



## Fill in the gaps

### Wordplay by Jason Mraz

I've been all around the world  
I've been a new sensation  
But it doesn't really matter  
In this generation  
The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ slump  
Is an uphill battle  
And someone (2)\_\_\_\_\_ that ain't my scene  
'Cause they need a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the long division  
Someone do the math  
For the record label puts me on the shelf  
Up in the freezer  
Got to find another way to live the life of leisure  
So I drop my top  
Mix and I mingle  
Is everybody ready for the single and it goes...  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now listen closely to the verse I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ of (ooh's) and (ah's) and  
(fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the Mister A to Z  
They say I'm all about the wordplay  
And it's (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to get ill I got your remedy  
For those who don't (6)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Well let me introduce you to my style  
I try to keep a jumble  
And the lyrics never mumble  
When the music's makin' (7)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue-tied  
You want a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the long division  
Someone do the math  
For the people write me off  
Like I'm a one-hit wonder  
Gotta (8)\_\_\_\_\_ another way to keep from goin' under  
Pull out the stops  
Got your attention

I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ it's time again for me  
To (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now (11)\_\_\_\_\_ closely to the verse I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all (12)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful (13)\_\_\_\_\_ it does  
Because, because  
I am the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ of (ooh's) and (ah's) and  
(fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ A to Z  
They say I'm all (16)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
I built a (17)\_\_\_\_\_ across the stream my  
consciousness  
It always seems to be a flowin'  
But I don't know which way my brain is goin'  
(Oh) the ryhmin' and the timin'  
Keeps the melodies inside me  
And they're comin'  
Till I'm running out of air  
Are you (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to take a dive  
Into the deep end of my head  
Are you listening to a (19)\_\_\_\_\_ word I've said  
(Ah la la la la)  
Listen closely to the words I say  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm stickin' to the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The (20)\_\_\_\_\_ thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the Mister A to Z  
They say I'm all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Stickin' with the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I love the wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
The (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's) fall back in love  
For the Mister A to Z they say  
Is all about the wordplay



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. sophomore
2. said
3. about
4. wizard
5. time
6. remember
7. people
8. find
9. guess
10. mention
11. listen
12. about
13. thing
14. wizard
15. Mister
16. about
17. bridge
18. prepared
19. single
20. wonderful