



## Wordplay by Jason Mraz

### Fill in the gaps

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 said that ain't my scene  
'Cause (2)\_\_\_\_\_ need a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ division  
Someone do the math  
For the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ label puts me on the shelf  
Up in the freezer  
Got to (5)\_\_\_\_\_ another way to live the life of leisure  
So I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (7)\_\_\_\_\_ I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ A to Z  
They say I'm all (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
And it's time to get ill I got (11)\_\_\_\_\_ remedy  
For those who don't remember 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' people tongue-tied  
You want a new song  
Like a new (12)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 find (13)\_\_\_\_\_ way to keep from goin'  
under  
Pull out the stops  
Got (14)\_\_\_\_\_ attention

I guess it's time again for me  
To mention the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now (15)\_\_\_\_\_ closely to the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I  
lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful 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  
I built a bridge across the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ my  
consciousness  
It always seems to be a flowin'  
But I don't know (18)\_\_\_\_\_ way my brain is goin'  
(Oh) the ryhmin' and the timin'  
Keeps the melodies (19)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
And they're comin'  
Till I'm running out of air  
Are you (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to take a dive  
Into the deep end of my head  
Are you listening to a single 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 (21)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the (23)\_\_\_\_\_  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ 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. they
3. long
4. record
5. find
6. drop
7. verse
8. about
9. Mister
10. about
11. your
12. religion
13. another
14. your
15. listen
16. verse
17. stream
18. which
19. inside
20. prepared
21. wonderful
22. love
23. wonderful
24. thing