

5/10/26

# Replace the Missing Letters

---

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Tokens (for scorekeeping); prizes (small) for winner(s)

## Overview:

Fill in the missing letters to reveal a list of phrases, sayings, and titles related in some way to **MOTHERS**.

## Instructions:

1. Write the first clue on a white board or easel large enough for all to see. Be sure to place empty lines where the letters are missing.
2. Allow players to shout out answers.
3. Instead of scoring, you might consider passing out a token (for example, a poker chip, or a piece of cardboard, or a spare button) to the first person you hear shout out the correct answer.
4. When the game is over, the person with the most tokens wins the game. You might consider giving him or her a lottery ticket or a special chocolate bar for that achievement.

5/10/26

# Replace the Missing Letters

Instructions: Fill in the missing letters to reveal a list of phrases, sayings, and titles related in some way to MOTHERS.

1. \_ E N • \_ O T \_ E R
2. S O \_ \_ E R • \_ \_ M
3. M \_ \_ H E \_ • \_ A R \_ H
4. \_ O \_ \_ E R • \_ \_ O S \_
5. \_ U R \_ \_ G A T \_ • \_ \_ T H E \_
6. M \_ • \_ O \_ H \_ R • \_ H E • \_ A R
7. M \_ T \_ E \_ • O \_ • T \_ E • \_ \_ I D E
8. H O \_ • \_ • M E \_ • \_ \_ U R • M \_ \_ H E \_
9. M O T \_ \_ \_ • \_ \_ D • \_ \_ I L D • \_ E U \_ I O \_
10. L I \_ \_ • \_ \_ T H E \_ • L I \_ \_ • \_ A U \_ \_ T E R
11. \_ A , • \_ E ' S • M A \_ \_ N G • E \_ \_ S • \_ T • M \_
12. H E \_ \_ O • \_ \_ D D A H , • H E \_ \_ O • \_ \_ D D A H
13. \_ O U • \_ \_ N ' T • \_ \_ O L • \_ O \_ H \_ R • N A \_ \_ R E

5/10/26

# Replace the Missing Letters

---

## ANSWERS

1. DEN MOTHER
2. SOCCER MOM
3. MOTHER EARTH
4. MOTHER GOOSE
5. SURROGATE MOTHER
6. MY MOTHER THE CAR
7. MOTHER OF THE BRIDE
8. HOW I MET YOUR MOTHER
9. MOTHER AND CHILD REUNION
10. LIKE MOTHER LIKE DAUGHTER
11. MA, HE'S MAKING EYES AT ME
12. HELLO MUDDAH, HELLO FADDAH
13. YOU CAN'T FOOL MOTHER NATURE