

Common Words Used in Crosswords

A	Article	Ell	Length
Ace	Expert, card	Em	Unit of measurement
Acme	Highest Point	Emu	Union, flightless bird
Act	Turn, deed	En	Unit of measurement
Adagio	Slow	Er	Hesitation
Adam	First man	Ere	Before
Ado	Fuss	Erin	Ireland
Agitato	Agitated	Erne	Young Eagle
Agouti	Animal	Etna	Volcano
Ail	Be sick, afflict	Etui	Small case
Ale	Drink	Eve	First woman
Allegro	Lively	Exe	River
Alpha	First, first letter		
Amen	Last word	Fah	Musical note
An	Article	Fal	River
Andante	Slow	Flora	Plant life
Ant	Worker, social worker		
Ape	Animal, imitate	Gas	Talk
Argon	Gas	Gen	Information
As	When	Gin	Drink, card game, trap
Asp	Snake		
Asti	Drink	Hal	Little Henry
		He	Man
B	A follower (i.e. it follows the letter 'A')	Her	Woman, woman's
		Him	Man
Ban	Prohibit		
Bass	Fish, voice, instrument	Ian	Scot
Bed	Cot, flower bed	Ibis	Bird
Bob	Shilling, name	Ibex	Bird
		Id	Unconscious mind
Col	Depression	Ilex	Oak
Con	Study	Imp	Demon, small child
Cur	Dog	In	At home
Dart	River, rush	Io	Satellite of Jupiter
Dee	River	IOU	Promise
Den	Study	Irate	Angry
Dick	Little Richard	Iris	Plant
Diss	Norfolk town	Isis	River, God
Dodo	Bird	Issue	Child, point
Doh	Musical note		
Don	Fellow, name, Spaniard	Lah	Musical note
Dot	Name	Lares	Household gods
Duck	Nil, zero	Largo	Slow
		Lido	Place of relaxation
Ebon	Poetical 'black'	Liner	Ship
Ecarte	Card Game	Ling	Heather, fish
Ecru	Colour, linen	Lo	Behold, see
Eel	Fish	Love	Zero, O (in tennis)
Een	Poetical 'even'		
Eyrie	Eagle's nest	Ma	Mother
Egad	Oath	Mac	Scot
Ego	Mind, personality	Main	Ocean, sea
Eland	Animal	Me	Setter, musical note

Mon	Scotsman
Mum	Mother, quiet
Nadir	Lowest point
Nave	Part of church
Ness	Head, headland
Norm	Average
Number	More numb, that which numbs
Oboe	Musical note
Odin	Norse God
Ohio	US state
Okapi	Animal
Omega	The last (letter)
Onus	Responsibility
Or	Gold
Osiris	God
Ouse	River
Pa	Father
Par	Standard
Pat	Irishman
Pen	Writer
Per	For each
Pet	Favourite
Po	Italian river
Pro	For
Ra	Egyptian god
Rat	Animal, traitor
Ray	Fish, beam
Red	Communist, revolutionary
Reredos	Part of church
Salt	Sailor

She	Woman
So(h)	Musical note
Stet	Let it stand
Ta	Thanks
Tar	Sailor
Tate	Gallery
Te	Musical note
Tees	River
The	Article
Thebes	Greek city
Thor	God
Thou	you (solver) of old
Tom	Cat
Tor	Hill
Tuba	Instrument
Tutu	Clothing
Tyne	River
Up	at University
Ur	Ancient City
Ure	River
Us	You and me
Utah	US state
Vera	Name
Veto	Prohibit
Wicked	Candle
Ye	You old
Zenith	Highest point
Zephyr	Wind