

“S” ENTIALS

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In the matching quiz that follows, twenty clues for targeted words have been supplied in each of two columns. Those in Column B can be manufactured from their appropriate counterparts in Column A by inserting the letter “S” into their interiors. For instance, if “English mom” appeared in Column A and “expert” appeared in Column B, an “S” placed into the word MATER would yield MASTER.

Finding all twenty pairings here should prove to be “S”pecially satisfying.

<u>COLUMN A</u>	<u>COLUMN B</u>
(A) regard with deference	(1) ejection
(B) weeps	(2) change prose to metrical form
(C) conference among adversaries	(3) mailing charge
(D) antagonistic reaction	(4) tyrant
(E) substantiate	(5) keep in check
(F) conforming to recognized standards	(6) end of a meal
(G) tennis score	(7) curly garnish
(H) bus station	(8) meager
(I) lacking any sense	(9) downward incline
(J) desolate area	(10) turn backward
(K) accustom	(11) make certain
(L) external	(12) like a bear
(M) treat mercifully	(13) grammatical slant
(N) fan	(14) relating to the universe
(O) granular	(15) male bird
(P) thick, creamy soup	(16) stretching muscle
(Q) liquid waste	(17) mad
(R) teach once again	(18) parched
(S) Pavarotti or Domingo	(19) contemptibly small
(T) amusing fellow	(20) turning points