

Bass-O-Matic — Solution

Step 1: Solve the encoded clues as follows.

Original clue	Transformation rule	Clue answer	Transformed answer
Band that performed Last Christmas	Shift last letter backward one space in alphabet, then append E	WHAM	WHALE
Item of clothing with sleeves	Replace every I with A, and replace every T with K	SHIRT	SHARK
Coins or paper money	Insert TFI after second letter	CASH	CATFISH
President Cleveland's first name	Replace fourth letter with UP	GROVER	GROUPER
Object that keeps a boat in place	Replace last letter with VY	ANCHOR	ANCHOVY

Step 2: Put the answers to the puzzles in the spaces by the corresponding fish outlines. For instance, since the clue for Celebrity Jeopardy! in Step 1 led to the transformed answer WHALE, and the answer to the Celebrity Jeopardy! puzzle is FROST KING, write FROSTKING in the blanks W1, W2, ..., W9 next to the whale picture.

Note that, as confirmation that you're identifying the fish correctly, the space designations start with the first letters of the corresponding fish (e.g., W for WHALE).

Step 3: Blend together the answers by copying their letters, forming:

SRUTHARRICANRRBOTMRVIE
FSNOOFDOGFOFKANYFWES

Step 4: Solve those two encoded clues as follows:

Original clue	Transformation rule	Clue answer	Transformed answer
South African robot movie	Replace second letter with R	CHAPPIE	CRAPPIE
Snoop Dogg or Kanye West	Prepend an F and drop the last letter	RAPPER	FRAPPE

Thus, the answer is **CRAPPIE FRAPPE**.