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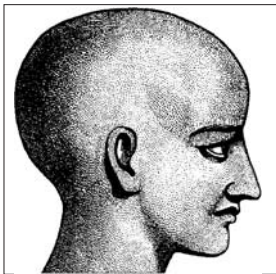


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About Dr. Funster's WORD BENDERS™

The *Word Benders* series promotes vocabulary acquisition, spelling skills, and deductive reasoning ability. *Word Benders* are letter systems in which some letters must change and others must remain the same. As students follow these rules, new words emerge. Students may use clues from the Definitions Box to decide the correct letter change or to verify the meaning of an unknown word formed by following the letter pattern. This game-like format encourages students to recognize and change word roots, prefixes, and suffixes to create new words.

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WORDS AND PHRASES

In these exercises, you will fill in the missing letters in a series of word groups. In each word, write the letters from the word above on the lines. Only the letter that goes in the empty circle will be changed or added to form a new word. The phrase provides you with a clue to help you figure out the new word. Have fun and learn some new words.

Here is an example:

TOM **C** **A** **T**

 ○ — — CHANGE

LONG AGO AND — — ○ AWAY

 ○ — — ACHE

The answers are:

TOM **C** **A** **T**

 (F) A T CHANGE

LONG AGO AND F A (R) AWAY

 (E) A R ACHE

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

1.

SAIL **B O A T**

RAIN ○ — — —

CHAR — — — ○

FIELD ○ — — —

MOUNTAIN — — — ○

2.

S A I L BOAT

○ — — — A LETTER

HOUSE — — — ○

○ — — — AN EGG

○ — — — THE BILL

SEVERE — — — ○

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

3.

A R M WRESTLE

○ — — — HAND

○ — — — AS TOAST

NO ○ — — — DONE

ANGEL'S — — — ○

○ — — — KNIFE

— — — ○ YOUR BOOK

OUT OF — — — ○ —

— — — ○ ROCK

H A M AND EGGS

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

4.

READING **L A M P**

HOSE ○ _____

LEG _____ ○ _____

EXIT _____

DARK AND ○ _____

○ _____ FIRE

THEY _____ ○ HOME

_____ ○ _____ TO SCHOOL

ICE CREAM _____ ○ _____

WALKING _____ ○ _____

SHADY **○ L A N E**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

5. POP **C O R N**

APPLE ___ ___ ___ ○

___ ○ ___ ___ TAKER

○ ___ ___ ___ OR RABBIT

___ ___ ___ ○ AND VOLUME

___ ___ ___ ○ THE PAPER

___ ___ ___ ___ ○ , SET, GO

○ ○ ___ ___ ___ ___ AS SHE GOES

○ ___ ___ ___ PHONES

○ ___ ___ ___ THE WAY

ⓑ Ⓡ ⓔ ⓐ ⓓ AND BUTTER

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

6.

MEAT **L O A F**

___ ___ ___ ○ MONEY

___ ○ ___ ___ MEAT

○ ___ ___ ___ DOG

___ ___ ___ ○ AND POTATOES

TAKE A ○ ___ ___ ___

CHRISTMAS ___ ___ ___ ○

GOOD ○ ___ ___ ___

MOTHER ___ ___ ___ ○

○ ___ ___ ___ NOT

○ ___ ___ ___ ME OUT

TAKE THE **H E A T**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

7.

PIECE OF **C A K E**

○ — — — NOSE

SNOW ○ ○ — — —

FIRE AND — — — ○ —

A — — — — EXCUSE

HALL OF ○ — — —

IT'S A KID'S ○ — — —

○ ○ — — — RUN

FIRE — — — ○ —

○ — — — GUARD

BIRD'S — ○ — ○

TAKE A ○ — — —

YOU'RE THE ○ — — —

B E N T FENDER

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

8.

QUICK **S T A R T**

_____ _____ _____ _____ ○ ○ NIGHT

FISH _____ _____ ○ _____ ○

GROCERY _____ _____ _____ _____ ○

ROLLING _____ _____ _____ ○ _____

SOUR _____ _____ _____ _____

HAM ○ _____ _____ _____

SAVINGS _____ _____ _____ ○

MARCHING _____ ○ _____ _____

○ _____ _____ _____ OF THE FREE

SHADY _____ _____ _____ ○

_____ _____ ○ _____ SHORE

○ _____ _____ _____ BELIEVE

SHIP **M A T E**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

9.

R A I N COAT

○ — — — — PIPE

○ — — — — STATION

MOUNTAIN — — — — ○

— — — — ROAD

○ — — — — THE LETTER

— — — — ○ IDEA

INK **(S) (T) A I N**

SPIRAL — — — — ○ CASE

EASY ○ ○ — — —

IRON — — — — ○

CAR — — — — ○ ○

H A S (T) (Y) REPLY

○ — — — — ○ ○ YOUR BELT

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

10.

GO **C A R T**

___ ___ ___ TRICK

___ ___ ___ TO DO

___ ___ ___ OF CATTLE

RIGHT ___ ___ ___

___ ___ ___ SHE BLOWS

SOME OF ___ ___ ___ ___ DAYS

T H E S I S SENTENCE

FIND ___ ___ ___

WRITE A ___ ___ ___

WILD **H E M E**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

11.

FOR _____
S H A (L) E STONE

_____ () _____ UP

100 DEGREES IN THE _____ () _____

ACE OF _____ () _____ ()

_____ () _____ OF GLASS

WALL _____ ()

BRIDGE _____
(A) S P (E) N TREE

NEW _____ () ()

MURDER () () _____

() () _____ ONE ANOTHER

E (X) P E C T THE BEST

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

12.

HAT **R A C K**

HARD AS A ___ ___ ___

AROUND THE ___ ___ ___

 ___ ___ ___ AS COAL

___ ___ ___ ___ OF EXPERIENCE

___ ___ ___ THE DOOR

___ ___ ___ ___ THAT KICK

GOLD ___ ___ ___

___ ___ ___ YOURSELF

___ ___ ___ ___ TRACK

HAT ___ ___ ___

FULL **B** **A** **C** **K**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

13.

F A C E THE NATION

○ — — — CURTAINS

FIRST ○ — — —

FLAT — — — ○ —

— — — — — ○ EARTH

○ ○ — — — HOIST

C R A N **(K)** THE HANDLE

○ — — — ENSTEIN

HIGHEST — — — —

— — — — — ○ ○ AND GERMANY

○ — — — — THE TANGO

CATTLE ○ — — — ○

(B) **R A N C H** OFFICE

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

14.

HAMMER AND **N A I L**

○ — — — TO WIN

○ — — — BOAT

○ — — — ROAD

— — — ○ COAT

FREIGHT ○ — — —

OREGON — — — — ○

CAFETERIA — — — ○

○ — — — FOR HELP

— ○ — — BALL

○ — — — POTTERY

○ — — — THE DRAGON

COLE — — — ○

BEAR ○ — — —

— — — ○ YOUR HANDS

C L A ○ **M** SHELL

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

15.

I N K I N G PEN

○ _____ SHIP

○ ○ _____ LIGHT

○ ○ _____ CUP

○ ○ _____ CAP

BE _____ ○ _____ ○ ○ ○ FOR YOUR BLESSINGS

○ _____ OF GAS

T A N K **(A)** **(R)** **(D)** OF CIDER

FIRST NATIONAL ○ _____

_____ ○ _____ BED

○ _____ A DONUT

SITTING _____ ○ _____

○ _____ ○ NERVE

_____ HAT

VEGETABLE **(G)** **A** **R** **D** **(E)** **(N)**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

16. FOUR ON THE **F L O O R**
 _____ LIGHT
- ROOT BEER _____
- G L O A T** OVER
 OLD _____
- SECOND _____
- _____ HOUSE
- _____ WALL
- _____ CALL
- P H O N Y** EXCUSE
- SWEET AS _____
- PAPER _____
- FRENCH ARTIST **M O N E T**

WORDS AND PHRASES

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

17.

B O U N D AND GAGGED

LOST AND _ _ _ _

_ _ _ _ TABLE

BUS _ _ _

_ _ _ IT OUT

_ _ _ OFF

WOOD _ _ _ _

BARREL _ _ _ _

_ _ _ ROAD

_ _ _ _ BY THE BELL

CLOSE _ _ _

TO _ _ _ _ AND TO HOLD

I _ _ _ AT THE OFFICE

_ _ _ GOODBY

_ _ _ IN

BIRTHDAY **C A E**

OPPOSITES OR DIFFERENT

The next group of exercises involves groups of words in which the answer is either the opposite of the clue or distinctly different from the word clue. The rest of the rules stay the same. Change only the letters that fit in the circles.

For example:

| | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|--------|
| H | O | T | COLD |
| — | ○ | — | CAP |
| ○ | — | — | KITTEN |
| — | — | ○ | BOTTLE |

The answers are HAT, CAT, CAN.

HOT and COLD are opposite, but HAT and CAP are similar yet distinctly different. CAT and KITTEN are similar but definitely different. CAN and BOTTLE are both containers but are made of different materials.

OPPOSITES OR DIFFERENT

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

18.

T O P BOTTOM

— ○ — DANCE NOT TOE DANCE

○ — — NOT HAT

— ○ — NOT SAUCER

— — ○ NOT PASTE

○ — — NOT BOLT

○ — — NOT TAKE

— ○ — NOT PAN

○ — — NOT BIG CIRCLE

○ — — NOT BED

C O P NOT ROBBER

OPPOSITES OR DIFFERENT

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

19.

- L O V E** HATE
- — — DIE
- — — DEATH
- — — LOWER
- — — RIGHT
- — — CELLAR
- — — HARD
- — — SELDOM
- — — BEFORE
- R A F T E R** FLOOR SUPPORT

OPPOSITES OR DIFFERENT

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

20.

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|----------|----------|------------|------|
| | O | L | D | NEW | |
| ○ | — | — | — | HOT | |
| ○ | — | — | — | SHY | |
| ○ | — | — | — | DROP | |
| — | — | — | ○ | FULL | |
| ○ | — | — | — | STUMP | |
| — | ○ | — | — | TANNED | |
| ○ | — | — | — | OVERPRICED | |
| — | — | ○ | — | DIFFERENT | |
| ○ | — | — | — | WILD | |
| ○ | — | — | — | UNKNOWN | |
| ○ | — | — | — | WENT | |
| — | ○ | — | — | GO | |
| ○ | H | O | M | E | AWAY |

OPPOSITES OR DIFFERENT

DIRECTIONS: Complete the following phrases by changing or adding only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same.

21.

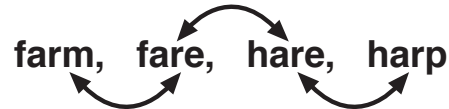
| | | | | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|------|
| N | E | A | R | | FAR | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | DEAF | |
| — | — | — | ○ | | COLD | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | SLOPPY | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | VEGETABLES | |
| — | — | — | ○ | | NICE | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | FAT | |
| — | — | — | ○ | ○ | MOST | |
| — | — | — | — | — | WEST | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | SLOW | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | FIRST | |
| — | ○ | — | — | | FOUND | |
| ○ | — | — | — | | LEAST | |
| — | ○ | — | — | | CAN'T | |
| ○ | — | — | — | ○ | SHINY | |
| — | ○ | — | ○ | — | SAFE | |
| ○ | — | ○ | ○ | — | CLEAN | |
| H | E | A | R | T | Y | WEAK |

SIMILARITIES

In these next exercises, you will learn to complete a word series. Each word in a series is like the one before it in many ways and different from the one before it in some ways.

For example, in the series:

farm, fare, hare, harp



each word has four letters and only one letter is changed. Since only one letter can be different, the remaining letters are clues to help you find the new word.

The Word Bender looks like this (the circles indicate the letter to be changed):

| | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| F | A | R | M |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| H | A | R | P |

Below the Word Bender is a Definitions Box with words and short phrases which give the meanings of the new words being formed. The Definitions Box can be used, if needed, for clues and should be used to check your answers.

DEFINITIONS BOX

a food-growing business; the cost of a ticket; an angel's stringed instrument; a rabbit

The answers are:

| | | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------------------|
| F | A | R | M | (a food-growing business) |
| <u>F</u> | <u>A</u> | <u>R</u> | E | (the cost of a ticket) |
| H | <u>A</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>E</u> | (a rabbit) |
| H | A | R | P | (an angel's stringed instrument) |

SIMILARITIES

DIRECTIONS: Change or add only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same. The words and phrases in the Definitions Box give the meanings of the words being formed (not in order).

22.

H A T

| | | | |
|---|---|----------|----------|
| ○ | — | — | — |
| — | — | — | ○ |
| ○ | — | — | — |
| — | — | ○ | — |
| ○ | — | — | — |
| — | — | ○ | — |
| — | ○ | — | — |
| — | — | — | ○ |
| ○ | — | — | — |
| — | ○ | — | — |
| ○ | ○ | A | L |
| ○ | ○ | A | D |

DEFINITIONS BOX

anger; brave; burn with steam; cap; for your own ____; garden tool;
hairless; price; sell yesterday; shoe bottom; special price; talk

SIMILARITIES

Change only the letters in the circles at each step in this word series.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | | | | E | D | I | T | | |
| | ○ | ○ | — | — | — | — | | | |
| | — | — | — | — | — | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| I | N | C | R | E | D | I | B | L | E |

| |
|------------------------|
| DEFINITIONS BOX |
|------------------------|

| |
|---|
| believable; revise; trust; unbelievable |
|---|

Note to the Student:

This short exercise illustrates how you can use your knowledge of the exercise rules to learn new words. **INCREDIBLE** means hard to believe or unbelievable. The opposite of incredible would be believable, and if you work from the bottom up, you notice that all the letters in word three are the same as the corresponding letters in the fourth row. This means the third line must be **CREDIBLE**. Get the idea?

SIMILARITIES

DIRECTIONS: Change or add only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same. The words and phrases in the Definitions Box give the meanings of the words being formed (not in order).

23.

A C T I O N

○ ○ _____

_____ ○ _____

○ _____

○ _____

D I C T I O N ○ **A** ○ **R** ○ **Y**

○ ○ ○ _____

_____ ○ _____

S T A T ○ **U** ○ **E**

DEFINITIONS BOX

book of words and definitions; make-believe story; movement; police headquarters; produces heat; sculpture; speech; stays in place; three-fourths is a ____; writing paper

SIMILARITIES

DIRECTIONS: Change or add only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same. The words and phrases in the Definitions Box give the meanings of the words being formed (not in order).

24.

H O L E

 _____ _____
 _____ _____
 _____ _____
 _____ _____

 _____ _____
C A N D I D

DEFINITIONS BOX

beautiful; cavity; complete; frank; healthful; nominee; sell a large amount; solitary; touch; wax light

SIMILARITIES

DIRECTIONS: Change or add only the letters that go in the circles. The rest of the word stays the same. The words and phrases in the Definitions Box give the meanings of the words being formed (not in order).

25.

N A T I O N

○ — — — — —

— — — — — ○ ○

○ — — — — — — —

○ I ○ N ○ T ○ E ○ R N A T I O N A L

○ ○ — — — — —

— — — — — ○

— — — — — — —

○ — — — — — — —

○ R ○ E ○ I ○ N S T A T E

DEFINITIONS BOX

country; logical; part of a country; property; public; restore to a former position; say again; share; terminal; worldwide

ANSWERS

1. SAIL **BOAT**
RAIN **COAT**
CHAR **COAL**
FIELD **GOAL**
MOUNTAIN **GOAT**

2. **SAIL** BOAT
MAIL A LETTER
HOUSE **MAID**
LAID AN EGG
PAID THE BILL
SEVERE **PAIN**

3. **ARM** WRESTLE
FARM HAND
WARM AS TOAST
NO **HARM** DONE
ANGEL'S **HARP**
SHARP KNIFE
SHARE YOUR BOOK
OUT OF **SHAPE**
SHAM ROCK
HAM AND EGGS

4. READING **LAMP**
HOSE **CLAMP**
LEG **CRAMP**
EXIT **RAMP**
DARK AND **DAMP**
CAMP FIRE
THEY **CAME** HOME
COME TO SCHOOL
ICE CREAM **CONE**
WALKING **CANE**
SHADY **LANE**

5. POP **CORN**
APPLE **CORE**
CARE TAKER
HARE OR RABBIT
AREA AND **VOLUME**
READ THE PAPER
READY, SET, **GO**
STEADY AS SHE GOES
HEAD PHONES
LEAD THE WAY
BREAD AND BUTTER

6. MEAT **LOAF**
LOAN MONEY
LEAN MEAT
MEAN DOG
MEAT AND **POTATOES**
TAKE A **SEAT**

CHRISTMAS **SEAL**
GOOD **DEAL**
MOTHER **DEAR**
FEAR NOT
HEAR ME OUT
TAKE THE **HEAT**

7. PIECE OF **CAKE**
FAKE NOSE
SNOW **FLAKE**
FIRE AND **FLAME**
A **LAME** EXCUSE
HALL OF **FAME**
IT'S A KID'S **GAME**
HOME RUN
FIRE **HOSE**
NOSE GUARD
BIRD'S **NEST**
TAKE A **REST**
YOU'RE THE **BEST**
BENT FENDER

8. QUICK **START**
STARRY **NIGHT**
FISH **STORY**
GROCERY **STORE**
ROLLING **STONE**
SOUR **TONE**
HAM **BONE**
SAVINGS **BOND**
MARCHING **BAND**
LAND OF THE **FREE**
SHADY **LANE**
LAKE **SHORE**
MAKE BELIEVE
SHIP **MATE**

9. **RAIN** COAT
DRAIN PIPE
TRAIN **STATION**
MOUNTAIN **TRAIL**
RAIL **ROAD**
MAIL THE LETTER
MAIN **IDEA**
INK **STAIN**
SPIRAL **STAIR** CASE
EASY **CHAIR**
IRON **CHAIN**
CAR **CHASE**
HASTY REPLY
FASTEN YOUR BELT

10. GO **CART**
CARD **TRICK**

HARD TO DO
HERD OF **CATTLE**
RIGHT **HERE**
THERE SHE BLOWS
SOME OF THESE **DAYS**
THESIS SENTENCE
FIND **THEM**
WRITE A **THEME**
WILD **SCHEME**

11. FOR **SHAME**
SHALE STONE
SHAPE **UP**
100 DEGREES IN THE **SHADE**
ACE OF **SPADES**
PANES OF **GLASS**
WALL **PANEL**
BRIDGE **SPAN**
ASPEN TREE
NEW **ASPECT**
MURDER **SUSPECT**
RESPECT ONE ANOTHER
EXPECT THE BEST

12. HAT **RACK**
HARD AS A **ROCK**
AROUND THE **CLOCK**
BLACK AS COAL
LACK OF **EXPERIENCE**
LOCK THE DOOR
BLOCK THAT **KICK**
GOLD **BRICK**
BRACE YOURSELF
RACE **TRACK**
HAT **RACK**
FULL **BACK**

13. **FACE** THE NATION
LACE CURTAINS
FIRST **PLACE**
FLAT **PLANE**
PLANET **EARTH**
CRANE HOIST
CRANK THE HANDLE
FRANK ENSTEIN
HIGHEST **RANK**
FRANCE AND GERMANY
DANCE THE TANGO
CATTLE **RANCH**
BRANCH OFFICE

14. HAMMER AND **NAIL**
FAIL TO WIN
SAIL BOAT
RAIL **ROAD**

- RAIN COAT
FREIGHT TRAIN
OREGON TRAIL
CAFETERIA TRAY
PRAY FOR HELP
PLAY BALL
CLAY POTTERY
SLAY THE DRAGON
COLE SLAW
BEAR CLAW
CLAP YOUR HANDS
CLAM SHELL
15. **INKING** PEN
SINKING SHIP
BLINKING LIGHT
DRINKING CUP
THINKING CAP
BE THANKFUL FOR YOUR BLESSINGS
TANKFUL OF GAS
TANKARD OF CIDER
FIRST NATIONAL **BANK**
BUNK BED
DUNK A DONUT
SITTING DUCK
SUCH NERVE
HARD HAT
VEGETABLE **GARDEN**
16. FOUR ON THE **FLOOR**
FLOOD LIGHT
ROOT BEER FLOAT
GLOAT OVER
OLD GLORY
SECOND STORY
STORE HOUSE
STONE WALL
PHONE CALL
PHONY EXCUSE
SWEET AS HONEY
PAPER MONEY
FRENCH ARTIST **MONET**
17. **BOUND** AND GAGGED
LOST AND **FOUND**
ROUND TABLE
BUS ROUTE
SHOUT IT OUT
SHOVE OFF
WOOD STOVE
BARREL STAVE
PAVED ROAD
SAVED BY THE BELL
CLOSE **SHAVE**
TO HAVE AND TO HOLD
I **GAVE** AT THE OFFICE
- WAVE GOODBY
CAVE IN
BIRTHDAY **CAKE**
18. **TOP** BOTTOM
TAP DANCE NOT TOE DANCE
CAP NOT HAT
CUP NOT SAUCER
CUT NOT PASTE
NUT NOT BOLT
PUT NOT TAKE
POT NOT PAN
DOT NOT BIG CIRCLE
COT NOT BED
COP NOT ROBBER
19. **LOVE** HATE
LIVE DIE
LIFE DEATH
LIFT LOWER
LEFT RIGHT
LOFT CELLAR
SOFT HARD
OFTEN SELDOM
AFTER BEFORE
RAFTER FLOOR SUPPORT
20. **OLD** NEW
COLD HOT
BOLD SHY
HOLD DROP
HOLE FULL
POLE STUMP
PALE TANNED
SALE OVERPRICED
SAME DIFFERENT
TAME WILD
FAME UNKNOWN
CAME WENT
COME GO
HOME AWAY
21. **NEAR** FAR
HEAR DEAF
HEAT COLD
NEAT SLOPPY
MEAT VEGETABLES
MEAN NICE
LEAN FAT
LEAST MOST
EAST WEST
FAST SLOW
LAST FIRST
LOST FOUND
MOST LEAST
MUST CAN'T
- RUSTY** SHINY
RISKY SAFE
DIRTY CLEAN
HEARTY WEAK
22. **HAT** (cap)
CHAT (talk)
HATE (anger)
RATE (price)
RAKE (garden tool)
SAKE (for your own)
SALE (special price)
SOLE (shoe bottom)
SOLD (sell yesterday)
BOLD (brave)
BALD (hairless)
SCALD (burn with steam)
- EXAMPLE**
EDIT (revise)
CREDIT (trust)
CREDIBLE (believable)
INCREDIBLE (unbelievable)
23. **ACTION** (movement)
FRACTION (three-fourths)
FRICTION (produces heat)
FICTION (make-believe story)
DICTION (speech)
DICTIONARY (book of words)
STATIONARY (stays in place)
STATION (police headquarters)
STATIONERY (writing paper)
STATUE (sculpture)
24. **HOLE** (cavity)
WHOLE (complete)
WHOLESALE (sell large amount)
WHOLESOME (healthful)
LONESOME (solitary)
HANDSOME (beautiful)
HANDLE (touch)
CANDLE (wax light)
CANDID (frank)
CANDIDATE (nominee)
25. **NATION** (country)
RATION (share)
RATIONAL (logical)
NATIONAL (public)
INTERNATIONAL (worldwide)
STATION (terminal)
STATE (part of a country)
ESTATE (property)
RESTATE (say again)
REINSTATE (restore to a former position)