only boy that wielded the Sword of Gryffindor that's not yet placed is Neville. He could be in A5, D5 or E5.

At this point 4 of the 6 rows have Slytherins, and we know from previous clues Pansy Parkinson and Regulus Black are the remaining Slytherins to place. Regulus has no Slytherin adjacents, and he is either in row 2 or row 4. Columns A or C would make him adjacent to Snape so he can't be there, and E2 is a Ravenclaw, so Regulus is in E4. This also means Pansy is in A2 or C2.

#### **16. Regulus Black**

*A pet is in row 5.*

This indicates that Ronan can't be in row 5, and is in A4.

#### **17. Ronan**

With Ronan placed this means Padma is in C4, since we know she's next to Hermione (Blaise's clue).

#### **18. Padma Patil**

*A student who splinched themselves during Apparition lessons is in my column.*

With Padma placed this also tells us B5 is a Hufflepuff. Draco needs a Gryffindor, a Hufflepuff, and 2 Ravenclaws on his diagonal. We know E2 is a Ravenclaw (Marcus' clue), then there's Lupin and Padma, which leaves a Hufflepuff in Draco's remaining diagonal spot. We also know they're in Harry's year.

The person that splinched themselves is Susan Bones, Hufflepuff. She can't be in C2 since Tonks' diagonals are either Gryffindor or Slytherin. This means Susan is in C6. This also leaves Penelope Clearwater is in D6.

#### **19. Susan Bones**

*I'm adjacent to two Gryffindors.*

Since B5 is a Hufflepuff, this leaves D5 to be Susan's second adjacent Gryffindor, which we know is Neville.

#### **20. Penelope Clearwater**

*My house ghost is in the quiz.*

The Grey Lady is in the quiz. We also know from Tonks' clue that Anthony Goldstein is another Ravenclaw that needs to be placed. Flitwick/Cho are the Ravenclaws in rows 1 and 2, but we can't be sure which goes where yet.

Row 5 is only students in Harry's year, so Anthony is in Row 5 (A5 or E5) and the Grey Lady is in Row 3 (A3 or E3).

Blaise's hint tells us he has one male and one female prefect in his row. The male is Anthony Goldstein, which leaves a female Hufflepuff prefect in Harry's year – Hannah Abbott. Hannah is in B5.

#### **21. Neville Longbottom**

#### **22. Hannah Abbott**

*Harry is adjacent to his first girlfriend.*

Harry is adjacent to Cho. We know Harry is in A2 or C2, adjacent to Tonks. For him to be adjacent to Cho this means Harry is in C2 and Cho is in D1. This also leaves Flitwick in E2. This also means Pansy is in A2, the remaining Slytherin to be placed.

**23. Harry Potter**

*Ginny's pygmy puff is in the quiz.*

Arnold is in the quiz, he must be in row 5, the remaining row that still needs a non-housed being.

**24. Cho Chang**

**25. Filius Flitwick**

**26. Pansy Parkinson**

*Regulus is adjacent to two pets.*

This means Hedwig is in E3 and Arnold is in E5. Which also leaves the Grey Lady in A3, and Anthony Goldstein in A5.

**27. Hedwig**

**28. Arnold**

**29. Grey Lady/Helena Ravenclaw**

**30. Anthony Goldstein**