



# Get Off to a Flying Start

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## 7s EM- (put into, make, provide with, surround with)

EMBALMS	ABELMMS	EMBALM, to treat so as to protect from decay [v]
EMBANKS	ABEKMNS	EMBANK, to confine or protect with raised structure [v]
EMBARGO	ABEGMOR	to restrain trade by governmental order [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
EMBARKS	ABEKMRS	EMBARK, to make start [v]
EMBAYED	ABDEEMY	EMBAY, to enclose in bay [v]
EMBLAZE	ABEELMZ	to set on fire [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EMBOSKS	BEKMOSS	EMBOSK, to conceal with foliage [v]
EMBOSOM	BEMMOOS	to embrace (to hug (to clasp tightly in arms)) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBOWED	BDEEMOW	EMBOW, to arch (to bend like arch (curved structure spanning opening)) [v]
EMBOWEL	BEELMOW	to disbowel (to remove intestines of) [v -ED, -ING, -S or -LLED, -LLING, -S]
EMBOWER	BEEMORW	to surround with foliage [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBRACE	ABCEEMR	to hug (to clasp tightly in arms) [v -D, -CING, -S]
EMBROIL	BEILMOR	to involve in conflict [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBROWN	BEMNORW	to make brown (of dark color) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBRUED	BDEEMRU	EMBRUE, to imbrue (to stain (to discolor or dirty)) [v]
EMBRUES	BEEMRSU	EMBRUE, to imbrue (to stain (to discolor or dirty)) [v]
EMBRUTE	BEEMRTU	to imbrute (to make brutal (cruel; savage)) [v -D, -TING, -S]
EMPALED	ADEELMP	EMPALE, to impale (to pierce with pointed object) [v]
EMPALER	AEELMPR	one that empales (to impale (to pierce with pointed object)) [n -S]
EMPALES	AEELMPS	EMPALE, to impale (to pierce with pointed object) [v]
EMPANEL	AEELMNP	to impanel (to enter on list for jury duty) [v -ED, -ING, -S or -LLED, -LLING, -S]
EMPATHY	AEHMPTY	imaginative identification with another's thoughts and feelings [n -HIES] :
EMPLACE	ACEELMP	to position (to put in particular location) [v -D, -CING, -S]
EMPLANE	AEELMNP	to enplane (to board airplane) [v -D, -NING, -S]
EMPOWER	EEMOPRW	to give legal power to [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMPRISE	EEIMPRS	adventurous undertaking [n -S]
EMPRIZE	EEIMPRZ	emprise (adventurous undertaking) [n -S]

## 8s EM- (put into, make, provide with, surround with)

EMBALMED	ABDEELMM	EMBALM, to treat so as to protect from decay [v]
EMBALMER	ABEELMMR	one that embalms (to treat so as to protect from decay) [n -S]
EMBANKED	ABDEEKMN	EMBANK, to confine or protect with raised structure [v]
EMBARKED	ABDEEKMR	EMBARK, to make start [v]
EMBARRED	ABDEEMRR	EMBAR, to imprison (to confine (to shut within enclosure)) [v]
EMBATTLE	ABEELMTT	to prepare for battle [v -D, -LING, -S]
EMBAYING	ABEGIMNY	EMBAY, to enclose in bay [v]
EMBEDDED	BDDDEEEM	EMBED, to fix firmly into surrounding mass [v]
EMBEZZLE	BEEELMZZ	to appropriate fraudulently to one's own use [v -D, -LING, -S]
EMBIGGEN	BEEGGIMN	to make bigger [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBITTER	BEEIMRTT	to make bitter (having disagreeable taste) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBLAZER	ABEELMRZ	one that emblazes (to set on fire) [n -S]
EMBLAZON	ABELMNOZ	to decorate with brilliant colors [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBODIED	BDDEEIMO	EMBODY, to provide with body [v]



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EMBODIES	BDEEIMOS	EMBODY, to provide with body [v]
EMBOLDEN	BDEELMNO	to instill with courage [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMBORDER	BDEEMORR	to provide with border [v -ED, ING, -S]
EMBOSKED	BDEEKMOS	EMBOSK, to conceal with foliage [v]
EMBOSSSED	BDEEMOSS	EMBOSS, to decorate with raised designs [v]
EMBOSSER	BEEMORSS	one that embosses (to decorate with raised designs) [n -S]
EMBOSSSES	BEEMOSSS	EMBOSS, to decorate with raised designs [v]
EMBOWING	BEGIMNOW	EMBOW, to arch (to bend like arch (curved structure spanning opening)) [v]
EMBRACER	ABCEEMRR	one that embraces (to hug (to clasp tightly in arms)) [n -S]
EMBRUING	BEGIMNRU	EMBRUE, to imbrue (to stain (to discolor or dirty)) [v]
EMPALING	AEGILMNP	EMPALE, to impale (to pierce with pointed object) [v]
EMPATHIC	ACEHIMPT	EMPATHY, imaginative identification with another's thoughts and feelings [adj]
EMPHASIS	AEHIMPSS	special significance imparted to something [n -SES]
EMPHATIC	ACEHIMPT	strongly expressive [adj]
EMPOISON	EIMNOOPS	to embitter (to make bitter (having disagreeable taste)) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMPURPLE	EELMPPRU	to tinge with purple [v -D, -LING, -S]