

**A** Draw a line to match word to its definition. [16]

- |             |                                 |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 twirl     | Braided hair or thread          |
| 2 bridal    | Fantastic                       |
| 3 plaits    | My mother's or father's brother |
| 4 blank     | A place of worship              |
| 5 grateful  | To twist or spin                |
| 6 laundry   | To do with a wedding            |
| 7 powerful  | Community or communal           |
| 8 social    | A material                      |
| 9 wonderful | A missing space                 |
| 10 selfish  | Appreciative                    |
| 11 claim    | Fashion                         |
| 12 plastic  | Washing                         |
| 13 uncle    | Strong                          |
| 14 style    | To drag, pull or heave          |
| 15 temple   | Not generous or thoughtful      |
| 16 lug      | To make a statement             |

**B** Which of your words have these smaller words hidden in them? [8]

- |              |             |
|--------------|-------------|
| 1 last _____ | 5 owe _____ |
| 2 ate _____  | 6 elf _____ |
| 3 dry _____  | 7 aim _____ |
| 4 rid _____  | 8 an _____  |

**C** A synonym is a word that is similar in meaning to another. Which of your words are synonyms for these words? [6]

- |                    |                       |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 revolve _____    | 4 indebted _____      |
| 2 marvellous _____ | 5 authoritative _____ |
| 3 empty _____      | 6 allege _____        |

blank

bridal

claim

grateful

laundry

lug

plaits

plastic

powerful

selfish

social

style

temple

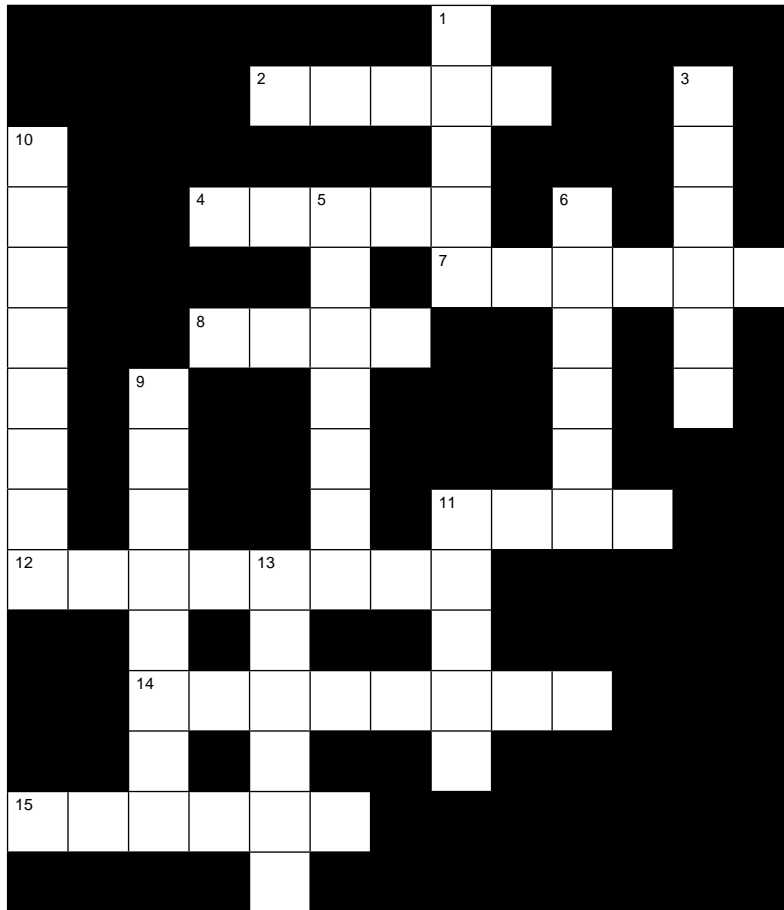
twirl

uncle

wonderful



H Fill in the grid with all of your words, using the clues to help you. [16]



**Across**

- 2 A question
- 4 To stand in a line
- 7 Not gas or solid
- 8 To paste or stick
- 11 Petrol
- 12 A woodland animal
- 14 Cookies
- 15 A road or walkway

**Down**

- 1 Mean
- 3 A dark mark on hurt skin
- 5 An imaginary line around the world
- 6 Shape with four equal sides
- 9 Worth something
- 10 Succeeds
- 11 Flows easily
- 13 To save

I Turn the following words into the present participle. [6]

Example: glue gluing

- |                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| 1 achieve _____ | 4 squirrel _____ |
| 2 rescue _____  | 5 query _____    |
| 3 bruise _____  | 6 queue _____    |



**Helpful Hint**

Some of these words can be tricky to spell because of the unusual double vowels. Creating a mnemonic or rhyme to help you remember any that seem especially difficult can be useful.

achieves

avenue

biscuits

bruise

cruel

equator

fluid

fuel

glue

liquid

query

queue

rescue

square

squirrel

valuable

# Unit 1

alter

corner

crater

customer

danger

disaster

helicopter

hover

lobster

number

partner

prefer

quiver

register

splinter

together

**J** An anagram is a word that has had its letters rearranged. Which of your words have become the following anagrams? [16]

- |   |         |       |    |            |       |
|---|---------|-------|----|------------|-------|
| 1 | treal   | _____ | 9  | orvhe      | _____ |
| 2 | reviqu  | _____ | 10 | pernat     | _____ |
| 3 | ronrec  | _____ | 11 | comerust   | _____ |
| 4 | creatr  | _____ | 12 | thegetro   | _____ |
| 5 | grande  | _____ | 13 | printles   | _____ |
| 6 | merbun  | _____ | 14 | thepolicer | _____ |
| 7 | preefr  | _____ | 15 | greetisr   | _____ |
| 8 | bolster | _____ | 16 | stairsed   | _____ |

**K** Which of your words fit these definitions? [8]

- |   |                            |       |
|---|----------------------------|-------|
| 1 | Hazard                     | _____ |
| 2 | A tiny sliver of wood      | _____ |
| 3 | A client                   | _____ |
| 4 | To have a favourite option | _____ |
| 5 | To change                  | _____ |
| 6 | Catastrophe                | _____ |
| 7 | Jointly                    | _____ |
| 8 | Shudder                    | _____ |

**L** Some of these words can have one letter added to make a new word. Write the new word below. [2]

- |   |                   |   |                      |
|---|-------------------|---|----------------------|
| 1 | alter + f = _____ | 2 | customer + s = _____ |
|---|-------------------|---|----------------------|

**M** Remove one letter from each of the following words to make a new word. [4]

- |   |        |       |   |        |       |
|---|--------|-------|---|--------|-------|
| 1 | hover  | _____ | 3 | crater | _____ |
| 2 | danger | _____ | 4 | prefer | _____ |



## Helpful Hint

All of these words end in 'er'. Although some words do end in 're' and 'ar', it is more common for a word to end in 'er'. So if you hear the 'r' sound and you are unsure of the spelling, it is always worth trying 'er' first.

