

## Winter Solstice Word Search

Large print word search with extra-large letters for comfortable solving.

Difficulty **Medium** ■■■□□

Format **Large Print**

Estimated time ⌚ 10-20 min

Best for Adults & Seniors

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### WORDS TO FIND

ANCIENT

ASTRONOMICAL

AXIS

BONFIRE

CELEBRATION

EQUINOX

FEAST

GATHERING

HEMISPHERE

MIDWINTER

ORBIT

RENEWAL

ROTATION

SUNRISE

TRADITION

# Winter Solstice — Answer Key

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## Did you know?

- The winter solstice is the shortest day and longest night of the year in a given hemisphere, marking the astronomical start of winter.
- Earth is actually closest to the sun in early January, just after the winter solstice, which can surprise people who assume distance drives the seasons.
- Yule, a midwinter festival with roots in Germanic and Norse tradition, predates Christmas and influenced some winter customs still practiced today.
- In China, the Dongzhi Festival marks the winter solstice with its own long-standing food and family traditions, distinct from any single religious holiday.

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