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## Sneaky Secrets

(Word Power)

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Dear John

Here's how you can impress your family, friends and colleagues with your 'Stephen Fry' style power house vocabulary. What's more John it'll only take less than 37 seconds to learn.

Sometimes in our busy working and social lives things can get a little too serious, here's something you can use to break the ice and even have a bit of fun with.

I love my work as sometimes I'm thrown a challenge that stretches my comfort zone a little. Even though the majority of my work is in the corporate field either performing close up magic, after dinner speaking and conference keynote speaking. Last month I was asked to address 540 seventeen year olds and give them a bit of a pep talk to prepare them for life in the big wide world.

Afterwards about 10 of the pupils, the english teacher and I were having a chat and some how the conversation came round to his command of the english language and his phenomenal vocabulary.

**The Sneaky Stunt - 99 words in 60 seconds**

I bet him a cup of tea (yes, I know, I can't help it if I'm a high roller) that he wouldn't be able to say 99 words without the letters a, b, c, d, j, k, m, p, q, x, and z in 60 seconds. And yet I would get the 10 pupils we were chatting with to not only say the 99 words in 60 seconds but to also say them in unison.

As the teacher loves his tea and a challenge the game was a foot. At this point I decided to sweeten the deal (no pun intended, honest) and I threw in a Hob Knob. His eyes lit up. Between you and me I think he really should get out more often.

### The Sneaky Secret

This so simple you're not going to believe it. All you have to do is count from 1 to 99. That's it!!! None of those numbers contain the letters a, b, c, d, j, k, m, p, q, x, or z.

### How to get a free drink at the bar

Well it's obvious isn't it?

### Government health warning

In the words of that classic philosophical thinker... Spiderman. 'With great power comes great responsibility'. I do not accept any responsibility if you decide to use this information for manipulative or naughty means. So think on.

### The Challenge - For a bit of fun, I challenge you to drop this useless fact in to your next conversation

Mary Queen of Scots wrote letters to her supporters in INVISIBLE ink while she was waiting in prison to be executed.

*Here's one of them...*

### ... and finally

If you're looking for a hilarious after dinner speaker with a difference you can find more information when you [click here](#).

If you have a corporate message to communicate at your next conference or product launch and you're looking for a unique speaker to help you make your message stick then please [click here](#).

**Better still, John, pick up the phone now and call me on 01274 685152** to discuss how I can help you make your next event not just a success but an investment in which you'll receive a return.

Have a great week.

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