



## 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 said (2)\_\_\_\_\_ ain't my scene  
'Cause (3)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (4)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful (5)\_\_\_\_\_ it does  
Because, because  
I am the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to get ill I got your 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 (8)\_\_\_\_\_ a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ division  
Someone do the math  
For the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ me off  
Like I'm a one-hit wonder  
Gotta find another way to keep from goin' under  
Pull out the stops  
Got your attention

I guess it's time again for me  
To mention the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now listen closely to the verse I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful (12)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
I built a (14)\_\_\_\_\_ across the stream my  
consciousness  
It always seems to be a flowin'  
But I don't (15)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 prepared to take a dive  
Into the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ end of my head  
Are you listening to a single (17)\_\_\_\_\_ I've said  
(Ah la la la la)  
Listen (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to the words I say  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm stickin' to the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful (19)\_\_\_\_\_ it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ A to Z  
They say I'm all (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm all (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Stickin' with the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I (23)\_\_\_\_\_ the (24)\_\_\_\_\_ 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



## Answer

1. sophomore
2. that
3. they
4. another
5. thing
6. wizard
7. time
8. want
9. long
10. people
11. write
12. thing
13. about
14. bridge
15. know
16. deep
17. word
18. closely
19. thing
20. Mister
21. about
22. about
23. love
24. wonderful

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