

PRONUNCIATION: /ʃ/ /ʒ/ /s/ /z/

EXERCISE 1: GAP FILL

Listen to the song. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box.



Video link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iXsXV9mlSq0>

celebration
direction
isolation
vibration

confusion
explanation
skin (x20)

consolation
intention
solution

"Love Profusion" by Madonna

There are too many questions

I got you under my _____ x4

There is not one _____

There is no comprehension

There is no resurrection

There is real _____

There is so much _____

There is so much destruction

And the love profusion

What I want is a _____

You make me feel

And I know I can feel bad

You make me know

When I get in a bad mood

And the love _____

And the world can look so sad

You make me feel

Only you make me feel good

You make it shine

There are too many options

I got you under my _____ x8

There is no _____

And the love profusion

I have lost my illusions

You make me feel

What I want is an _____

You make me know

And the love _____

And the love _____

You make me feel

You make me shine x2

You make me know

And the love _____

I got you under my _____ x8

You make me feel

And I know I can feel bad

You make me shine

When I get in a bad mood

You make me feel

And the world can look so sad

You make me shine

Only you make me feel good

You make me feel

EXERCISE 2: DICTIONARY WORK

Match the words to their definitions. You may use a dictionary. Record new vocabulary at the back of your notebook. The first example has been done for you.

WORD	DEFINITION
a. comprehension	i. the act of destroying sth
b. confusion	ii. an idea or belief in sth that is not true
c. consolation	iii. sth that you want or intend to do
d. destruction	iv. the answer to a problem
e. illusions	v. the act of bringing sth that had disappeared or ended back into use or existence
f. intension	vi. sth that makes sb who is sad or disappointed feel better
g. isolation	vii. a situation in which people do not understand what is happening
h. profusion	viii. an extremely large amount of something
i. resurrection	ix. continuous quick, slight shaking movement. also: a feeling
j. solution	x. <i>the ability to understand sth completely</i>
k. vibration	xi. the condition of being alone

EXERCISE 3: PHONEME SORT

Look at the underlined words. Identify the correct phoneme /ʃ/ /ʒ/ /s/ /z/ and write the word in the correct column. Some words (underlined twice) will fall into **more than one phoneme category**.



EXTENSION IDEAS

EXERCISE 4: KARAOKE

Log on to this link and follow the instructions:

<https://lyricstraining.com/play/madonna/love-profusion/HJ3ymUHmWJ#b7w>

EXERCISE 5: POETRY & LYRICS

Many poets and lyric writers make use of poetic schemes in their work. Can you identify the schemes used in this song? Think of somebody you really care about. Write a poem for them, using words that rhyme. Use the space below.

