



# Brain Aerobics with Rebuses

The puzzles on this page are called *rebuses*. The words, which are presented in patterns or arrangements that differ from ordinary sequences, represent a familiar phrase or object. As you work on the rebuses you will find it helpful to utilize spatial terminology like *under*, *above*, *below*, *between*, *after*. Rebuses are fun and challenging. Be flexible and stretch your thinking.

**MIND**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**MATTER**

1. *example:*  
mind OVER matter

**STAND**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**I**

2. \_\_\_\_\_

**DEATH / LIFE**

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**COLLAR**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**HOT**

4. \_\_\_\_\_

**ECNALG**

5. \_\_\_\_\_

**WORRIED**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**U**

6. \_\_\_\_\_

**BUSINES**

7. \_\_\_\_\_

**LE**  
**VEL**

8. \_\_\_\_\_

**KNOCK**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**TIMBER**

9. \_\_\_\_\_

**BELT**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**HITTING**

10. \_\_\_\_\_

**KNEE**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**LIGHT**

11. \_\_\_\_\_

**O**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**M.D.**  
**B.A.**  
**PH.D.**

12. \_\_\_\_\_