

WORD SEARCH GENERATOR

Step-by-step guide

- Click the above Word Search Generator image. This will take you to the generator.
- Type a title for your puzzle in the Puzzle Title box.
- Enter your words in the box – one word per line or separated by commas. Words are automatically converted to uppercase.
- Choose a Grid Size. Smaller grids (10×10) suit younger learners. Larger grids (20×20) work well for older students or longer word lists.
- Choose a Direction Mode. Horizontal & Vertical means words go across and down only – best for beginners. Adding diagonal and backwards directions increases the difficulty.
- Pick a font from the drop-down to match your style.
- Click Generate Puzzle. Click Regenerate if you want a different layout.

Downloading and printing

Download Puzzle – gets you the puzzle page as a Word file.

Download Answers – gets you the answer key with words highlighted in yellow.

Download Both Pages – gets you both in one Word file.

Print Both Pages – prints directly from your browser.

You can change the fonts and add clip art to the word file

NB If you make a puzzle to sell, please make sure that you have permission to use any fonts or clip art you choose.

Tips

Use 10–20 words for a well-filled grid.

Keep words to 3–12 letters for the cleanest layout.

Each entry must be a single word with no spaces.

If a word does not fit, try a larger grid size or click Regenerate.