

Homework 11/30/25

Finish the ALE

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Maybe be suitable for visually impaired players (with some assistance).

Overview:

Homework games usually differ from our typical game formats in that they are meant for individual play and will often require pencil and paper to solve. However, with a little adaptation, you can usually use them for group play as well. For homework games, we recommend that you hand out the game page (but not the answers) for your players to take home. Perhaps you can post the answers on a bulletin board or in the elevator a couple of days later.

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| 1. _ ALE _ | Boys and men. |
| 2. A _ _ LE | What a bride walks down. |
| 3. _ ALE _ | A gentleman's manservant. |
| 4. _ AL _ _ E | Military greeting. |
| 5. AL _ E _ | Moon man or Martian. |
| 6. _ A _ LE _ | Aesop's stories. |
| 7. _ A _ LE | National tree of Canada. |
| 8. _ A _ _ _ LE | To talk on and on, often in a nonsensical way. |
| 9. _ A _ LE _ | Classical dance. |
| 10. _ _ A _ LE | An infant's bed. |
| 11. _ _ AL _ E | Hockey position. |
| 12. _ AL _ _ E | Ice-melting salt used in winter. |
| 13. _ A _ _ LE _ | The first of the three herbs mentioned in Simon & Garfunkel's song, "Scarborough Fair." |
| 14. A _ L _ E _ _ | Disease, illness, or condition. |
| 15. A _ _ L _ _ _ E | Ovation; handclapping. |

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ANSWERS

1. **MALES**
2. **AISLE**
3. **VALET**
4. **SALUTE**
5. **ALIEN**
6. **FABLES**
7. **MAPLE**
8. **BABBLE**
9. **BALLET**
10. **CRADLE**
11. **GOALIE**
12. **HALITE**
13. **PARSLEY**
14. **AILMENT**
15. **APPLAUSE**