

## ACTIVITY SHEET ANSWERS

### A THE CASE OF THE ALTERED ALPHABET

The letters that appear exactly alike in the grid are C, A, K, and E. So the first clue is *CAKE*.

### B THE CASE OF THE TRICKY TEXT MESSAGES

The letters in boxes form the clue word *FRIENDS*

w8 4 me @ skool

wait [f]or me at school

w@ ru doin l8r

what a [r]e you doing later

I'm l8 2 da moV

I'm late to the mov[i]e

g2g, i'll ttyl

got to go, I'll talk to you lat[e]r

hahaha, im LOL

hahaha, I'm laughi[n]g out loud

cnt w8 2c the b& 2nite

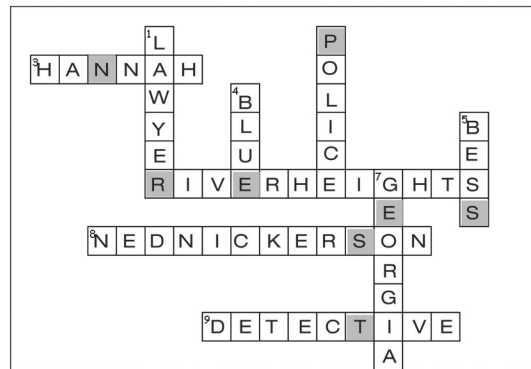
can't wait to see the ban[d] tonight

ur my BFF

you're my be[s]t friend forever

### C THE CASE OF THE CROSSWORD CONUNDRUM

The letters in the shaded boxes can be rearranged to form the clue word *PRESENTS*.



### D THE CASE OF THE SCRAMBLED LETTER TILES

The tiles should be rearranged to form the hint: *THESE ARE MADE OF WAX*.

THESE ARE MADE OF WAX

The answer to this hint is the final clue.

The answer is *CANDLES*.

**The four clues (Cake, Friends, Presents, Candles) all point to the answer to the Nancy Drew mystery. The year 2005 is Nancy's 75th birthday!**

