

## 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

## **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

## 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. <b>made</b>	made	made	make	maid	mode
3. their	there	these	three	their	thine
4. <b>years</b>	yours	years	yarns	years	yards
5. <b>did</b>	did	die	dill	dud	dad
6. <b>him</b>	hum	him	him	ham	hun
7. <b>most</b>	moat	must	mast	mouth	most
8. <b>could</b>	cold	culled	could	called	could
9. <b>your</b>	year	your	your	yarn	yore
10. <b>through</b>	thought	though	threw	through	tough