

A word search. A little conversation.

Free group activity pack | Leisure Letters

Print one puzzle for each person, or offer a choice of themes. Puzzles are on pages 2-5; matching answers are on pages 6-9. Print in black and white on US Letter at actual size. For A4, use "fit to page"; the letters will be slightly smaller.

Four themes, four invitations to chat

In the garden - puzzle 2, answer 6

What would you plant in a small garden?

Music - puzzle 3, answer 7

Is there a song you like to sing along to?

Baking - puzzle 4, answer 8

What do you most enjoy baking or sharing?

Fall - puzzle 5, answer 9

What tells you that autumn has arrived?

Let the group set the pace

Allow around 20-30 minutes if that suits your group. Find one word together first: words only go across or down. Invite people to work alone or in pairs. Offer the answer key when wanted. There is no need to finish or share a personal story.

Ask whether the print is comfortable to read. Offer good lighting, a dark pen or pencil, and room on the table. Someone may prefer larger paper or a different activity.

You may print free copies for your household, library, club, senior center, or staff-led activity group. Keep our credit. Share the page link; please do not resell or re-upload this PDF.

In the garden

Find eight words across or down. No backward words.

T	I	V	Z	B	X	I	B	C	H
O	F	D	X	H	Z	B	N	C	Y
T	S	A	V	Q	G	F	M	U	N
V	H	I	D	W	R	O	S	E	A
Q	V	S	X	C	R	A	F	C	T
Q	T	Y	B	J	M	L	O	B	M
F	B	L	O	O	M	G	Q	A	S
E	E	S	P	E	T	A	L	S	E
R	T	U	L	I	P	W	Z	I	E
N	P	X	N	W	G	R	T	L	D

BASIL

BLOOM

DAISY

FERN

PETAL

ROSE

SEED

TULIP

On the record

Find eight words across or down. No backward words.

S	V	P	Y	G	T	Y	V	T	Q
V	X	I	C	B	E	T	K	Z	M
Q	X	A	B	Q	M	K	V	Q	M
J	Y	N	T	N	P	K	I	U	E
A	C	O	W	W	O	J	N	U	L
Z	N	L	W	Q	Y	X	Y	S	O
Z	G	U	I	T	A	R	L	O	D
T	T	A	J	W	C	V	M	N	Y
C	R	A	D	I	O	V	J	G	N
B	R	O	P	Y	I	Z	I	Z	A

GUITAR
RADIO

JAZZ
SONG

MELODY
TEMPO

PIANO
VINYL

From the oven

Find eight words across or down. No backward words.

H	F	L	O	U	R	O	E	I	D
Q	W	H	I	S	K	J	A	P	M
V	R	B	U	T	T	E	R	J	K
G	J	T	K	B	R	E	A	D	O
K	S	D	X	B	R	R	S	L	V
E	U	O	J	I	C	I	N	G	E
G	G	U	J	X	B	I	P	W	N
X	A	V	C	M	I	J	M	N	T
R	R	Z	X	R	C	S	I	L	C
Q	A	F	B	U	W	C	A	K	E

BREAD
ICING

BUTTER
OVEN

CAKE
SUGAR

FLOUR
WHISK

Autumn colors

Find eight words across or down. No backward words.

E	C	R	C	G	G	T	R	G	R
I	P	L	O	A	O	R	A	H	T
F	L	S	Z	T	L	H	K	K	A
R	N	Q	Y	I	D	A	E	H	E
Y	R	U	W	W	N	R	F	R	W
N	F	A	S	Q	M	V	E	F	A
D	I	S	A	U	K	E	D	E	C
A	D	H	F	W	C	S	W	Z	O
Y	O	L	E	A	F	T	T	D	R
H	A	P	P	L	E	T	P	R	N

ACORN

APPLE

COZY

GOLD

HARVEST

LEAF

RAKE

SQUASH

In the garden

Every hidden word is marked below.



BASIL

BLOOM

DAISY

FERN

PETAL

ROSE

SEED

TULIP

On the record

Every hidden word is marked below.

S	V	P	Y	G	T	Y	V	T	Q
V	X	I	C	B	E	T	K	Z	M
Q	X	A	B	Q	M	K	V	Q	M
J	Y	N	T	N	P	K	I	U	E
A	C	O	W	W	O	J	N	U	L
Z	N	L	W	Q	Y	X	Y	S	O
Z	G	U	I	T	A	R	L	O	D
T	T	A	J	W	C	V	M	N	Y
C	R	A	D	I	O	V	J	G	N
B	R	O	P	Y	I	Z	I	Z	A

GUITAR
RADIO

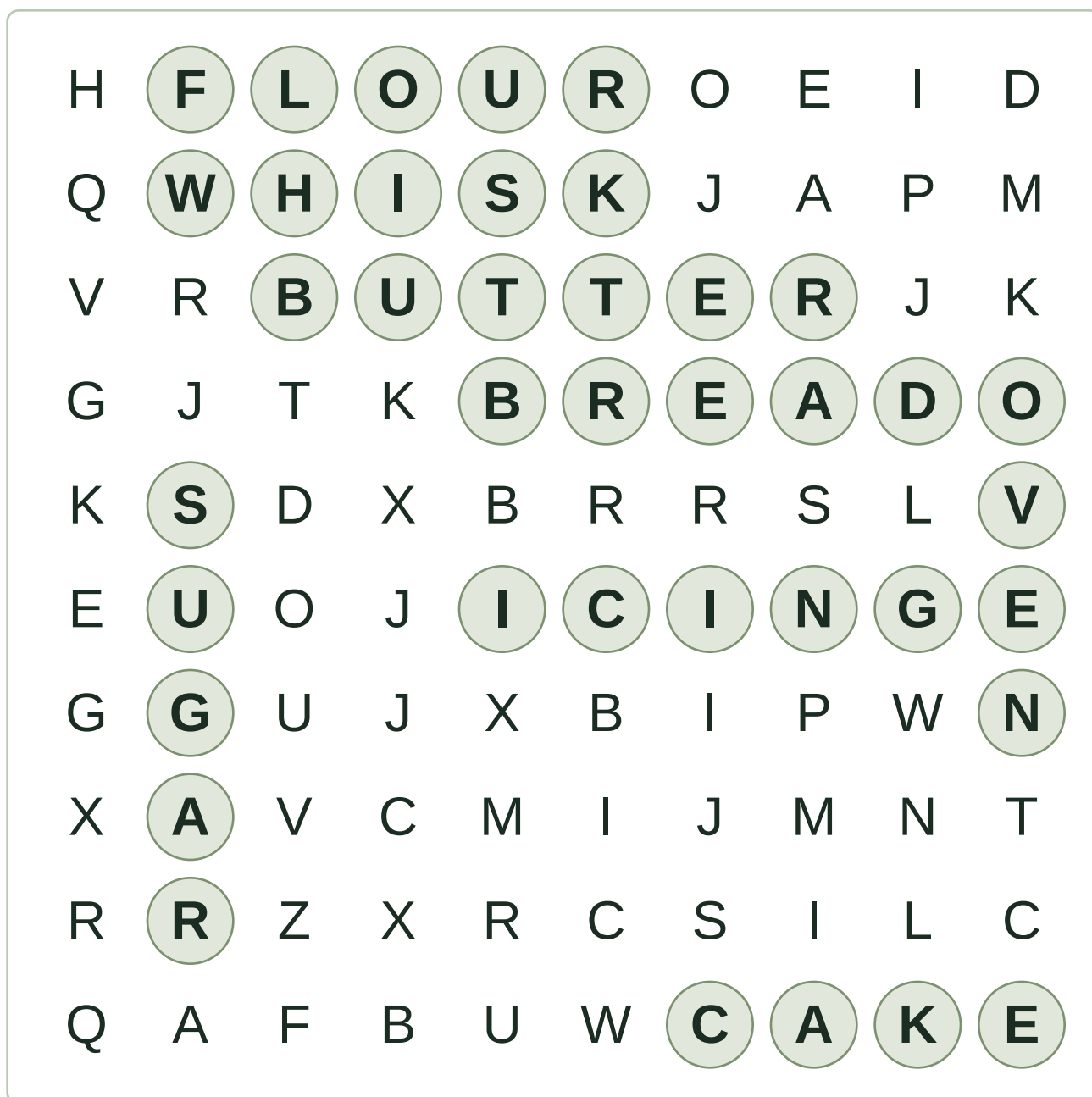
JAZZ
SONG

MELODY
TEMPO

PIANO
VINYL

From the oven

Every hidden word is marked below.



BREAD
ICING

BUTTER
OVEN

CAKE
SUGAR

FLOUR
WHISK

Autumn colors

Every hidden word is marked below.



ACORN
HARVEST

APPLE
LEAF

COZY
RAKE

GOLD
SQUASH