

## PUN QUIZ FOR THE PUNK WHIZ

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Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to provide the common phrases or words that the following punnished misdefinitions refer to. For the shorter answers these are like cryptic crossword clues. Example: **body building** might be defined as **the morgue** (4 8). The numbers tell how many letters are in each word of the answer. Where it provides a clue, single word answers are broken down into part-words: (6|4) means the answer is a 10-letter word made up of elements of 6 and 4 letters. My answers are at the back of this issue, but other answers may be possible.

1. strength of will to resist overeating (7 5)
2. figuring your number is up (4 9)
3. Christmas leftovers (excluding heroin) (4 6)
4. evidence junkies had a tryst in the barn (6 2 1 8)
5. brief moments of cogitation (6 8)
6. a spectre that haunts pro golfers (5|3)
7. a telephone phobia (4-2)
8. adds from the top down (6 3 2)
9. two snails symmetrically exchanging DNA (6 5)
10. well-deserved spontaneous abortion (11 2 7)
11. jewelry worn by thieves' helpers (11)
12. train a burglar (5 2)
13. bravely attack the armed robber (4 3 3)
14. done without assistance (4|4)
15. nervous cow (4 5)
16. cowardly telegram (7 4)
17. how to open a plastic wrapper (2 2 2 5 3 4)
18. low tide (4 2 3 5)
19. flaking on a car bumper (9 5)
20. pitch of a lesbian [Chemistry calls?] (4|4)
21. "more lesbian than thou" (7)
22. eventually treated fairly (4 2 4)
23. enduring unruly kids (5-7)
24. boomerang that doesn't come back (5)
25. Reporters rush the newsmakers. (5 7)
26. where sex-obsessed antipodeans dwell (4 5)
27. natural laxatives (3|7)
28. put through clown school (4 1 4 2)
29. how often s/he listens to you (5 9)
30. coating a sheep for deep frying (9 3)
31. one who can't stand to stand (yet must) (5|6)
32. amused cows (8 5)
33. tie for the silver medal (5 6)
34. Something's rotten early in the Greek alphabet. (4 6)
35. when elderly people wake up to urinate... (3 5 2 3 7)
36. ...dressed only in blue feathers (5 2 1 7)