

# Compound words

- 1 How many compounds can you make by combining the words in the circle with the words around it?



## HOME

COMPOUND	TRANSLATION EQUIVALENT
HOME-MADE	domaći (proizvod), iz domaće proizvodnje
HOMEWORK (no plural in English!)	domaći zadatak
HOMESICK	nostalgičan (kome nedostaje dom, kuća, porodica)
HOMELESS	beskućnik
HOME PAGE	početna stranica (vebsajta)
HOME-GROWN	organski uzgajano/domaće
HOMETOWN	rodni grad
HOMECOMING	povratak kući/proslava mature, okupljanje đaka

## HOUSE

COMPOUND	TRANSLATION EQUIVALENT
HOUSEWIFE	domaćica
HOUSE-PROUD	koji/a vodi računa o čistoći kuće/čistunac
HOUSE-WARMING	proslava povodom useljenja u novi stan, kuću...
HOUSEBOUND	prikovan za krevet/kuću usljed bolesti
HOUSEPLANT	kućna biljka
HOUSEWORK	kućni poslovi

## 9 *house and home* idioms

1 Tick (✓) the correct definition for each idiom. Use your dictionary.

1 They get on like a house on fire.

a ☐ They have a very good relationship.

b ☐ They are always arguing.

2 Come in and make yourself at home.

a ☐ Tidy the house.

b ☐ Please behave in my house as if it were yours.

3 Lloyd Webber's new musical brought the house down.

a ☐ The musical was a success.

b ☐ The musical wasn't a success.

4 The news report really brought home to me the horrors of famine.

a ☐ The report talked about the horrors of famine.

b ☐ The report made me realize fully the horrors of the famine.

5 These drinks are on the house.

a ☐ These drinks are very pricey.

b ☐ These drinks are free of charge.

6 This shaky old bridge is actually (as) safe as houses.

a ☐ Don't worry. The bridge is very safe.

b ☐ Be careful. The bridge isn't safe at all.

1. B

2. B

3. A

4. B

5. B

6. A

EXPRESSION	TRANSLATION EQUIVALENT
TO GET ON LIKE HOUSE ON FIRE	slagati se kao rogovi u vreći/pas i mačka/stalno se svađati
MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME	raskomoti se, osjećaj se kao kod kuće
TO BRING THE HOUSE DOWN	postići ogroman uspjeh
TO BRING HOME TO SOMEONE	pomoći/omogućiti nekome da shvati nešto
ON THE HOUSE	na račun kuće, besplatno
SAFE AS HOUSES	potpuno bezbjedno