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# Weekly Find the Words

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Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Pencils and paper for each player, depending on how you play

May be suitable for visually impaired players.

## Overview:

How many four- and five-letter words can you make from the letters in the word **PHOTOGRAPHY**? (Note: We found **39** four-letter and **11** five-letter words.)

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Instructions: This game can be played in a number of ways. Here are three examples:

1. Go around the room and have players (one at a time) identify the 4-letter words, then the 5-letter words. You could set a goal of finding at least 50% of the correct answers.
2. Make it a timed contest. Hand out page 2 of this document (or a blank piece of paper) and give your players two or three (or more) minutes to write down as many words as they can. The player with the most (legitimate) words is the winner.
3. Play as described in #2, but have the players work in teams of two or three.

To add a little extra fun, we've added a secret word. (You can find it on the answer page.) If you are scoring the game, give the player or team who gets the secret word double points. If you're not scoring, perhaps you can give them a small prize – a piece of chocolate, a \$1 lottery ticket, a lollipop, etc.

In addition, you will see that we've marked some words with asterisks. These words are a bit harder to get. Again, if you are scoring, you might give an extra point or two to the person/team who gets an "asterisked" word.



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## ANSWERS

(Note: Other, more obscure answers are possible.)

### 4 LETTERS

1. Ahoy
2. Argh
3. Arty
4. Goat
5. Goop
6. Gorp
7. Gory
8. Goth
9. Gray
10. Gyro
11. Harp
12. Hart
13. Hath
14. Hoar
15. Hoop
16. Hoot
17. Hora
18. Oath
19. Orgy
20. Part

### 4 LETTERS

21. Path
22. Pogo
23. Pooh
24. Poop
25. Poor
26. Port
27. Prat
28. Pray
29. Prop
30. Root
31. Taro
32. Tarp
33. Toga
34. Tory
35. Trap
36. Tray
37. Troy
38. Typo
39. Yoga

### 5 LETTERS

1. Graph
2. Groat
3. Happy
4. Harpy
5. Hoagy
6. Hoary
7. Party
8. Photo
9. Torah
10. Troop
11. Yahoo

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