## Unit 4-21 Crossword

Name: $\qquad$
schwa /ul/ sound, homophones


Across
2 Panel
5 Cardinal
7 Humans
10 Slow down
11 Neglected
12 Realistic
15 Coin
16 Identical

Down

| 1 | Perfume |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 | Smash |
| 3 | Opposite of attentive |
| 4 | To make a shrill sound |
| 6 | Squeak |
| 7 | Hesitate |
| 8 | Basis |
| 9 | Animal hands |
| 11 | Supernatural event |
| 13 | Watercourse |
| 14 | Not mine |

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## Unit 4-21 Polygon Answers

Some answers:
(With R): acre, arm, car, care, clear, cram, crate, cream, crime, era, ire, lair, mare, miracle, mire, race, ram, real, rice, rile, rim
(Others without $\mathbf{R}$ ): ace, ale, ice, calm, came, lame, male, meal, mice, mile
(obscure) marl

## Unit 4-21 Polygon Game



The above letters can be used to make a list word and other words. See the game rules and hints below.

Score: 8 words average, 10 good, 13 very good, 16 excellent. (21)

## Rules:

Easier challenge: Using the given letters no more than once, make as many words as possible of three or more letters.
For a more difficult challenge: Use the given letters no more than once, make as many words as possible, of three or more letters, always including the central letter 'R'. Capitalised words (proper nouns), plurals, conjugated verbs (past tense e.g., 'hide' not 'hides'), adverbs ending in LY, comparatives and superlatives (adjectives e.g., safer, safest) are disallowed.
General rule:
Do not use acronyms, contractions, rude words or slang.

## Use of your dictionary to check or find words.

## Hints for solving:

- Look for beginnings, such as UN- or SUB-, and endings, such as -ER or -ISM. Look for blends, such as ST, PR or ND.
- Write the letters in a different order; you may spot something different.
- Don't forget to look for words that begin with a vowel.
- When you find a word, try reading it backwards, to see if it suggests another word.
- When you find a word, try to find all the rearrangements of its letters that also form words.
- When you find a word, try substituting the remaining letters into it.

