## Unit 5-10 Crossword

Name: $\qquad$

## silent letters



Across
3 Garland
6 Speechless
7 Have knowledge
9 Accolade
12 Midweek
14 Show
16 Joint in the finger
19 Phantom
22 Horse's head
23 Squeeze
24 Crease

Down
1 Commerce
2 Small square cloth
3 Amiss
4 Twisted and knobbly
5 Financial obligation
8 Composed
10 Tempo
11 Where a watch is worn
13 Tire
15 On your knees
17 Tap
18 Stature
2060 minutes
21 Had known

## Unit 5-10 Crossword Solutions



## Unit 5-10 Polygon Answers

## Some answers:

(With T): battle, beast, beat, belt, best, east, last, late, least, salt, seat, seatbelt, settle, sleet, stale, steal, steel, tale, tease, teat, test, (21)
(Others without $\mathbf{T}$ ): able, bale, ease, lease, sale, seal (6)

## Unit 5-10 Polygon Game



The above letters can be used to make a 8 letter mystery word (it is not a list word) and other words. Mystery word clues: It is a compound word; the first word has a long vowel sound; the second word has a short e sound; it is safety device in vehicles. See the game rules and hints below.

Score: 7 words average, 9 good, 12 very good, 15 excellent. (27)
Use your dictionary to check or find words.

## Rules:

Easier challenge: Using the given letters no more than once, make as many words as possible of four or more letters.
For a more difficult challenge: Use the given letters no more than once, make as many words as possible, of four or more letters, always including the central letter 'T'. 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.

## 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.

