

DOUBLE TROUBLE

Compound words are made up of two smaller words, such as *hayloft* or *watchtower*. In this game, we give the second half of some compound words. You must identify the one word that precedes each of them to make the compound word. For example, given the words weed, coast, and sick, the one word that makes each a compound word is *sea* (*seaweed, seacoast, and seasick*).

(If you get stuck, the first letter of the answer is provided in a hint at the bottom.)

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| 1. hound, thirsty, stream | 8. bow, coat, drop, forest |
| 2. catcher, fight, wood, house | 9. proof, melon, fall, color |
| 3. mother, father, parent, stand | 10. back, house, land, grocer |
| 4. sick, work, land, room | 11. quake, shaking, worm |
| 5. land, berg, box, breaker | 12. maker, stick, box, book |
| 6. hammer, ass, knife, pot | 13. study, wear, privileged |
| 7. beam, shine, walk, light | 14. cushion, stripe, wheel,
point, ball |

HINT:

1. b
2. d
3. g
4. h
5. i
6. j
7. m
8. r
9. w
10. g
11. e
12. m
13. u
14. p