



## Wordplay by Jason Mraz

I've been all (1)\_\_\_\_\_ the world  
I've been a new sensation  
But it doesn't really matter  
In this generation  
The sophomore slump  
Is an uphill battle  
And (2)\_\_\_\_\_ said (3)\_\_\_\_\_ ain't my scene  
'Cause (4)\_\_\_\_\_ need a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the long division  
Someone do the math  
For the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ label (6)\_\_\_\_\_ me on the  
shelf  
Up in the freezer  
Got to (7)\_\_\_\_\_ another way to live the life of leisure  
So I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ my top  
Mix and I mingle  
Is everybody ready for the single and it goes...  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now (9)\_\_\_\_\_ closely to the verse I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the Mister A to Z  
They say I'm all about the wordplay  
And it's time to get ill I got your remedy  
For those who don't remember me  
Well let me introduce you to my style  
I try to (10)\_\_\_\_\_ a jumble  
And the lyrics never mumble  
When the music's makin' people tongue-tied  
You want a new song  
Like a new religion music  
For the television  
I can't do the long division  
Someone do the math  
For the people write me off  
Like I'm a one-hit wonder  
Gotta (11)\_\_\_\_\_ another way to (12)\_\_\_\_\_ from  
goin' under  
Pull out the stops  
Got (13)\_\_\_\_\_ attention

## Fill in the gaps

I guess it's time again for me  
To (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Now listen closely to the verse I lay  
(Ah la la la la)  
It's all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the Mister A to Z  
They say I'm all about the wordplay  
I built a (15)\_\_\_\_\_ across the stream my  
consciousness  
It always seems to be a flowin'  
But I don't know which way my (16)\_\_\_\_\_ is goin'  
(Oh) the ryhmin' and the timin'  
Keeps the melodies (17)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
And they're comin'  
Till I'm running out of air  
Are you prepared to take a dive  
Into the deep end of my head  
Are you listening to a single word I've said  
(Ah la la la la)  
Listen closely to the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ I say  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm stickin' to the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
The wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
I am the wizard of (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's)  
Yeah the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ A to Z  
They say I'm all (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I'm all about the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
Stickin' with the wordplay  
(Ah la la la la)  
I love the wonderful thing it does  
Because, because  
The (ooh's) and (ah's) and (fa-la-la's) fall back in love  
For the Mister A to Z (21)\_\_\_\_\_ say  
Is all (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the wordplay



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. around
2. someone
3. that
4. they
5. record
6. puts
7. find
8. drop
9. listen
10. keep
11. find
12. keep
13. your
14. mention
15. bridge
16. brain
17. inside
18. words
19. Mister
20. about
21. they
22. about