Unit 1

Scanning for Key Words

What is scanning? It is a way to read very fast. You do not read all the words. You read only the words you are looking for.

In these exercises you learn to find words quickly. Then you can read quickly. Circle the key word every time you see it in the line.

Example:

Key words

1. **read**	real	(read)	reel	raid	(read)
2. **three**	tree	there	(three)	these	trees

Exercise 1

➤ ***Select the key word every time you see it in the line. Work quickly.***

Key words

1. **into**	onto	unto	into	intro	into
2. **been**	been	bean	born	been	barn
3. **back**	black	bark	back	bank	book
4. **must**	much	must	mist	mush	muse
5. **then**	them	then	ten	than	then
6. **way**	way	why	wax	way	wry
7. **out**	our	cut	oust	own	out
8. **all**	ail	all	awl	owe	alm
9. **with**	witch	with	wish	will	wilt
10. **over**	ever	aver	over	our	over

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Exercise 2

➤ ***Select*** *the key word every time you see it in the line. Work quickly.*

Key words

1. **they**	thy	they	then	them	they
2. **what**	what	when	white	what	whit
3. **down**	dawn	darn	done	dean	down
4. **may**	my	may	many	way	marry
5. **time**	twine	tine	turn	time	time
6. **would**	want	would	walked	should	world
7. **you**	you	yes	yon	you	yore
8. **also**	alas	alto	also	ails	also
9. **much**	must	mast	mush	much	munch
10. **after**	alter	alter	after	afar	otter

Exercise 3

➤ ***Select*** *the key word every time you see it in the line. Work quickly.*

Key words

1. **before**	baffle	belief	befriend	before	belfry
2. **which**	witch	which	winch	whisk	which
3. **was**	watt	war	was	wan	wan
4. **are**	art	arc	air	ago	are
5. **were**	were	wear	were	ware	wore
6. **about**	abound	abuse	about	abut	about
7. **there**	there	their	these	theme	three
8. **new**	now	net	non	new	not
9. **our**	out	our	own	our	oar
10. **any**	ant	nay	awry	and	any

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Exercise 4

Select the key word every time you see it in the line. Work quickly.

Key words

1.	**will**	wilt	wall	with	will	wild
2.	**made**	made	made	make	maid	mode
3.	**their**	there	these	three	their	thine
4.	**years**	yours	years	yarns	years	yards
5.	**did**	did	die	dill	dud	dad
6.	**him**	hum	him	him	ham	hun
7.	**most**	moat	must	mast	mouth	most
8.	**could**	cold	culled	could	called	could
9.	**your**	year	your	your	yarn	yore
10.	**through**	thought	though	threw	through	tough

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