



I is for Individuals

Name games

There are around 4,000 people buried and remembered at Westminster Abbey. Some have grand tombs, others a memorial and some have worn away so we don't know who they are anymore. Nonetheless each individual is remembered at the Abbey every day. Let's find out who they are...

Anagrams

Unscramble the names to discover some of the famous people buried or remembered in the Abbey. You might want to work with an adult. You can find out more about them on the website:

<https://www.westminster-abbey.org/about-the-abbey/history/famous-people-organisations>

Llama Send None

N _____ M _____

Clue: President of South Africa, campaigner against apartheid

Peaks When Night

S _____ H _____

Clue: Theoretical physicist who wrote a book called *A Brief History of Time*

Jean Ate Sun

J _____ A _____

Clue: Author of many books including *Pride and Prejudice*

Arch Cue

C _____

Clue: Writer famous for *The Canterbury Tales* but originally buried in the Abbey because he was the Clerk of the King's Works (surname only)

Sidecar Owl

O _____ W _____

Clue: Write famous for *The Picture of Dorian Grey* and *The Importance of Being Earnest*

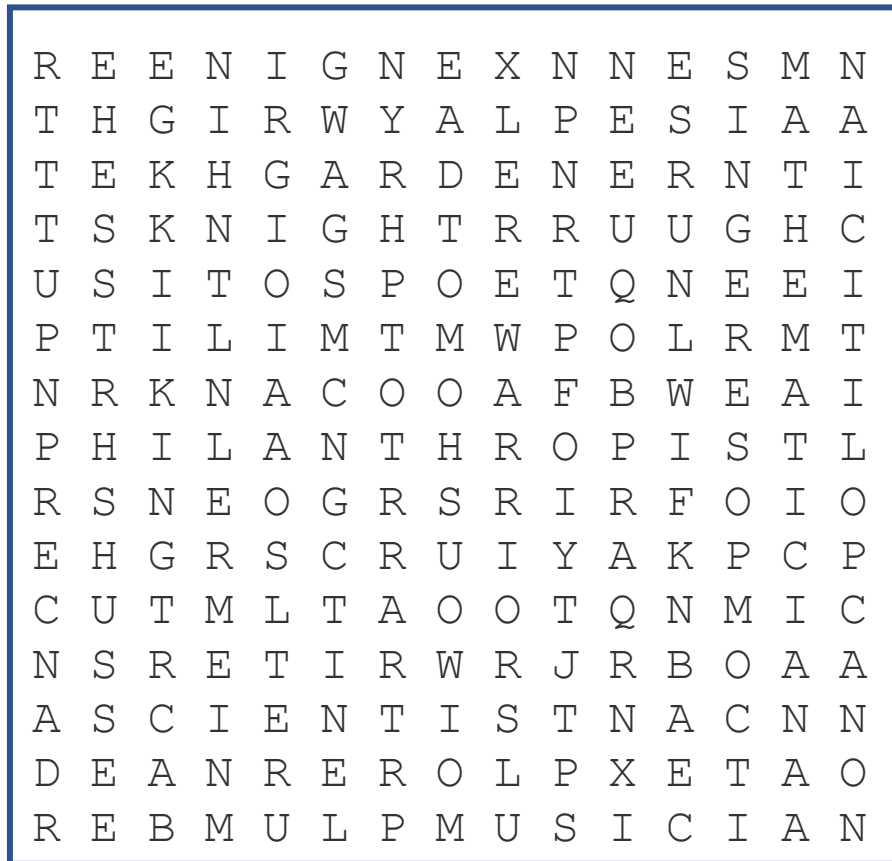
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F _____ N _____

Clue: Often said to be the founder of modern nursing, a social reformer and statistician

Word search

People buried and remembered at the Abbey had lots of different jobs. See how many you can find from the list below in this word search.



scientist	poet	playwright	dancer
mathematician	engineer	historian	gardener
philanthropist	explorer	warrior	artist
knight	king	queen	priest
abbot	dean	canon	plumber
composer	singer	writer	politician
doctor	nurse	musician	organist
monk	astronomer	journalist	actor

Charades

Look at the list of professions from the Abbey's burials and memorials below the word search. Choose one and see if you can act it out to the people in your group. You could even try this over video calls with friends and family to extend the game. Can they guess what job you are miming?

Who am I?

For older players (11+)

Look at the list below and find out about them on the Abbey's website. Look for other people you may not already know about. Write a fact card about the people you find out about using the template below.

Aphra Behn	Octavia Hill	Eleanor of Castile	Thomas Parr
Margaret Cavendish	George Eliot	Henry Purcell	Noel Coward
Olaudah Equiano	Philippa of Hainault	The Modern Martyrs	Ian Fraser

Name:

Date of birth:

Date of death:

Buried or remembered?

Occupation:

Notable for:

Answers:

Anagrams

Nelson Mandela, Stephen Hawking, Jane Austen, Chaucer, Oscar Wilde, Florence Nightingale



“I’m named after a very special individual called David” said Livingstone the lion, “I wonder if you are named after anyone special? What’s their story?”

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