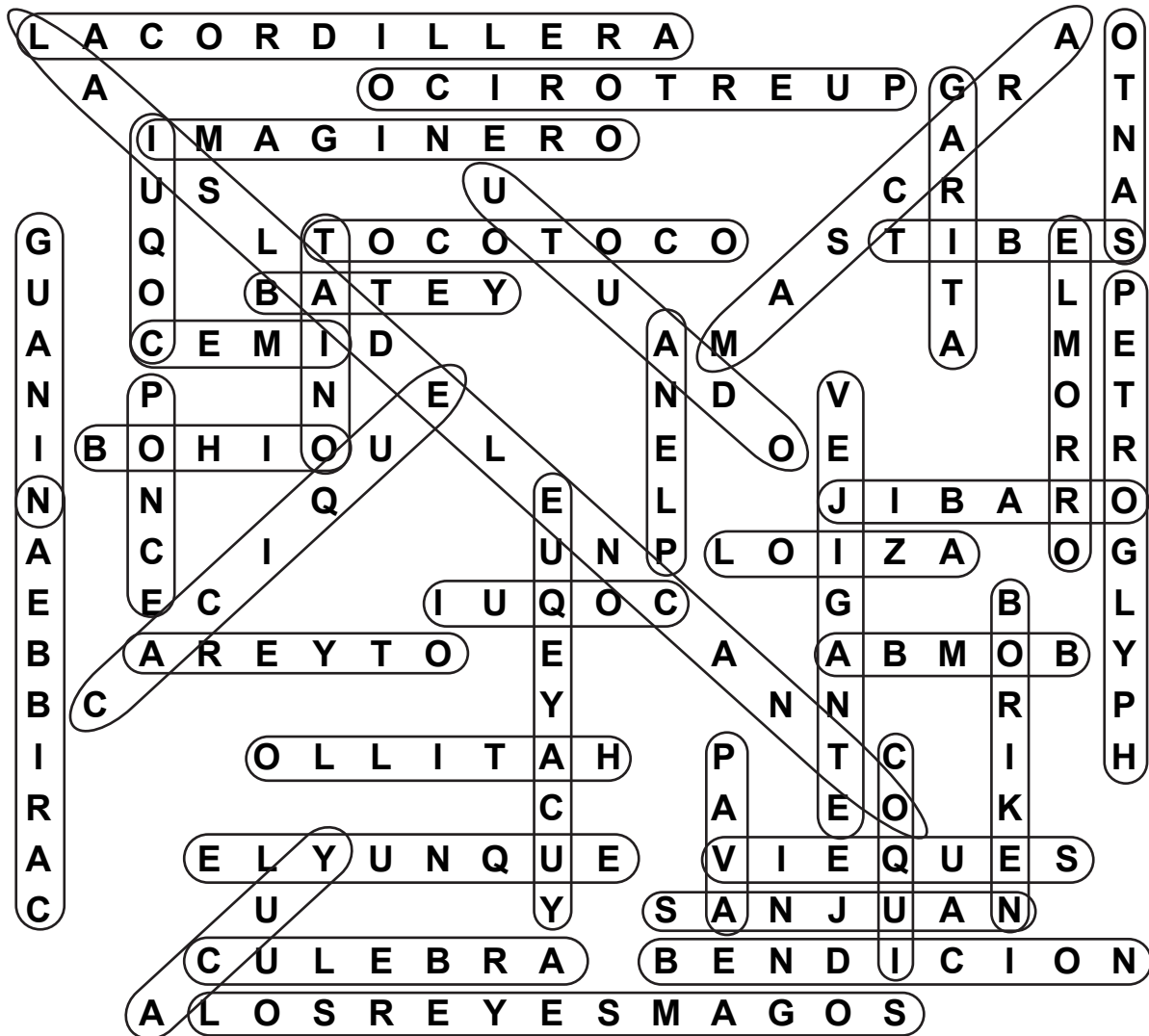


# PUERTO RICO WORD SEARCH

## ANSWER KEY

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# WORD DEFINITIONS

**AREYTO**

Taino music and dance ceremony

**BATEY**

Taino ball court

**BENDICION**

A greeting between family members, "blessing"

**BOHIO**

Taino grass hut

**BOMBA**

African-based rhythmic music

**BORIKEN**

Taino name for Puerto Rico

**CACIQUE**

Taino chief

**CARIBBEAN**

Ocean on southern coast of the island

**CEMI**

Taino object representing their gods

**COQUI (3 TIMES)**

Tiny tree frog, mascot of Puerto Rico

**LA CORDILLERA**

Central mountain range on the island

**CULEBRA**

Small eastern Puerto Rican island

**GARITA**

Lookout towers on El Morro fort

**GUANIN**

Gold medallion worn by Taino chief

**HATILLO**

Northern town where Fiestas de las Máscaras is celebrated

**IMAGINERO**

Carver of wooden saints

**LA ISLA DEL ENCANTO**

Nickname for Puerto Rico, "Island of Enchantment"

**JIBARO**

Country folk

**LOIZA**

Northeastern town with strong African roots where Vejigante appears

**MASCARA**

Mask

**EL MORRO**

San Juan's city fort

**PAVA**

Straw hat worn by country folk

**PETROGLYPH**

Symbols carved by Tainos in stone

**PLENA**

"Musical newspaper" music style

**PONCE**

Southern town where Vejigante appears

**PUERTO RICO**

Caribbean island that is a Commonwealth of the United States

**LOS REYES MAGOS**

The Three Kings

**SAN JUAN**

Capital of Puerto Rico

**SANTO**

Saint or carved religious statue

**TAINO**

Arawak Indians native to Puerto Rico

**TIBES**

Taino archeological site

**TOCO TOCO**

Vejigante chant

**UTUADO**

Town and Taino archeological site

**VEJIGANTE**

Folk festival character

**VIEQUES**

Small eastern Puerto Rican island

**YUCA**

Root that was a staple of the Taino diet

**YUCAYEQUE**

Taino village

**EL YUNQUE**

Puerto Rico's rainforest