

# SPELLING

Student Book



My Name

**Reading Eggspress Spelling Year 2 Student Book**

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# In this book



The **Reading Eggspress Spelling** program provides instruction on spelling rules, strategies and generalisations. Each lesson focuses on a core set of 20 words, plus 10 challenge words to extend students. The crafted word lists are based on the sound, structure and meaning of words, and they reflect the following statutory requirements of the *National Curriculum in England*:

## Writing – transcription/Spelling

Pupils should be taught to:

- spell by:
  - ✓ segmenting spoken words into phonemes and representing these by graphemes, spelling many correctly
  - ✓ learning new ways of spelling phonemes for which 1 or more spellings are already known, and learn some words with each spelling, including a few common homophones
  - ✓ learning to spell common exception words
  - ✓ learning to spell more words with contracted forms
  - ✓ learning the possessive apostrophe (singular) [for example, the girl's book]
  - ✓ distinguishing between homophones and near-homophones
- add suffixes to spell longer words including –ment, –ness, –ful, –less, –ly
- apply simple spelling rules and guidance, as per DOE *English Appendix 1: Spelling*























































## Aspects of spelling covered in this year

Aspect	Areas covered	Pages
Digraphs and trigraphs	ar, or; scr, spr, str; qu; wh; kn, gn, wr; a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e; ae, ee	3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 25, 26, 35, 36, 57, 58, 59, 60
Endings	y, ey; le, el, al; s, ves; ge; s, es; ar, er, or	5, 6, 23, 24, 29, 30, 47, 48, 53, 54, 61, 62
Prefixes	un	13, 14
Suffixes	s, es; ing, ed; es; full, less; er, est; ing, ed; ly; er, est; ment, ness	1, 2, 11, 12, 19, 20, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 42, 45, 46, 67, 68, 71, 72
Other	vowel sounds, soft c, j sound, common exceptions, homophones, k sound, compound words, contractions, irregular verbs, word building, tricky words	15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 27, 28, 31, 32, 39, 40, 43, 44, 49, 50, 51, 52, 55, 56, 63, 64, 65, 66, 69, 70



# My progress chart























































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Lesson	Pages	Date completed	Self-assessment – 'With this list I feel ...'
<b>2.1</b> Suffixes – adding s and es	<b>1 - 2</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.2</b> Vowel digraphs – ar, or	<b>3 - 4</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.3</b> Word endings – y, ey	<b>5 - 6</b>	/ /	  
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<b>2.5</b> Digraph – qu	<b>9 - 10</b>	/ /	  
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<b>2.14</b> Common exceptions words	<b>27 - 28</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.15</b> Plurals – s, ves	<b>29 - 30</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.16</b> Vowel sounds – long oo exceptions	<b>31 - 32</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.17</b> Suffixes – ful, less	<b>33 - 34</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.18</b> Consonant digraphs – kn, gn, wr	<b>35 - 36</b>	/ /	  



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Lesson	Pages	Date completed	Self-assessment – 'With this list I feel ...'
<b>2.19</b> Suffixes – er, est	<b>37 - 38</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.20</b> Homophones	<b>39 - 40</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.21</b> Suffixes – ing, ed	<b>41 - 42</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.22</b> The k sound – k, ck	<b>43 - 44</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.23</b> Suffixes – ly	<b>45 - 46</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.24</b> Word endings – ge	<b>47 - 48</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.25</b> Compound words	<b>49 - 50</b>	/ /	  
<b>2.26</b> Contractions	<b>51 - 52</b>	/ /	  
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# Suffixes – adding s and es

2.1

## 1 Copy each list word.

chops	_____	melts	_____	dances	_____
bites	_____	hammers	_____	listens	_____
bumps	_____	crosses	_____	blesses	_____
fixes	_____	breaks	_____	munches	_____
grows	_____	buys	_____	pushes	_____
chases	_____	behaves	_____	coaches	_____
hurts	_____	covers	_____		

## 2 Correct it. Write the word correctly.

She dancess to the music.

He lissens to the music.

Mario breeks the stick in half.

Dad buyes food at the shops.

Leila puushes her brother on the swing.

## 3 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

ssescro	_____	versco	_____
ltsme	_____	havesbe	_____
chescoa	_____	ersmham	_____

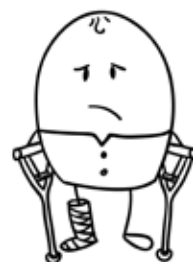
## 4 Name it. Write the name for each.



m



d



b

# Suffixes – adding s and es

2.1

## 5 Turn each word into a list word.

chop	chops
break	
push	
grow	
bite	



## Challenge words

### 6 Copy each challenge word.

polishes	_____	finishes	_____
vanishes	_____	switches	_____
touches	_____	attaches	_____
launches	_____	measures	_____
teaches	_____	guesses	_____

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### 8 Choose it. Circle the correct word to complete the sentence.

Dad always finishes feneshes his supper before me.

The carpenter measores measures each piece of wood.

The rain vanishes vaneshes when the sun comes out.

Jack teeches teaches his dog how to fetch.

Before going to bed, Dad switches swetches off all the lights.



# Vowel digraphs – ar, or

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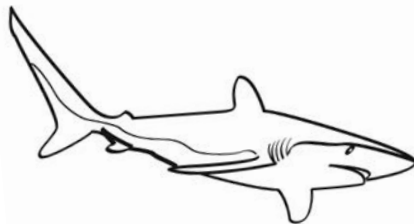
## 1 Copy each list word.

arm	_____	ward	_____	wart	_____
war	_____	warn	_____	warp	_____
car	_____	born	_____	apart	_____
worm	_____	storm	_____	sport	_____
work	_____	short	_____	spark	_____
warm	_____	shark	_____	stork	_____
word	_____	snort	_____		

## 2 Label it. Label the pictures using list words.



w



s

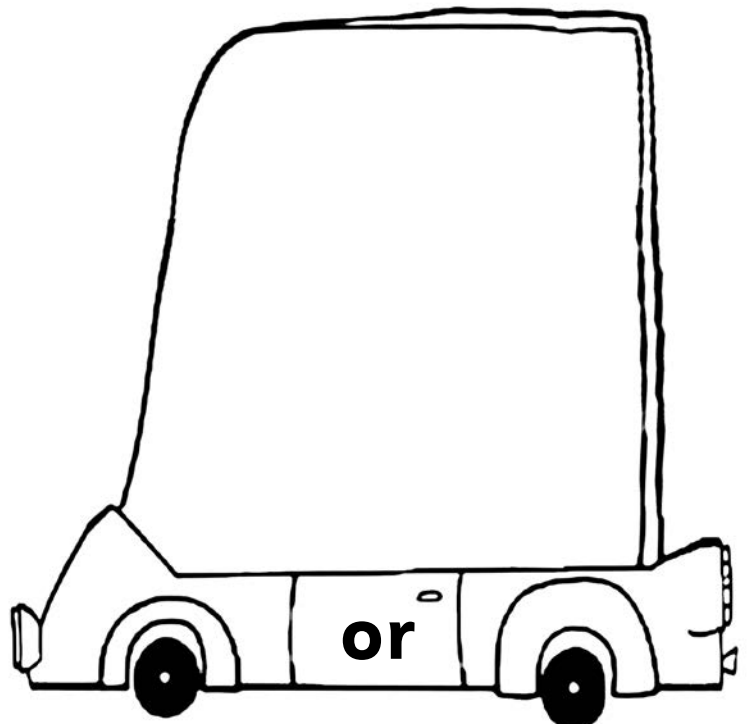
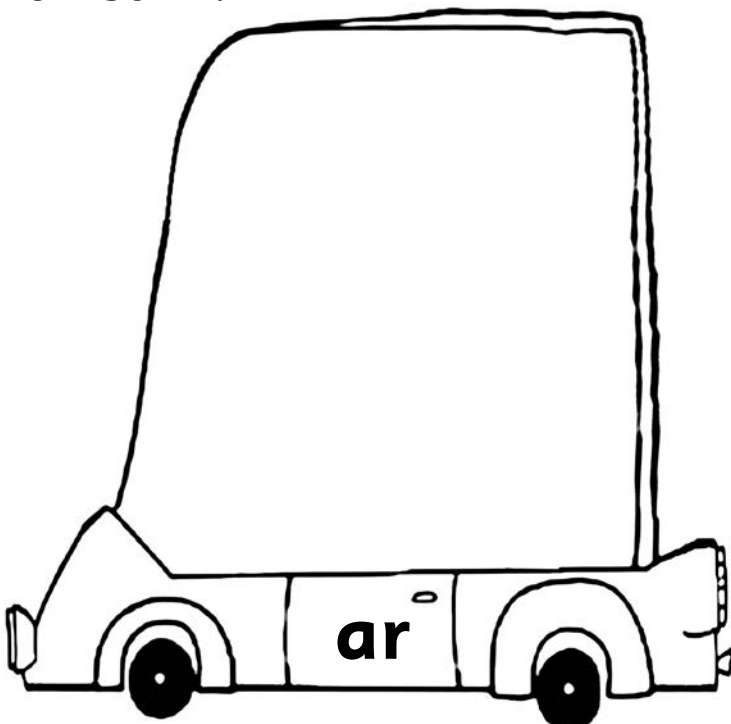


a



s

## 3 Sort it.



# Vowel digraphs – ar, or

2.2

## 4 Missing word. Fill in the missing word.

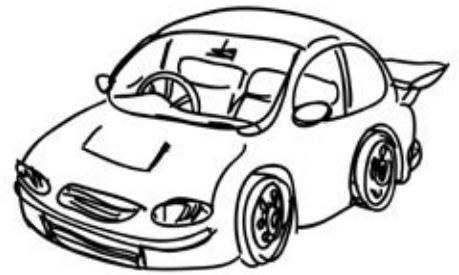
In summer the weather is \_\_\_\_\_.

Cricket is my favourite \_\_\_\_\_.

Mum drove us to school in her new \_\_\_\_\_.

A \_\_\_\_\_ has a large fin and lives in the ocean.

The goblin had a huge \_\_\_\_\_ on his nose.



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

morning	_____	worth	_____
corner	_____	wharf	_____
normal	_____	towards	_____
world	_____	worship	_____
worse	_____	remark	_____

### 6 Words within words. Make six words using letters from **towards**.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I have breakfast in the morning moorning. \_\_\_\_\_

We saw boats tied up to the wherf wharf. \_\_\_\_\_

We bought ice-cream at the corner cerner shop. \_\_\_\_\_

They ran towards toowards the finish line. \_\_\_\_\_

# Word endings – y, ey

2.3

## 1 Copy each list word.

any _____	worry _____	empty _____
many _____	sixty _____	trolley _____
ugly _____	honey _____	ninety _____
key _____	busy _____	hockey _____
money _____	twenty _____	seventy _____
donkey _____	turkey _____	pretty _____
valley _____	fairy _____	

## 2 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

ckhoey _____	onmey _____
nenity _____	typret _____
neyho _____	rutkey _____

## 3 Name it. Write the name for each.



t \_\_\_\_\_

m \_\_\_\_\_

t \_\_\_\_\_

k \_\_\_\_\_

## 4 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

She put her muneey in her purse.

My grandma is ninty years old.

I pushed the trolley through the supermarket.

I spread a lot of huney onto my toast.

5 **Alphabet.** Put these list words into alphabetical order.

fairy      any      ugly      donkey      empty

## Challenge words

6 **Copy each challenge word.**

parsley	_____	library	_____
family	_____	chimney	_____
country	_____	every	_____
jersey	_____	January	_____
journey	_____	February	_____

7 **Interesting question.** Answer the question with a challenge word.

What does smoke come out of? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the first month of the year? \_\_\_\_\_

Where can you find lots of books? \_\_\_\_\_

What grows in a herb garden? \_\_\_\_\_

Who do you live with? \_\_\_\_\_

8 **Solve it.** Read the clue and complete the sentence.

I am a shirt you wear while playing sport. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

I come right after January. I am \_\_\_\_\_.

I allow you to read and borrow books. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

I am the land outside big cities. I am the \_\_\_\_\_.



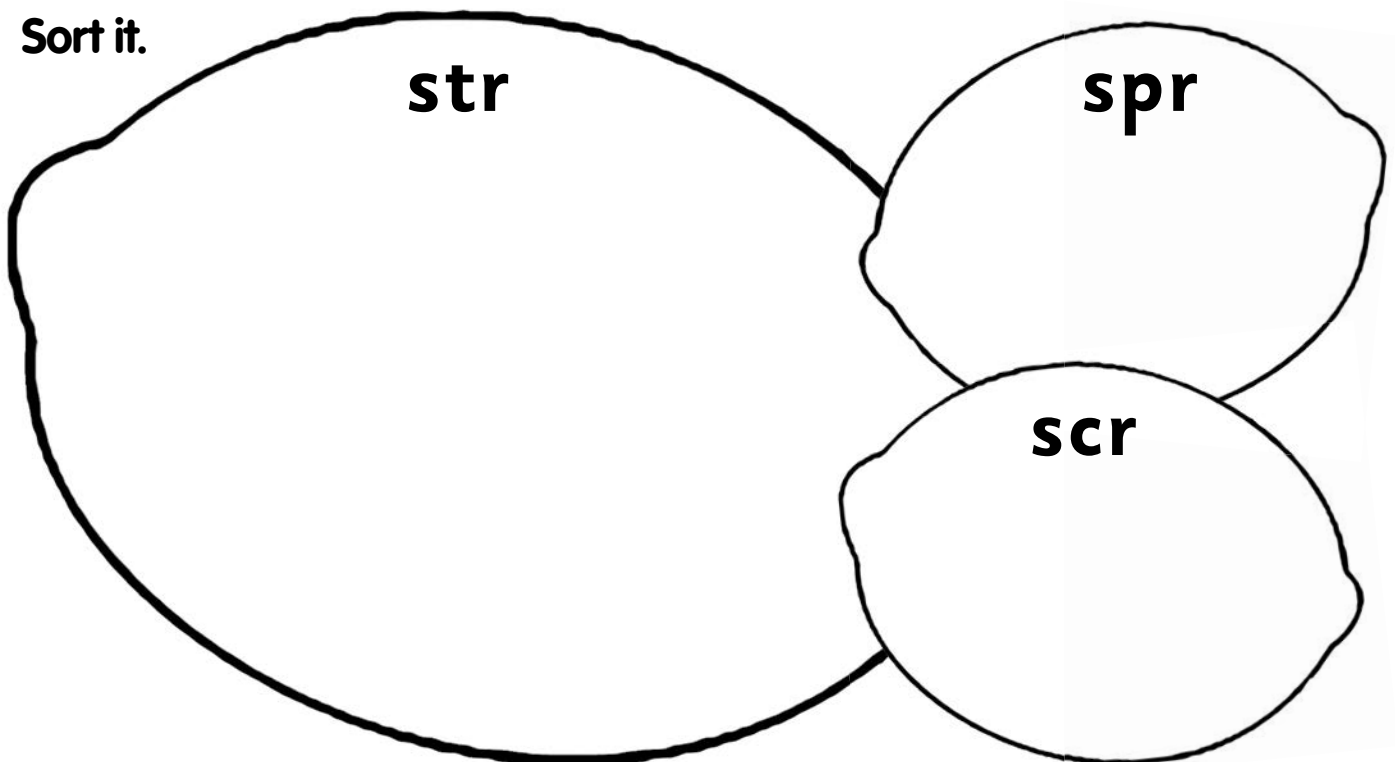
# Words that start with – scr, spr and str

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## 1 Copy each list word.

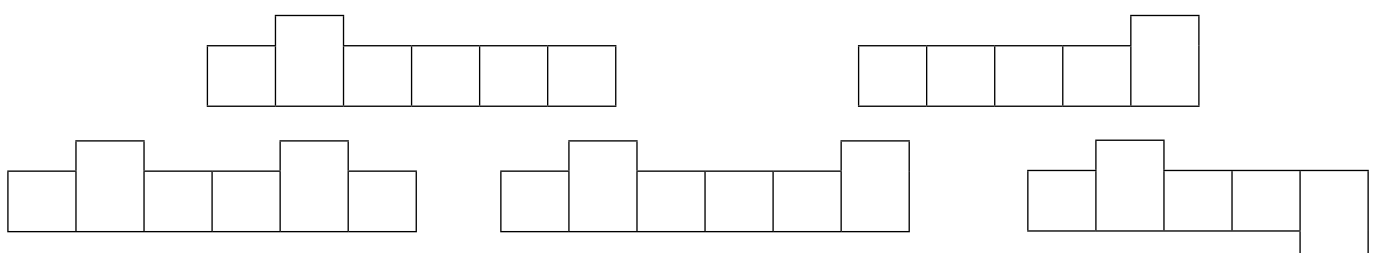
street _____	sprint _____	stream _____
spray _____	scrape _____	string _____
scrub _____	strip _____	scream _____
strong _____	strain _____	streak _____
stroke _____	struck _____	stride _____
strap _____	stripe _____	spring _____
strike _____	screen _____	

## 2 Sort it.



## 3 Word shapes. Match these list words to their word shapes.

**stroke**    **street**    **strap**    **strain**    **scrub**



# Words that start with – scr, spr and str

2.4

**4 Correct it.** Write the word that is wrong correctly.

The kitten played with the ball of streng.

Cody tripped over at the start of the sprent.

My sister was blocking the television scren.

Our dog has a white strype on his head.

On hot days we swim in the cool streem.

## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

strange

strength

stroll

struggle

scribble

screech

scramble

strict

sprinkle

sprout

**6 Choose it.** Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

Grandma is very strect strict.

We took a stroll strolle along the beach.

I saw the car screech screach to a stop.

I used my umbrella when it started

to sprinkle sprenkle with rain.

**7 Silly sentences.** Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

## 1 Copy each list word.

queen	quill	quake
quiz	quilt	squint
quack	quote	query
quit	equal	quiver
quite	equip	squeak
quest	quail	squirrel
quiet	quaint	

## 2 Rhyming words.

shake, make,	scene, bean,
shiver, liver,	wrote, float,
chest, best,	whizz, fizz,

## 3 Riddles. Which list word answers the riddle?

I live in a castle and sit on a throne.

A mouse makes this sound.

I like acorns and have a big furry tail.

You put me on your bed when it gets cold.

A duck makes this sound.

## 4 Name it. Write the name for each.



q



q



s

## 5 Missing letters. Write the missing letters.

\_\_ qua \_\_

\_\_ \_\_ it

eq \_\_ i \_\_

q \_\_ es \_\_

qu \_\_ t \_\_

qu \_\_ i \_\_ t

## Challenge words

### 6 Copy each challenge word.

queasy

sequin

squelch

require

qualify

quench

quarrel

question

frequent

squabble

### 7 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I felt queasy qweasy after eating too many sweets.

I drank water to qwench quench my thirst.

I raised my hand to ask her a question qquestion.

I heard the snail sqwelch squelch under my shoe.

### 8 Chunks. Rearrange the chunks to make a list word.

qu fre ent

ab squ ble

es on ti qu

en ch qu

el ch squ

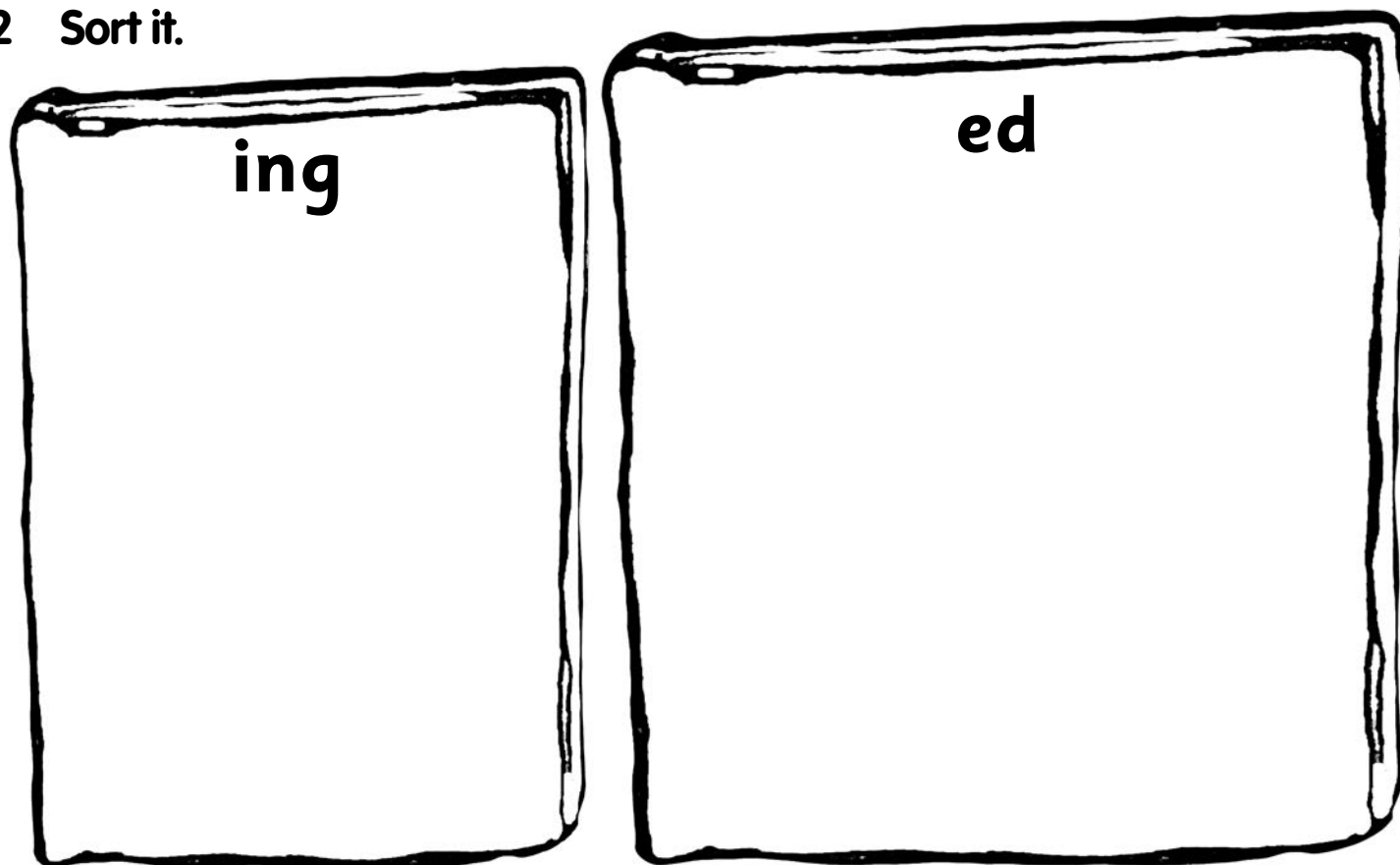
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## 1 Copy each list word.

saving	_____	chased	_____	teased	_____
closed	_____	agreed	_____	shaped	_____
hiking	_____	giving	_____	writing	_____
freed	_____	sharing	_____	gazing	_____
posing	_____	changed	_____	solved	_____
used	_____	phoned	_____	exploded	_____
raced	_____	wasting	_____		

## 2 Sort it.



## 3 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

sedclo	_____	hsaring	_____
kihing	_____	singpo	_____
angedch	_____	eedfr	_____

## 4 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

The dog chaased the cat around the garden. \_\_\_\_\_

The balloon exploded during the party. \_\_\_\_\_

He finally sollved the puzzle. \_\_\_\_\_

I agreed to help set up the cake stall. \_\_\_\_\_

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

arriving \_\_\_\_\_

created \_\_\_\_\_

argued \_\_\_\_\_

freezing \_\_\_\_\_

chuckling \_\_\_\_\_

survived \_\_\_\_\_

caused \_\_\_\_\_

completed \_\_\_\_\_

shining \_\_\_\_\_

compared \_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

The weather was freezing frezing outside. \_\_\_\_\_

My brother and I creeated created a secret code. \_\_\_\_\_

We will be ariving arriving late because of traffic. \_\_\_\_\_

You will get a medal when you have completed coompleted the race. \_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

## 1 Copy each list word.

undo	_____	unmade	_____	unhappy	_____
undid	_____	unfair	_____	undone	_____
untie	_____	unlike	_____	unroll	_____
unwise	_____	unstuck	_____	unable	_____
unsafe	_____	untrue	_____	unwind	_____
unfit	_____	untidy	_____	unload	_____
unkind	_____	unlock	_____		

## 2 Opposites.

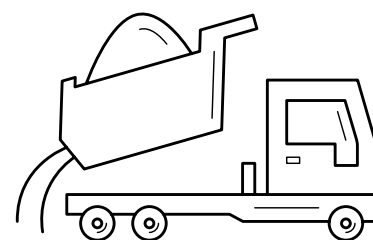
stuck	<u>unstuck</u>	happy	_____
roll	_____	able	_____
kind	_____	made	_____
wind	_____	true	_____

## 3 Missing letters. Write the missing letters.

\_\_\_ fai \_\_\_  
\_\_\_ load

\_\_\_ nlik \_\_\_  
u \_\_\_ sa \_\_\_ e

\_\_\_ wis \_\_\_  
\_\_\_ fi \_\_\_



## 4 Addition words.

un	+	true	=	_____
un	+	fold	=	_____
un	+	happy	=	_____



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

unlucky	_____	unwrap	_____
unknown	_____	uneven	_____
unbuckle	_____	unhelpful	_____
unusual	_____	unhealthy	_____
untangle	_____	unfriendly	_____

### 6 Words within words. Make six words using the letters in **unfriendly**.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

Some people think that black cats are unlucky unluky. \_\_\_\_\_

I will unwrappe unwrap my birthday presents. \_\_\_\_\_

The unfriendly unfrendly dog barks all the time. \_\_\_\_\_

I helped my sister unbuckel unbuckle her seat belt. \_\_\_\_\_

### 8 Hidden words. Find the challenge word.

djfunhealthysdf	_____
dfdunhelpfuldfsdfv	_____
dfdfunusualdfdfs	_____
dfdduntangledfd	_____



# Vowel sounds – short and long oo

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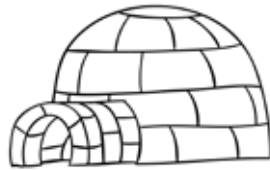
## 1 Copy each list word.

too	_____	hoot	_____	goose	_____
mood	_____	took	_____	proof	_____
hook	_____	cool	_____	shoot	_____
foot	_____	tooth	_____	loose	_____
wood	_____	broom	_____	groom	_____
room	_____	gloom	_____	ooze	_____
soon	_____	igloo	_____		

## 2 Name it. Write the name for each.



t



i

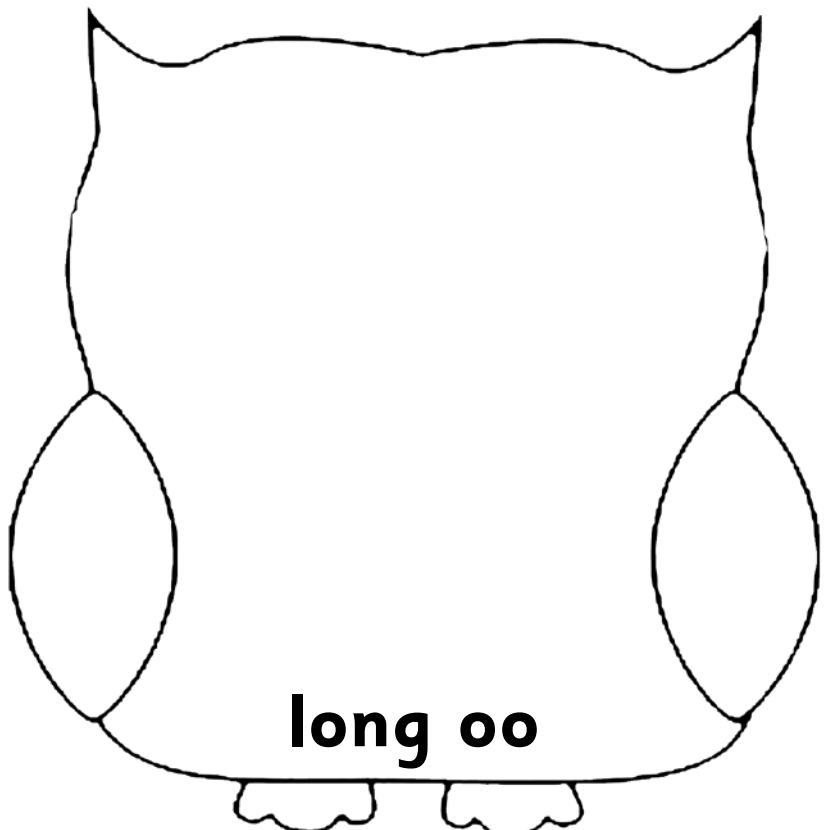
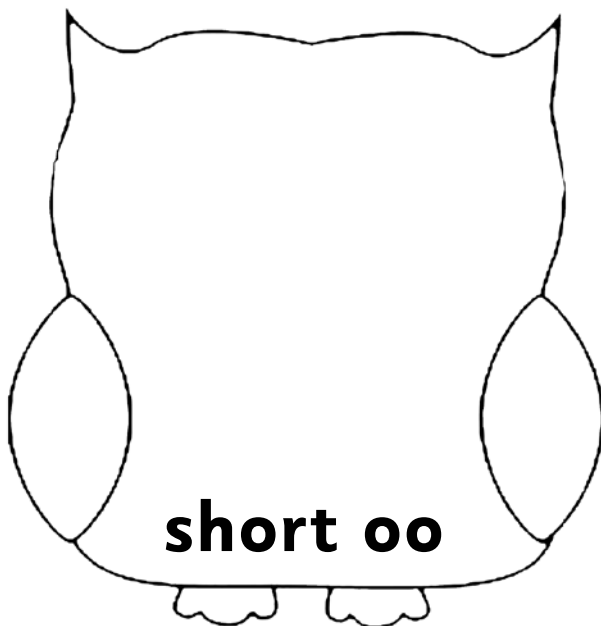


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## 3 Sort the sounds

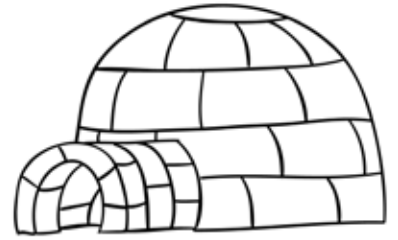


# Vowel sounds – short and long oo

2.8

## 4 Fill in the missing letters.

Mum told me to clean my r\_\_\_\_\_.  
I swept up the mess with a b\_\_\_\_\_.  
He cut blocks of ice to build an i\_\_\_\_\_.



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

soothe	_____	poodle	_____
scooter	_____	boomerang	_____
rooster	_____	kangaroo	_____
school	_____	snooze	_____
goodbye	_____	cocoon	_____

### 6 Solve it. Read the clue and complete the sentence.

I live on a farm and sing very loudly. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

If you throw me, I will come back. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

I have two wheels and a handle bar. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

I am a dog with thick curly fur. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

A caterpillar goes in, a butterfly comes out. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

### 7 Interesting question. Answer the question with a challenge word.

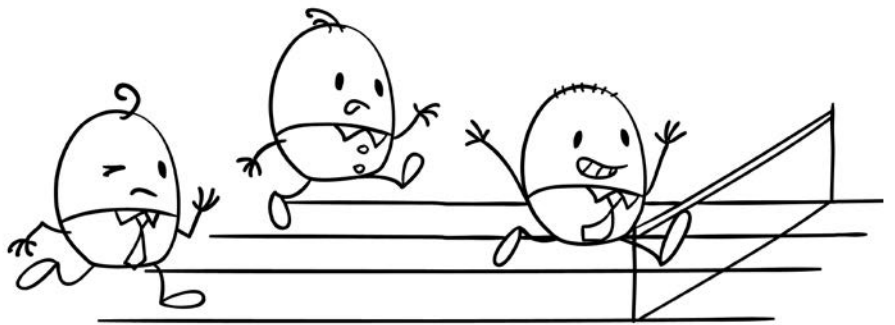
What do you say when you are leaving? \_\_\_\_\_

Where do you go during the week? \_\_\_\_\_

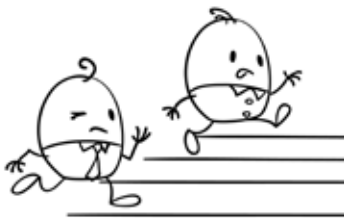
What has a pouch and two large feet? \_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

race	_____	trace	_____	since	_____
ice	_____	once	_____	price	_____
cell	_____	slice	_____	space	_____
city	_____	twice	_____	grace	_____
mice	_____	cycle	_____	spicy	_____
face	_____				
icy	_____				
lace	_____				
nice	_____				
pace	_____				



## 2 Name it. Write the name for each.



r



f



c



m

## 3 Fill in the missing letters.

Her dress was fringed with white l \_\_\_\_ e.

On my birthday I was given the biggest s \_\_\_\_ e of cake.

I enjoyed the movie so much I saw it t \_\_\_\_ e.

My drink was i \_\_\_\_ -cold.

O \_\_\_\_ e upon a time there was a beautiful princess.

It was n \_\_\_\_ e of him to stay and help us clean up.

**4 Word shapes.** Match these list words to their word shapes.

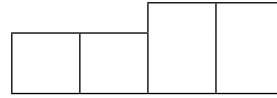
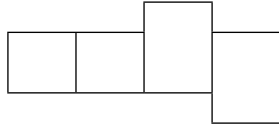
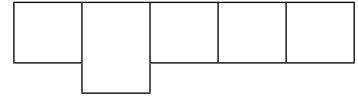
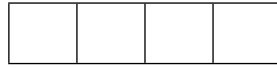
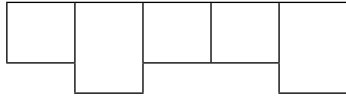
cell

spicy

space

race

city



## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

fleece

\_\_\_\_\_

prince

\_\_\_\_\_

peace

\_\_\_\_\_

recite

\_\_\_\_\_

juicy

\_\_\_\_\_

pencil

\_\_\_\_\_

fancy

\_\_\_\_\_

notice

\_\_\_\_\_

piece

\_\_\_\_\_

excite

\_\_\_\_\_

**6 Choose it.** Circle the correct word to complete the sentence.

The peach was so juicy joocy it squirted all over me.

I used a yellow pencil pencil to colour in the sun.

The prync prince was searching for the princess.

My boots have a soft flece fleece lining.

I just wanted one more pece piece of chocolate.



**7 Interesting question.** Answer the question with a challenge word.

What comes from a sheep?

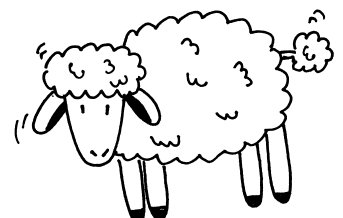
\_\_\_\_\_

What do you write with?

\_\_\_\_\_

Who is the king's son?

\_\_\_\_\_



# Suffixes – adding es to words ending in y <sup>2.10</sup>

## 1 Copy each list word.

cries	babies	ladies
dries	stories	entries
fries	parties	worries
spies	carries	replies
skies	cities	studies
tries	bodies	families
copies	duties	

## 2 Rewrite the word in brackets. Change **y** to **i** and add **es**.

He (try) \_\_\_\_\_ to swim.

She (spy) \_\_\_\_\_ on people.

The (baby) \_\_\_\_\_ are crying.

The (city) \_\_\_\_\_ are large.

He (carry) \_\_\_\_\_ the bag.



## 3 Name it. Write the name for each.



f



b



c

# Suffixes – adding es to words ending in y 2.10

## 4 Unscramble these list words.

rrcaies

bibaes

iesorst

iesarpt

iesrrwo

disesut

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

enemies

injuries

qualities

multiplies

properties

supplies

difficulties

factories

memories

libraries

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

The players had many injuries injurys after the game.

He is having defficulties difficulties with his computer.

There are big factories faktories in my town.

If he multuples multiplies six by two he will get twelve.

### 7 Alphabet. Write the challenge words in alphabetical order.



# The j sound

2.11

## 1 Copy each list word.

gem	_____	germ	_____	jewel	_____
jar	_____	giant	_____	adjust	_____
jog	_____	join	_____	Japan	_____
jug	_____	June	_____	magic	_____
joke	_____	July	_____	energy	_____
jump	_____	angel	_____	January	_____
jelly	_____	giraffe	_____		

## 2 Name it. Write the name for each.



j \_\_\_\_\_



j \_\_\_\_\_



g \_\_\_\_\_



a \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 Sort.



## 4 Complete each sentence with a list word.

We like to \_\_\_\_\_ on the trampoline.

The \_\_\_\_\_ has a very long neck.

\_\_\_\_\_ is the first month of the year.

I poured everyone some juice from the \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ wobbled on the plate.



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

urgent

\_\_\_\_\_

engine

\_\_\_\_\_

agile

\_\_\_\_\_

margin

\_\_\_\_\_

jigsaw

\_\_\_\_\_

juice

\_\_\_\_\_

allergy

\_\_\_\_\_

digit

\_\_\_\_\_

fragile

\_\_\_\_\_

jacket

\_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Interesting question. Answer the question with a challenge word.

What do you wear when it's cold?

\_\_\_\_\_

What is something that you can drink?

\_\_\_\_\_

What makes a car go?

\_\_\_\_\_

What game has puzzle pieces?

\_\_\_\_\_

What is another name for a single number?

\_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Write the challenge words in alphabetical order.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

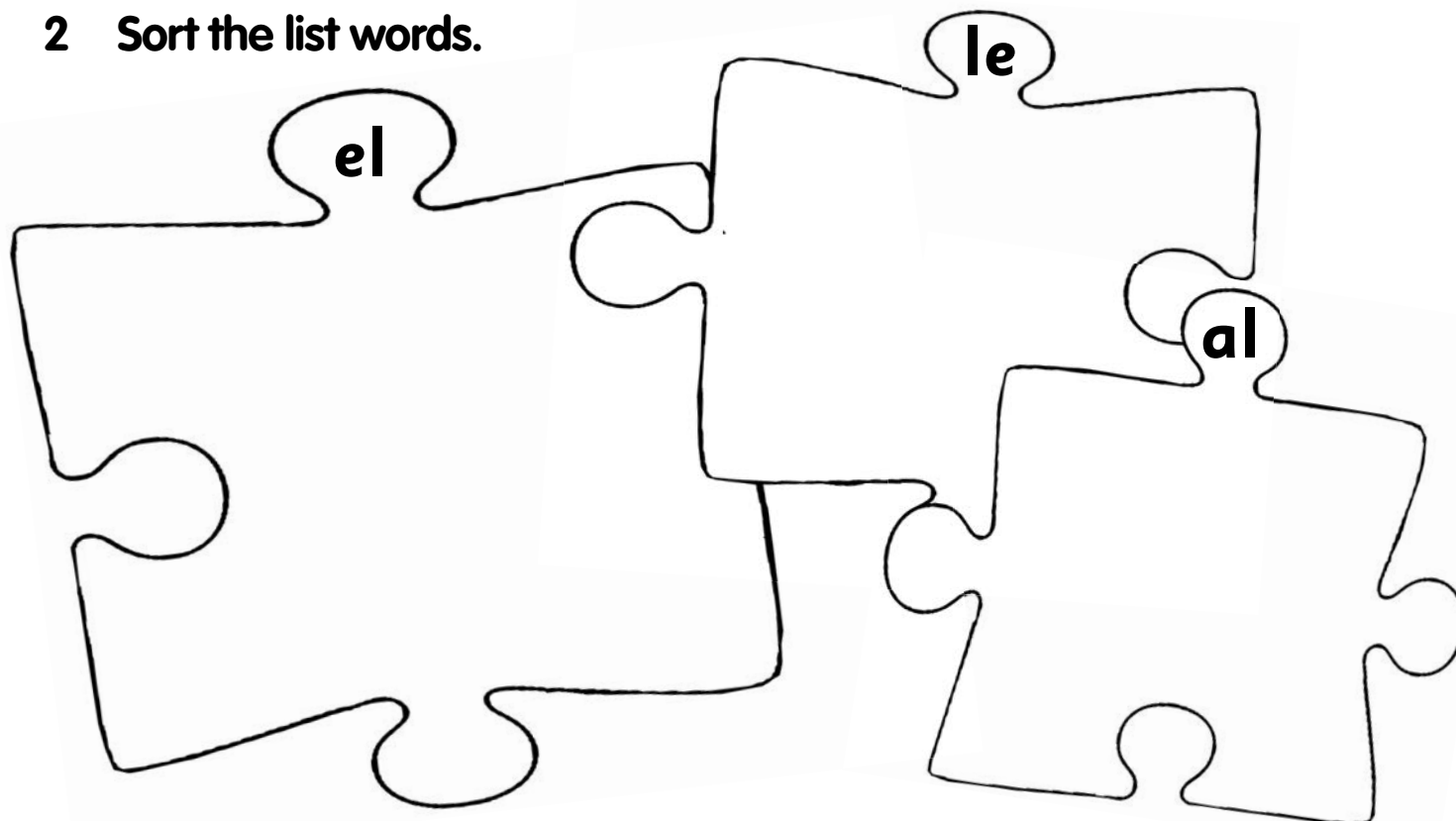
# Word endings – le, el, al

2.12

## 1 Copy each list word.

angel	_____	panel	_____	title	_____
oval	_____	level	_____	cruel	_____
handle	_____	camel	_____	parcel	_____
total	_____	tunnel	_____	dimple	_____
novel	_____	puddle	_____	towel	_____
noodle	_____	signal	_____	label	_____
travel	_____	kennel	_____		

## 2 Sort the list words.



## 3 Name it. Write the name for each.



a

p

h

k

## 4 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

My grandparents sent me a parsel in the post.

I jumped over the pudle.

I used a towl to dry off after my swim.

You can see her dimpl when she smiles.

I would like to travl to Africa one day.

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

turtle

shovel

buckle

cereal

people

capital

enamel

hospital

double

possible

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

Dad told us all to buckle bukle our seat belts.

I helped shoovel shovel mulch onto the garden.

We ate cereel cereal for breakfast.

Lots of people peeple live in our town.

### 7 Word clues. Which challenge word matches?

twice the amount

a place where sick people are cared for

a reptile with a soft body and hard shell

the hard layer covering your teeth

# Consonant digraph – wh

2.13

## 1 Copy each list word.

war _____	whip _____	worm _____
was _____	which _____	whale _____
wipe _____	witch _____	wheat _____
went _____	white _____	wheel _____
when _____	where _____	watch _____
what _____	world _____	while _____
wash _____	wall _____	

## 2 Unscramble the words. Write the word correctly.

The soldiers went to awr. \_\_\_\_\_

She uses shampoo to ashw her hair. \_\_\_\_\_

The snowy owl has hwite feathers. \_\_\_\_\_

The bird dug a romw out of the dirt. \_\_\_\_\_

I couldn't tell hwich pencil was mine. \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 The letter thief has left his bag behind! Put back the letters he stole.

wo \_\_\_\_\_

wh \_\_\_\_\_

w \_\_\_\_\_

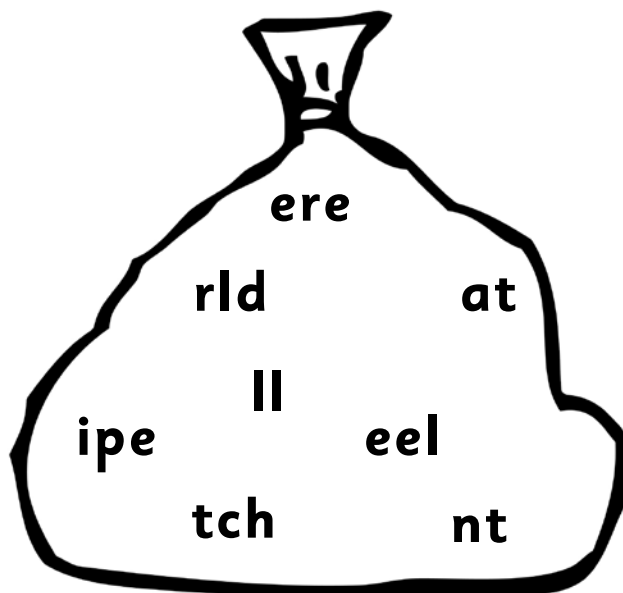
wh \_\_\_\_\_

wi \_\_\_\_\_

wh \_\_\_\_\_

wa \_\_\_\_\_

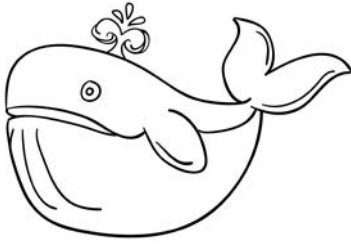
we \_\_\_\_\_



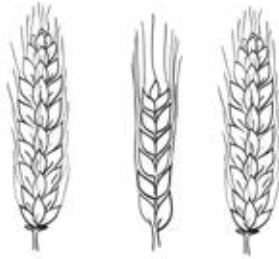
# Consonant digraph – wh

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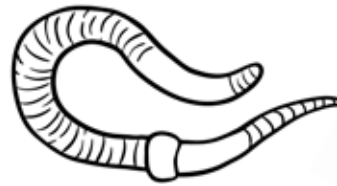
**4 Name it.** Write the name for each.



W



W



W



W

## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

whistle

\_\_\_\_\_

welcome

\_\_\_\_\_

wagon

\_\_\_\_\_

whether

\_\_\_\_\_

whisk

\_\_\_\_\_

weather

\_\_\_\_\_

waste

\_\_\_\_\_

wardrobe

\_\_\_\_\_

whisker

\_\_\_\_\_

wheeze

\_\_\_\_\_

**6 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.**

She used a \_\_\_\_\_ to whip the cream.

The \_\_\_\_\_ was pulled by two strong horses.

I hung my clothes up in my \_\_\_\_\_.

The referee blew her \_\_\_\_\_ to end the game.

They have predicted stormy \_\_\_\_\_ all weekend.

**7 Words within words.** Make six new words with the letters in **wardrobe**.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Common exceptions words

2.14

## 1 Copy each list word.

door	_____	past	_____	father	_____
poor	_____	child	_____	pretty	_____
after	_____	hold	_____	half	_____
even	_____	sure	_____	hour	_____
who	_____	sugar	_____	grass	_____
again	_____	prove	_____	climb	_____
bath	_____	great	_____		

## 2 Complete each sentence with a list word.

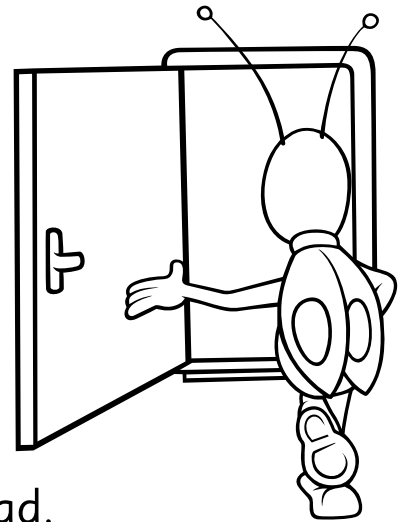
I closed my bedroom d \_\_\_\_\_ .

The charity helps p \_\_\_\_\_ families.

We watch television a \_\_\_\_\_ dinner.

Six and eight are e \_\_\_\_\_ numbers.

I h \_\_\_\_\_ Mum's hand when crossing the road.



## 3 Word clues. Which list word matches?

		g			makes food and drinks sweet
		u			60 minutes
	a				one of two equal parts of something
				d	a young person



**4 Alphabet.** Write the list words in alphabetical order.


## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

because		would	
behind		should	
steak		whole	
beautiful		improve	
clothes		everybody	

**6 Underline the spelling mistake.** Write the word correctly.








The chef poured gravy over the stek.	
He thought her painting was butiful.	
She ate a wole fruit bar.	
He wished everibody would just get along.	
We went shopping for new cloes.	

**7 Silly sentences.** Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.


## 1 Copy each list word.

lives	_____	elves	_____	loaves	_____
puffs	_____	waves	_____	gloves	_____
safes	_____	stoves	_____	giraffes	_____
wives	_____	leaves	_____	cafes	_____
reefs	_____	sleeves	_____	scarves	_____
cliffs	_____	olives	_____	shelves	_____
hives	_____	wolves	_____		

## 2 More than one. Write the singular and plural for each word.

	_____	_____	
	_____	_____	
	_____	_____	
	_____	_____	

## 3 Write the word in brackets correctly.

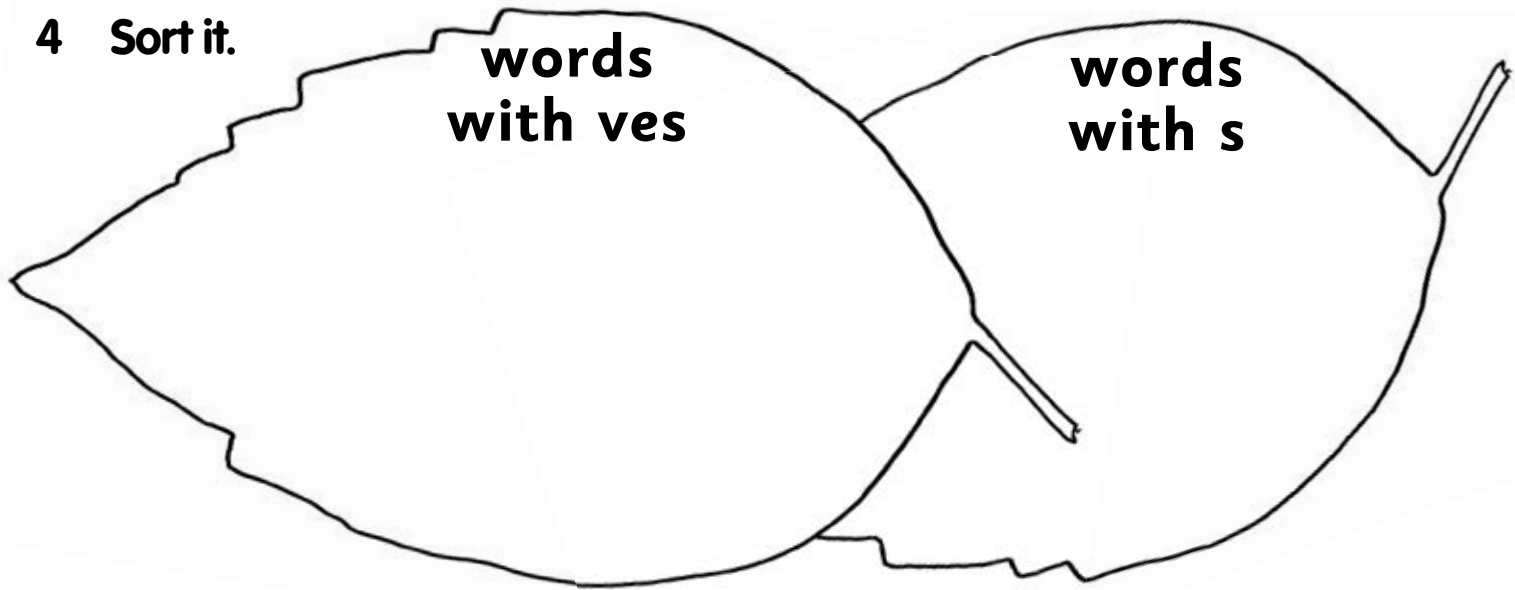
I wear (glove) \_\_\_\_\_ to keep my hands warm.

We saw lots of (giraffe) \_\_\_\_\_ at the zoo.

There are three (shelf) \_\_\_\_\_ in the cupboard.

There are many (cafe) \_\_\_\_\_ near us.

## 4 Sort it.



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

knives

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halves

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sheaves

---

thieves

---

nerves

---

calves

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grooves

---

selves

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flagstaffs

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detectives

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### 6 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

In the cutlery drawer we have spoons, forks and \_\_\_\_\_.

We saw lots of \_\_\_\_\_ with their mothers on the farm.

My shoes have \_\_\_\_\_ on the bottom.

I cut the orange into two \_\_\_\_\_.

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

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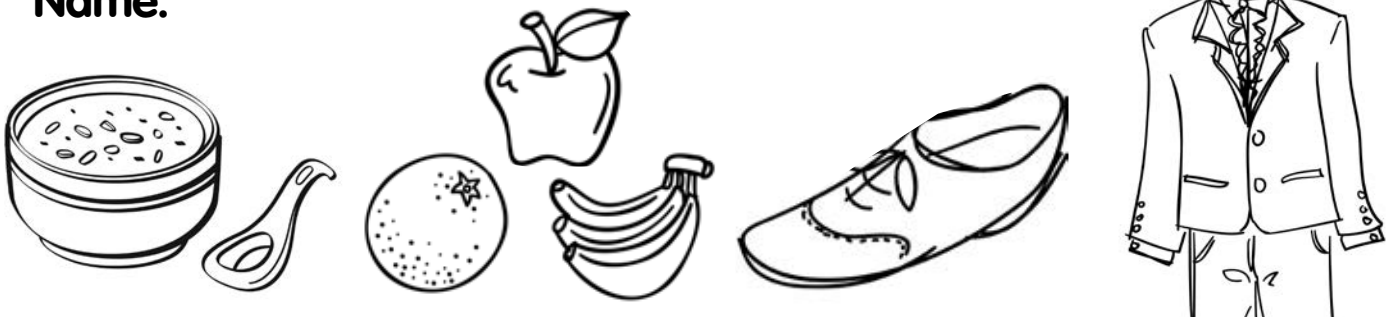
# Vowel sounds – long oo exceptions

2.16

## 1 Copy each list word.

you	_____	rude	_____	threw	_____
fruit	_____	grew	_____	blew	_____
shoe	_____	clue	_____	chew	_____
blue	_____	crew	_____	screw	_____
flew	_____	suit	_____	prune	_____
soup	_____	group	_____	ruby	_____
true	_____	truth	_____		

## 2 Name.



s \_\_\_\_\_ f \_\_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 Match the clue to a list word.

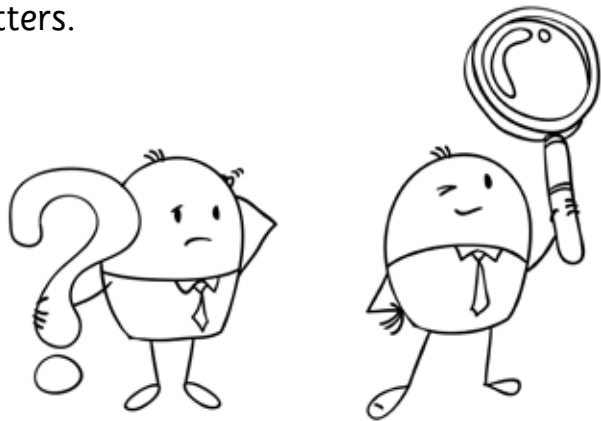
	u				a deep red gem
		o			something worn on your foot
f					grown on trees
	r			e	a dried plum
		u			the colour of the sky

# Vowel sounds – long oo exceptions

2.16

## 4 Missing letters. Write the missing letters.

sc \_\_\_\_ th \_\_\_\_  
cr \_\_\_\_ gr \_\_\_\_  
ch \_\_\_\_ fl \_\_\_\_  
cl \_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_ p  
bl \_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_ d \_\_\_\_



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

bruise	_____	should	_____
bluish	_____	through	_____
cruise	_____	canoe	_____
would	_____	cashew	_____
could	_____	gruesome	_____

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I could cowl not stop listening to her new song. \_\_\_\_\_

I screamed as my brother capsized our cano canoe. \_\_\_\_\_

The movie was too groosome gruesome to watch. \_\_\_\_\_

The train sped throo through the tunnel. \_\_\_\_\_

### 7. Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

I had a large \_\_\_\_\_ on my leg after falling over.

I had a packet of \_\_\_\_\_ nuts for my morning snack.

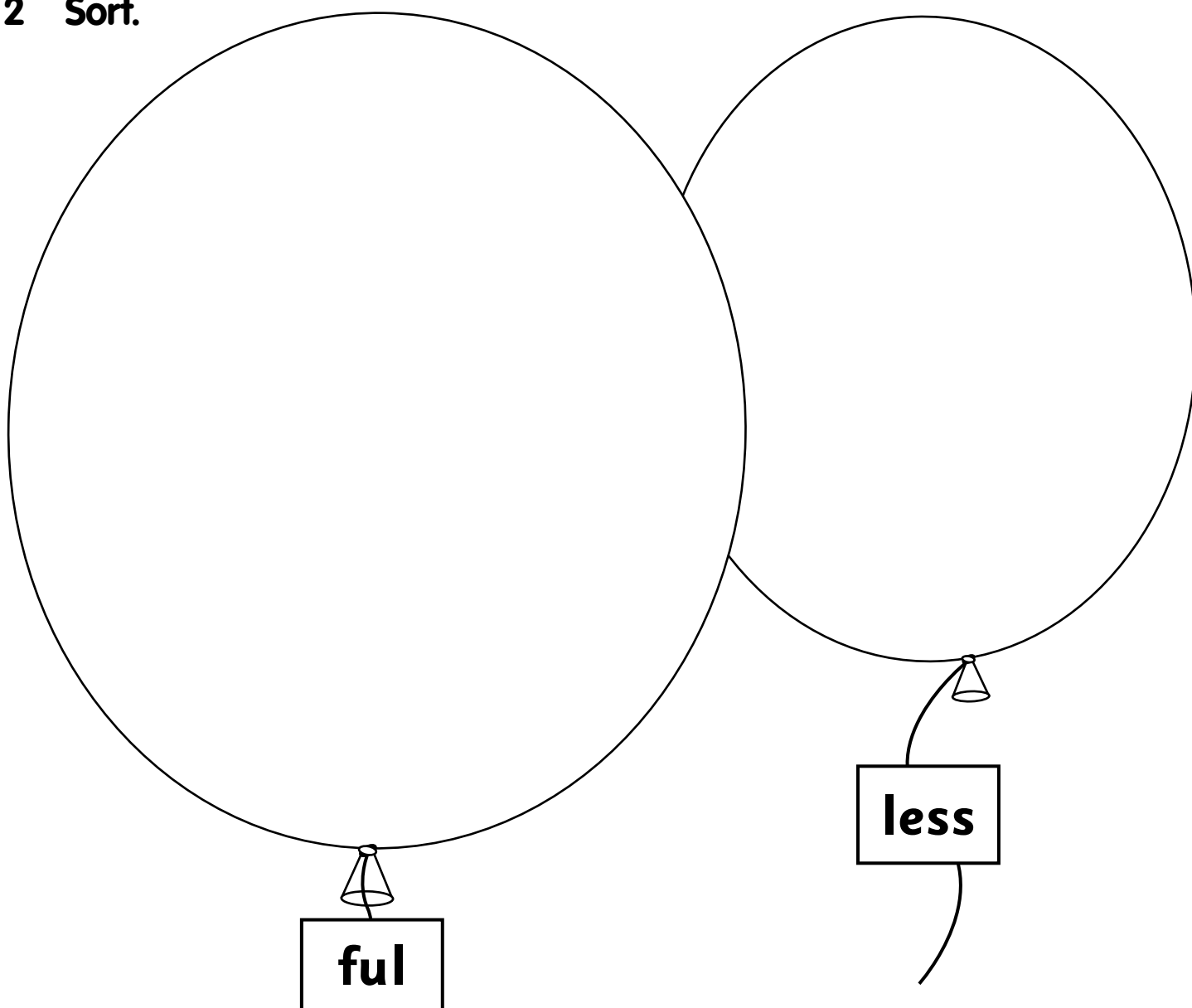
I wish that I \_\_\_\_\_ fly like a bird.

Mum told me that I \_\_\_\_\_ go and clean my room.

## 1 Copy each list word.

awful _____	handful _____	grateful _____
useless _____	joyful _____	powerful _____
helpful _____	playful _____	spiteful _____
careless _____	mouthful _____	cheerful _____
spoonful _____	graceful _____	truthful _____
plateful _____	thankful _____	harmless _____
restless _____	forgetful _____	

## 2 Sort.



## 3 Underline the spelling mistakes. Write the word correctly.

She would only eat a spoonfull of the soup. \_\_\_\_\_

Dad gave us each a platefull of pasta. \_\_\_\_\_

His careles mistake got him into trouble. \_\_\_\_\_

Mum told us she wanted a truthfull answer. \_\_\_\_\_

## Challenge words

### 4 Copy each challenge word.

beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ merciful \_\_\_\_\_

wonderful \_\_\_\_\_ plentiful \_\_\_\_\_

colourless \_\_\_\_\_ houseful \_\_\_\_\_

delightful \_\_\_\_\_ peaceful \_\_\_\_\_

faithful \_\_\_\_\_ disgraceful \_\_\_\_\_

### 5 Complete the sentence with a list word.

We had a p\_\_\_\_\_ supply of firewood.

Water is a c\_\_\_\_\_ liquid.

The teacher said I had made w\_\_\_\_\_ progress this year.

She thought their behaviour was d\_\_\_\_\_.

### 6 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

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# Consonant digraphs – kn, gn, wr

2.18

## 1 Copy each list word.

know	_____	wreck	_____	knack	_____
gnat	_____	write	_____	gnome	_____
knee	_____	knot	_____	wrong	_____
wrap	_____	knife	_____	wrote	_____
knit	_____	knock	_____	wrist	_____
knob	_____	kneel	_____	gnash	_____
knew	_____	knelt	_____		

## 2 Name.



gn \_\_\_\_\_



kn \_\_\_\_\_



kn \_\_\_\_\_



wr \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 Make the words fit the blocks

	r		n	
k				l
g			s	





## 4 Complete each sentence with a list word.

I heard a \_\_\_\_\_ at the front door.

I \_\_\_\_\_ down to tie my shoelaces.

I had trouble brushing the \_\_\_\_\_ out of my hair.

I hooked the bracelet around my \_\_\_\_\_.

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

written

\_\_\_\_\_

wrestle

\_\_\_\_\_

wreckage

\_\_\_\_\_

knight

\_\_\_\_\_

knuckle

\_\_\_\_\_

known

\_\_\_\_\_

wrinkle

\_\_\_\_\_

gnaw

\_\_\_\_\_

wriggle

\_\_\_\_\_

knead

\_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

I could not get the ring over my \_\_\_\_\_.

I watched the worm \_\_\_\_\_ in the dirt.

The brave \_\_\_\_\_ rode away on his horse.

The \_\_\_\_\_ from the storm took weeks to clean up.

The baker must \_\_\_\_\_ the dough before putting it in the oven.

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_

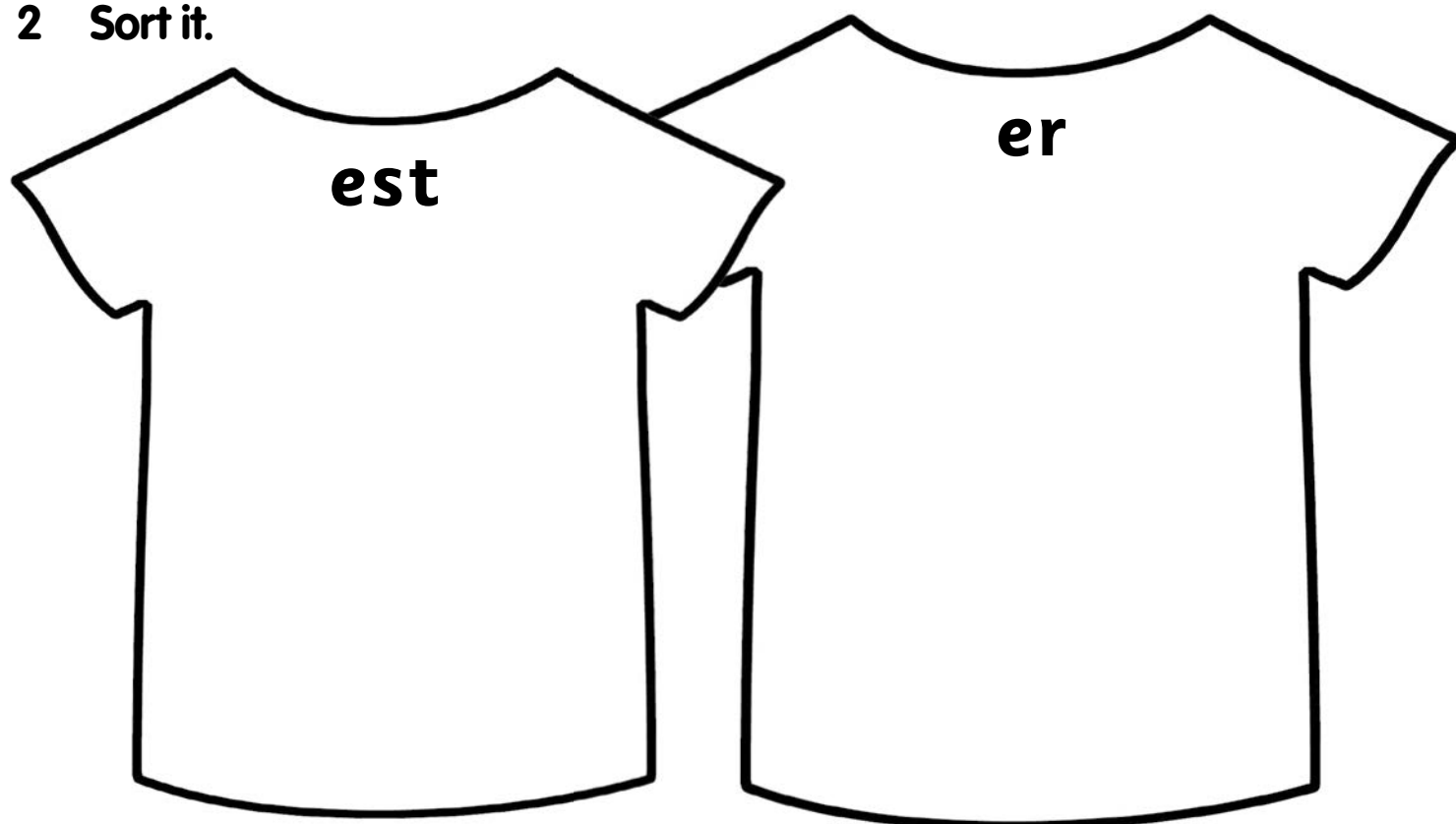
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

paler	_____	neatest	_____	prouder	_____
duller	_____	cuter	_____	steeper	_____
nicer	_____	newest	_____	fullest	_____
fewer	_____	whiter	_____	sharper	_____
finest	_____	coldest	_____	smallest	_____
later	_____	thickest	_____	clearest	_____
loudest	_____	fresher	_____		

## 2 Sort it.



## 3 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

Kay chose the smaest slice of pudding.

I think my puppy is coouter than hers.

The mountain was a lot steper than it looked.

**4 Word shapes.** Match these list words to their word shapes.

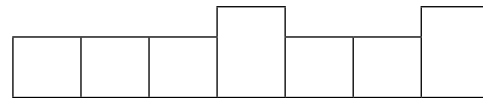
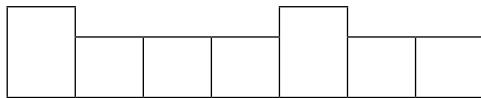
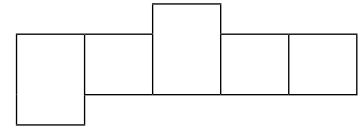
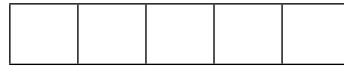
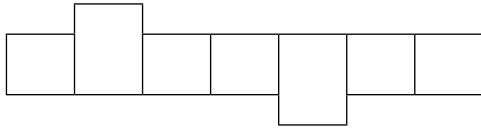
neatest

fresher

paler

sharper

nicer



## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

higher

\_\_\_\_\_

bluer

\_\_\_\_\_

narrowest

\_\_\_\_\_

gentler

\_\_\_\_\_

brightest

\_\_\_\_\_

straighter

\_\_\_\_\_

quietest

\_\_\_\_\_

younger

\_\_\_\_\_

looser

\_\_\_\_\_

fiercer

\_\_\_\_\_

**6 Choose it.** Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I am yunger younger than my brother.

\_\_\_\_\_

The sun is britest brightest at midday.

\_\_\_\_\_

Her hair is a lot straighter streighter than my hair.

\_\_\_\_\_

The fiercer fierser warrior won the battle.

\_\_\_\_\_

The bird flew higher heigher than the trees.

\_\_\_\_\_

**7 Silly sentences.** Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_

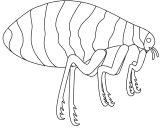
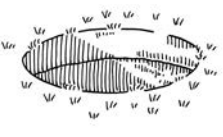






\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

sale	_____	steal	_____	sight	_____
sail	_____	flee	_____	site	_____
meet	_____	flea	_____	toe	_____
meat	_____	hole	_____	tow	_____
plane	_____	whole	_____	rain	_____
plain	_____	pray	_____	rein	_____
steel	_____	prey	_____		

## 2 Circle the right word.

	flea flee		hole whole		tow toe
	plane plain		sail sale		rein rain
	meet meat		steel steal		

## 3 Missing word.

The \_\_\_\_\_ landed safely at the airport.  
 The rabbit dug a deep \_\_\_\_\_ in the dirt.  
 We watched the boats \_\_\_\_\_ past the harbour.  
 I bought a box of old toys at the garage \_\_\_\_\_.  
 My brother tried to \_\_\_\_\_ my new game.

## 4 Word clues. Which word matches?

a tiny jumping insect that bites

leather straps that help a rider control a horse

a hard, strong metal

to run away or escape

an animal that is hunted by another

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

wear

haul

where

rays

hire

raise

higher

morning

hall

mourning

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I eat breakfast in the morning mourning.

We enjoyed the warmth of the sun's raise rays.

We climbed higher hire up the tree.

They have school assemblies in the big haul hall.

I didn't know where wear my sister was hiding.

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

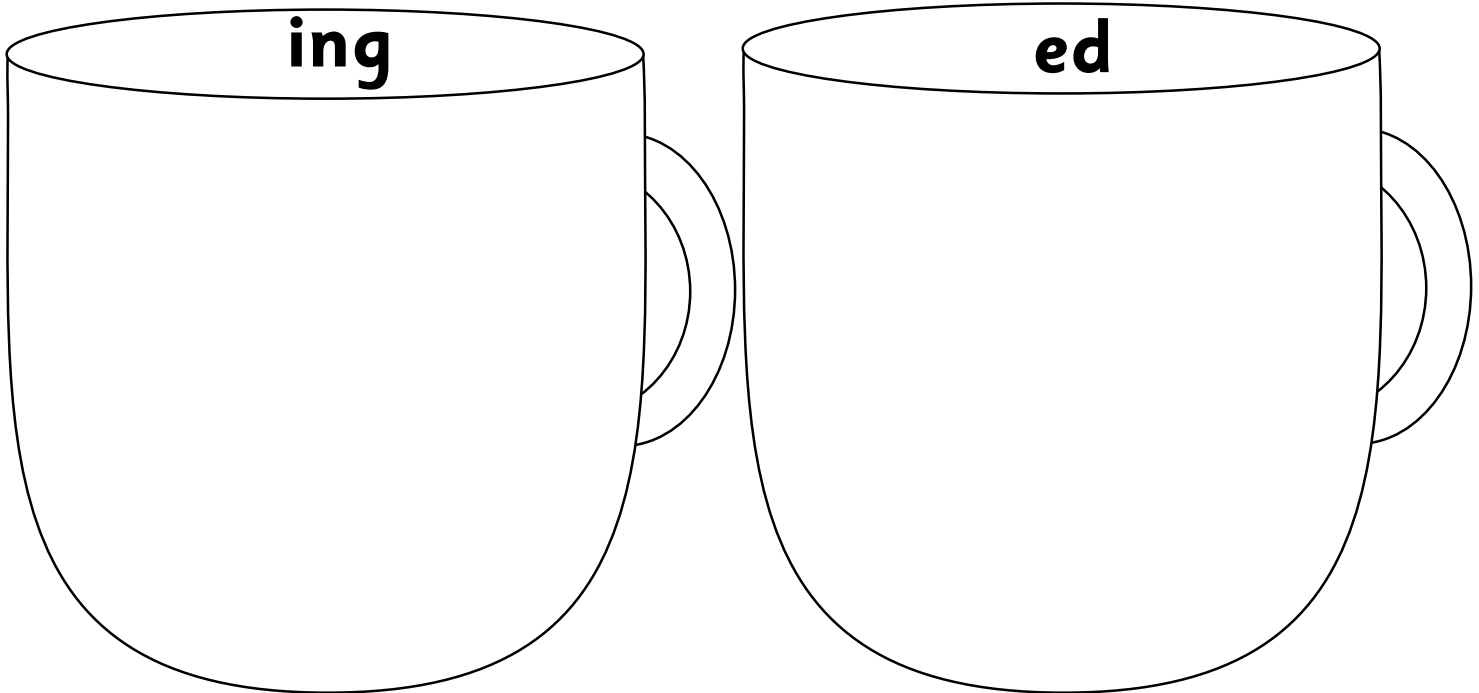
# Suffixes – ing, ed

2.21

## 1 Copy each list word.

rubbed	_____	rammed	_____	grabbed	_____
jogging	_____	bobbing	_____	stopped	_____
jogged	_____	tipped	_____	trapping	_____
wagging	_____	thinned	_____	blotted	_____
sagged	_____	planned	_____	skinned	_____
sipped	_____	stabbed	_____	flopped	_____
stopping	_____	gripping	_____		

## 2 Sort.



## 3 Complete each sentence with a list word.

The football team is \_\_\_\_\_ around the field.

Yesterday, my team \_\_\_\_\_ around the track.

I \_\_\_\_\_ the monkey bars tightly so I wouldn't fall.

The boats are \_\_\_\_\_ on the water.

## Challenge words

### 4 Copy each challenge word.

prodding \_\_\_\_\_

stunned \_\_\_\_\_

scanning \_\_\_\_\_

shipped \_\_\_\_\_

knitting \_\_\_\_\_

throbbed \_\_\_\_\_

strapping \_\_\_\_\_

shrugged \_\_\_\_\_

scrubbing \_\_\_\_\_

squatted \_\_\_\_\_



### 5 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

We shiped shipped the package across the country. \_\_\_\_\_

Grandma is knitting kniting a big woolly jumper. \_\_\_\_\_

My knee throbbbed throbed with pain after I fell over. \_\_\_\_\_

I was stuned stunned when my name was called out. \_\_\_\_\_

She squatted squated down beside me to take a closer look. \_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Hidden words. Find the challenge word.

sdjfsanningsggf \_\_\_\_\_

dfsshruddgedgvf \_\_\_\_\_

dgvsscrubbingdfj \_\_\_\_\_

sdfstrappingdfdfs \_\_\_\_\_

ersproddinggfdre \_\_\_\_\_



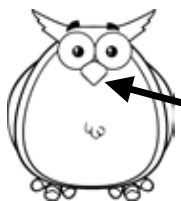
# The k sound – k, ck

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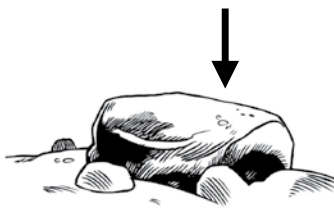
## 1 Copy each list word.

beak	_____	luck	_____	mask	_____
bank	_____	dusk	_____	stick	_____
lock	_____	peck	_____	shack	_____
tank	_____	track	_____	stock	_____
rock	_____	pluck	_____	speak	_____
pink	_____	cheek	_____	trunk	_____
tick	_____	check	_____		

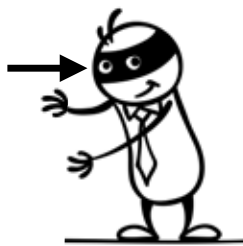
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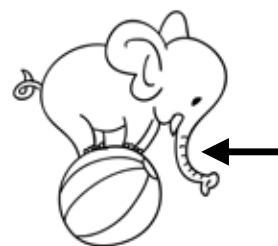
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## 3 Sort it.

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## 4 Word clues. Which list word matches?

a place to save and borrow money

the colour of a flamingo

the time of day just before night

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

soak

cloak

thank

crook

streak

stork

struck

attack

paddock

chipmunk

### 6 Interesting question. Answer the question with a challenge word.

Where are sheep kept?

What bird has very long legs?

What is an animal like a squirrel?

What's another word for thief?

### 7 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

I like to \_\_\_\_\_ in a hot bath after a long day.

I made sure to \_\_\_\_\_ her for my birthday present.

We rode the horses around the \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ was collecting nuts for the winter.

## 1 Copy each list word.

badly _____	mainly _____	largely _____
slowly _____	softly _____	swiftly _____
nicely _____	clearly _____	gently _____
suddenly _____	quickly _____	firmly _____
mostly _____	happily _____	quietly _____
strongly _____	easily _____	fairly _____
shyly _____	calmly _____	

## 2 Complete the table. Use a list word to complete the table.

bad	badly
quick	
strong	
most	
nice	



## 3 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

I jumped easly over the low fence.

\_\_\_\_\_

I quikly ate my supper so I could play outside.

\_\_\_\_\_

We spoke sofly so we didn't wake our parents.

\_\_\_\_\_

I sudenly had a brilliant idea.

\_\_\_\_\_

The turtle crawled slowlee up the beach.

\_\_\_\_\_

## 4 Write the list words in alphabetical order.

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

extremely _____	completely _____
actually _____	differently _____
finally _____	surely _____
slightly _____	absolutely _____
normally _____	equally _____

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

Mum shared the food eqwually equally between us. \_\_\_\_\_

I finaly finally finished my art project. \_\_\_\_\_

We went in completly completely different directions. \_\_\_\_\_

I am slightly sleightly taller than my friend. \_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

age	_____	hedge	_____	strange	_____
edge	_____	fudge	_____	change	_____
huge	_____	wedge	_____	fringe	_____
village	_____	bridge	_____	smudge	_____
badge	_____	image	_____	garage	_____
large	_____	orange	_____	plunge	_____
judge	_____	charge	_____		

## 2 Name it. Write the name for each.



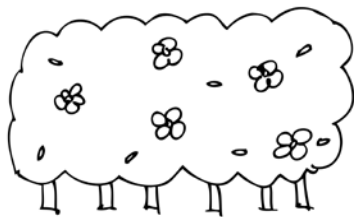
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## 3 Word clues. Which list word matches?

a dirty mark or stain

unusual or odd

a picture of something

a round, juicy fruit

a row of bushes used as a fence

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## 4 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

ungple	_____	ngecha	_____
ingefr	_____	agevill	_____
rgecha	_____	raggae	_____

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

bulge	_____	partridge	_____
cottage	_____	sausage	_____
package	_____	damage	_____
passage	_____	manage	_____
cringe	_____	courage	_____

### 6 Word clues. Which challenge word matches?

a small house	_____
a box used to transport something	_____
the ability to face your fears	_____
a medium-sized bird	_____
thin tube of minced meat	_____

### 7 Choose it. Circle the correct challenge word to complete the sentence.

We apologised for the damage damge we did to the garden.

We could see a light at the end of the dark pasage passage.

I walked to the post office to collect my package pakage.

I always cringe crenge at the sound of sirens.

## 1 Copy each list word.

armpit \_\_\_\_\_

pancake \_\_\_\_\_

motorway \_\_\_\_\_

starfish \_\_\_\_\_

shoelace \_\_\_\_\_

anybody \_\_\_\_\_

uphill \_\_\_\_\_

windmill \_\_\_\_\_

raincoat \_\_\_\_\_

snowman \_\_\_\_\_

backpack \_\_\_\_\_

grandchild \_\_\_\_\_

hairbrush \_\_\_\_\_

driveway \_\_\_\_\_

eyebrow \_\_\_\_\_

handshake \_\_\_\_\_

rainfall \_\_\_\_\_

leftovers \_\_\_\_\_

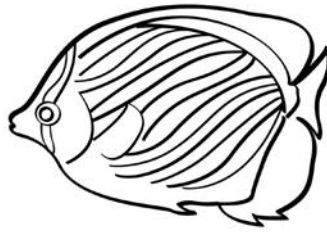
teardrop \_\_\_\_\_

strawberry \_\_\_\_\_

## 2 Picture words. Add the pictures to make a list word.

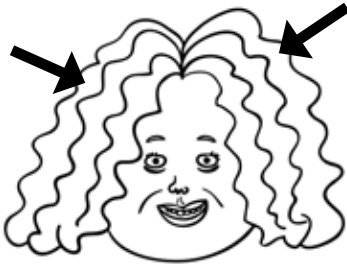


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## 4 Underline the spelling mistakes. Write the word correctly.

Strawbery is my favourite flavour of ice-cream.

I want it to snow so that I can build a snoman.

On rainy days I pack my umbrella and raincote.

I packed my books and pencil case into my bakpack.

I couldn't find my harebrush, so I had to use my comb.

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

outdoors

background

marketplace

doughnut

elsewhere

clockwork

downstairs

earphones

watermelon

cheeseburger

### 6 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

When I eat \_\_\_\_\_ I always spit out the black seeds.

Dad told us to go and play \_\_\_\_\_.

We brought home a huge box of peaches from the \_\_\_\_\_.

I wanted the \_\_\_\_\_ with pink icing and sprinkles.

I pulled my \_\_\_\_\_ out so I could hear what she was saying.

### 7 Word clues. Which challenge word matches?

a large fruit with green skin

describes something running smoothly

an area where goods are sold

## 1 Copy each list word.

I'm	_____	we'll	_____	hasn't	_____
he's	_____	don't	_____	where's	_____
it's	_____	she'll	_____	what's	_____
I've	_____	it'd	_____	you'd	_____
how's	_____	who's	_____	can't	_____
there's	_____	it'll	_____	didn't	_____
won't	_____	who'll	_____		

## 2 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

Jay told me that h'es not coming to the party.

I cant' stand on my head!

Don't worry, she'l be here any minute.

Im the tallest person in my class.

I'ts been two weeks since the holidays ended.

## 3 Match. Draw a line to match the words to their contractions.

has not	_____	didn't
where is	_____	hasn't
did not	_____	how's
I have	_____	where's
how is	_____	I've





**4 Missing apostrophe.** Rewrite the word with the apostrophe in the correct place.

itll \_\_\_\_\_ wont \_\_\_\_\_ well \_\_\_\_\_ youd \_\_\_\_\_

## Challenge words

**5 Copy each challenge word.**

wasn't	_____	haven't	_____
they've	_____	doesn't	_____
you're	_____	o'clock	_____
mustn't	_____	couldn't	_____
weren't	_____	would've	_____

**6 Meaning.** Which list word means?

were not	_____	would have	_____
does not	_____	was not	_____
could not	_____	you are	_____

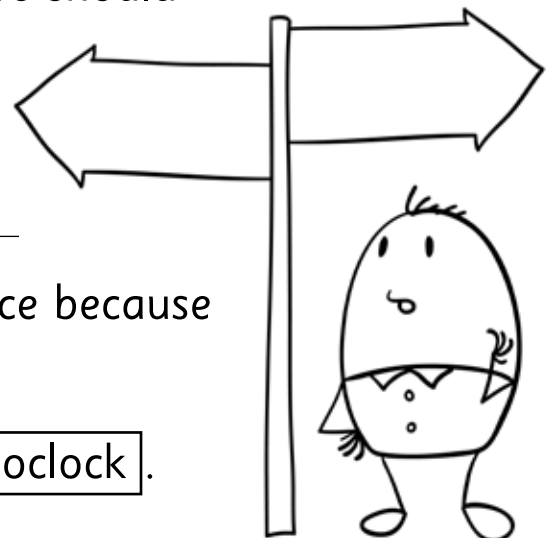
**7 Choose it.** Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I wasn't wan'st sure which direction we should take. \_\_\_\_\_

You musun't mustn't make a sound or you'll wake the baby. \_\_\_\_\_

I couldn't could't go to football practice because I felt unwell. \_\_\_\_\_

School starts promptly at nine o'clock oclock.  
\_\_\_\_\_




























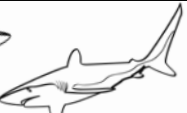




# Making plurals – adding s and es

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## 1 Copy each list word.

pigs	_____	cages	_____	classes	_____
bees	_____	eyes	_____	flashes	_____
foxes	_____	lions	_____	bunches	_____
dishes	_____	tricks	_____	kisses	_____
books	_____	things	_____	sharks	_____
rocks	_____	plants	_____	lambs	_____
coats	_____	spiders	_____		

## 2 More than one. Write the singular and plural for each word.

	_____	_____	  
	_____	_____	  
	_____	_____	 
	_____	_____	  
	_____	_____	 
	_____	_____	   
	_____	_____	 
	_____	_____	  

# Making plurals – adding s and es

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## 3 Complete each sentence with a list word.

There were two \_\_\_\_\_ rolling in the mud.

We could hear the \_\_\_\_\_ roaring loudly outside our tent.

I watched several \_\_\_\_\_ buzzing noisily around the garden.

I hung all the \_\_\_\_\_ in the closet.

I borrowed two new \_\_\_\_\_ from the library.

The florist had \_\_\_\_\_ of beautiful flowers outside her shop.

## Challenge words

### 4 Copy each challenge word.

fingers \_\_\_\_\_

branches \_\_\_\_\_

flowers \_\_\_\_\_

quizzes \_\_\_\_\_

monkeys \_\_\_\_\_

oranges \_\_\_\_\_

catches \_\_\_\_\_

giraffes \_\_\_\_\_

watches \_\_\_\_\_

cabbages \_\_\_\_\_

### 5 Interesting question. Answer the question with a challenge word.

What kinds of animals have long necks? \_\_\_\_\_

What do bees collect pollen from? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you have on your hands? \_\_\_\_\_

What fruit has the same name and colour? \_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Complete the sentence.

The \_\_\_\_\_ sat in the tree eating bananas.

I have five \_\_\_\_\_ on one hand and five toes on one foot.

I picked seven juicy \_\_\_\_\_ from the tree.

# Irregular verbs – past tense

2.28

## 1 Copy each list word.

did	_____	awoke	_____	forgot	_____
ate	_____	became	_____	froze	_____
fled	_____	began	_____	swung	_____
gave	_____	bound	_____	flung	_____
went	_____	clung	_____	fought	_____
stole	_____	sprang	_____	chose	_____
shook	_____	knew	_____		

## 2 Unscramble it. Unscramble these list words.

mecabe	_____	undbo	_____
ngaspr	_____	ghtfou	_____
ungsw	_____	okeaw	_____

## 3 Missing letters. Write the missing letters.

d \_ \_ d      cl \_ \_ \_ g      ch \_ \_ \_ e      \_ ne \_      s \_ \_ \_ l \_

## 4 Correct it. Write the word in brackets correctly.

I [awake] in the middle of the night. \_\_\_\_\_

After his bath the dog [shake] water everywhere. \_\_\_\_\_

Yesterday I [eat] five sandwiches and two bananas. \_\_\_\_\_

Mum [give] me some money to buy bread. \_\_\_\_\_

I [forget] to pack my overdue library books. \_\_\_\_\_

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

built	_____	caught	_____
brought	_____	dealt	_____
taught	_____	heard	_____
struck	_____	meant	_____
shrank	_____	understood	_____

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I bringed brought chocolate brownies to the class party.

\_\_\_\_\_

I taught teached my little sister how to count to five.

\_\_\_\_\_

The branch struck strikeed me in the back of the head. \_\_\_\_\_

I hoped that she understood understand my instructions. \_\_\_\_\_

I caught catched the ball before it hit the window. \_\_\_\_\_



### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Split digraphs – a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e 2.29

## 1 Copy each list word.

face	stone	prune
safe	smile	slide
nine	rule	skate
bone	alone	blade
June	stole	shade
these	glide	whole
close	plate	

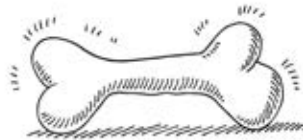
## 2 Name it. Write the name for each.



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## 3 In a group. Write the list word that belongs in each group.

skeleton, skin, \_\_\_\_\_

grin, laugh, \_\_\_\_\_

bowl, cup, \_\_\_\_\_

rock, pebble, \_\_\_\_\_

knife, sword, \_\_\_\_\_

seven, eight, \_\_\_\_\_

## 4 Complete the table. Sort each list word into a column.

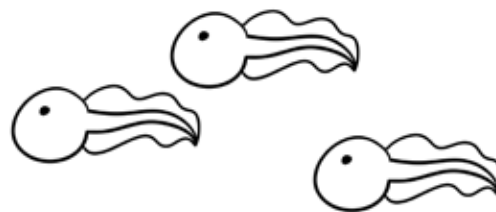
a-e	e-e	i-e	o-e	u-e

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

scrape \_\_\_\_\_  
while \_\_\_\_\_  
shave \_\_\_\_\_  
tadpole \_\_\_\_\_  
gnome \_\_\_\_\_  
whale \_\_\_\_\_  
guide \_\_\_\_\_

lemonade \_\_\_\_\_  
microwave \_\_\_\_\_  
crocodile \_\_\_\_\_



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### 6 Interesting question. Answer the question with a challenge word.

What reptile has large snapping jaws with lots of sharp teeth? \_\_\_\_\_

What drink can you make with lemons, sugar and water? \_\_\_\_\_

What is a young frog called? \_\_\_\_\_

What animal lives underwater and breathes through its blowhole? \_\_\_\_\_

What can you use to heat up food? \_\_\_\_\_

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### 7 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

I had to \_\_\_\_\_ the melted cheese off the pan.

Dad uses an electric razor to \_\_\_\_\_ his face.

The \_\_\_\_\_ had started to grow long legs.

Grandma bought a new \_\_\_\_\_ for her garden.

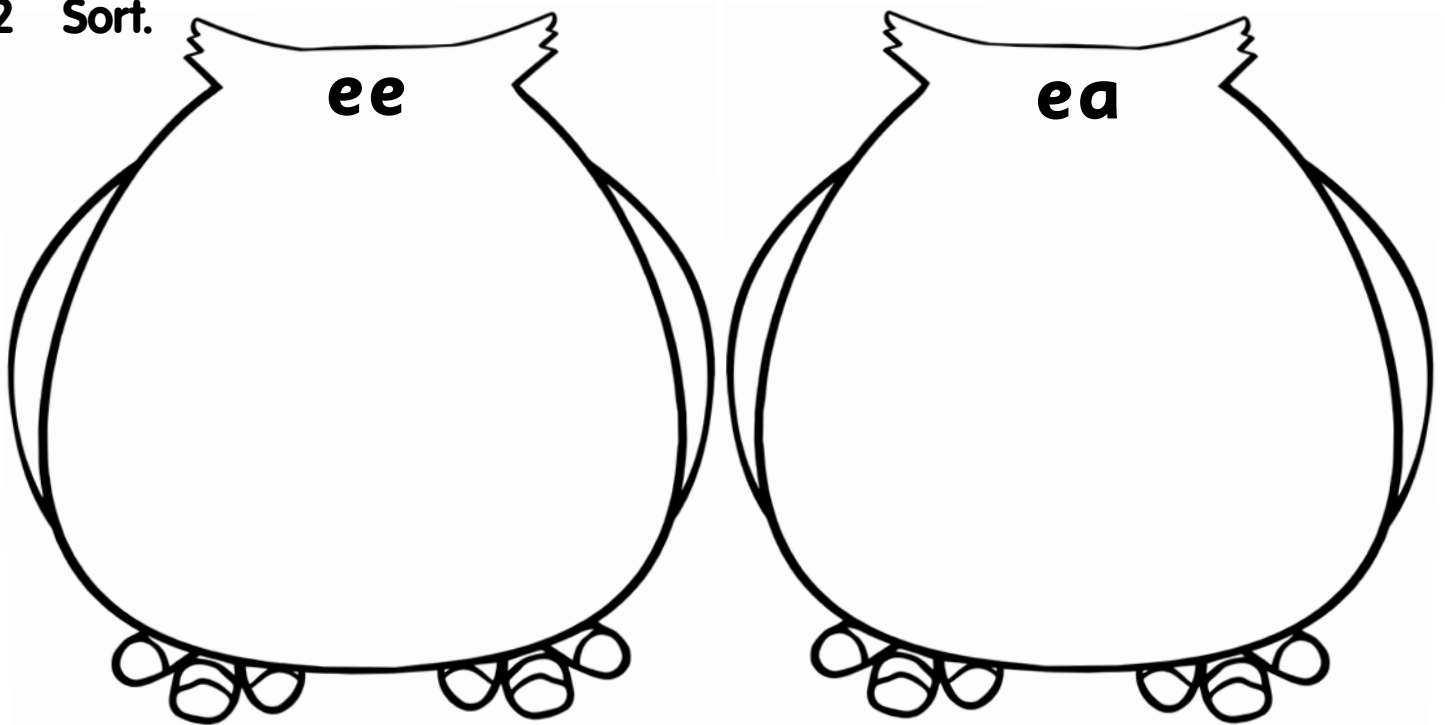
# Vowel digraphs – ea, ee

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## 1 Copy each list word.

meet	_____	beat	_____	pleat	_____
meat	_____	sheet	_____	wheat	_____
feet	_____	neat	_____	bleat	_____
heat	_____	treat	_____	upbeat	_____
greet	_____	sweet	_____	street	_____
seat	_____	cheat	_____	repeat	_____
fleet	_____	tweet	_____		

## 2 Sort.



## 3 Complete each sentence with a list word.

I opened the door to \_\_\_\_\_ our visitors.

In summer I only need a light \_\_\_\_\_ on my bed.

I couldn't find my shoes, so I ran to the shops in bare \_\_\_\_\_.

My friend and I live on the same \_\_\_\_\_.

We played in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the summer day.



## 4 Meaning. Which list word means?

a group of ships

the sound made by a goat or sheep

to defeat a person

the sound made by a bird

a grain used to make flour

## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

compete

delete

defeat

overeat

athlete

lorikeet

retreat

complete

concrete

heartbeat

### 6 Word clues. Which challenge word matches?

to eat too much

to move back or away from something

someone who participates in sports

a small brightly coloured parrot

### 7 Choose it. Circle the correct challenge word to complete the sentence.

I decided not to compete compet in this year's fun run.

I ran a complet complete circuit of the track.

The doctor listened to my heartbeat hertbeat.

# Word endings – ar, er, or

2.31

## 1 Copy each list word.

sugar _____	gather _____	cracker _____
butter _____	number _____	saucer _____
doctor _____	pepper _____	wander _____
finger _____	dollar _____	tractor _____
enter _____	brother _____	together _____
dinner _____	mirror _____	another _____
spider _____	Easter _____	

## 2 Name.



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## 3 In a group. Write the list word that belongs in each group.

supper, breakfast, _____	biscuit, cookie, _____
sister, mother, _____	plate, dish, _____
hand, palm, _____	field, crops, _____

## 4 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

teren _____	thertoge _____
rormir _____	therano _____
derwan _____	perpep _____

## 5 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

The docttor gave Isha some medicine.

Michael set the salt and peper on the table.

In Australia they say dolar instead of pound.

I found him looking at his reflection in the miror.

We were told not to wandr off without supervision.

## Challenge words

### 6 Copy each challenge word.

answer

October

feather

November

deliver

cellar

lawyer

alligator

September

caterpillar

### 7 Solve it. Read the clue and complete the sentence.

I look like a crocodile. I am an \_\_\_\_\_.

August is before me and October is after me. I am \_\_\_\_\_.

I am the second last month of the year. I am \_\_\_\_\_.

I am found on birds. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

I will turn into a butterfly one day. I am a \_\_\_\_\_.

### 8 Silly sentences. Use as many list words as possible to make a silly story.

## 1 Copy each list word.

parade	grade	upgrade
paid	blade	afraid
made	raid	decade
wade	aid	invade
maid	trade	arcade
laid	shade	sunshade
fade	spade	

## 2 Meaning. Which list word means?

a woman paid to do housework

ten years

a tool used for digging

to give help to someone in need

a sudden surprise attack

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## 3 Missing letters. Write the missing letters.

in \_\_\_ d \_\_\_

b \_\_\_ de

wad \_\_\_

sunsh \_\_\_

tra \_\_\_

ar \_\_\_ d \_\_\_

## 4 Write the list words in alphabetical order.

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## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

cascade \_\_\_\_\_  
braid \_\_\_\_\_  
unafraid \_\_\_\_\_  
grenade \_\_\_\_\_  
mermaid \_\_\_\_\_  
lemonade \_\_\_\_\_  
bridesmaid \_\_\_\_\_



persuade \_\_\_\_\_  
repaid \_\_\_\_\_  
marmalade \_\_\_\_\_

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

I plaited her long hair into a braid breid . \_\_\_\_\_

Tim spread marmelade marmalade on his toast. \_\_\_\_\_

My sister will be a bridesmeid bridesmaid at our cousin's wedding. \_\_\_\_\_

I poured everyone a cool glass of lemonaid lemonade .  
\_\_\_\_\_

Hannah tried to persuade pursade her mother to buy ice-cream.  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

law	_____	fright	_____
lawful	_____	frighten	_____
unlawful	_____	frightened	_____
try	_____	happily	_____
trying	_____	happiness	_____
tried	_____	happiest	_____
watch	_____	begin	_____
watching	_____	beginning	_____
watched	_____	beginner	_____
watchful	_____	began	_____

## 2 Word building. Add suffixes to build words.

try	fright	begin
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

## 3 Complete the sentence with a list word.

The thief was arrested for breaking the \_\_\_\_\_.

It is \_\_\_\_\_ to steal from other people.

The loud thunder gave me a \_\_\_\_\_.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ of tight spaces.

My brother is \_\_\_\_\_ cartoons in the living room.

## 4 Unscramble it. Unscramble the letters to make a list word.

chedwat \_\_\_\_\_  
 inesshapp \_\_\_\_\_  
 innerbeg \_\_\_\_\_  
 chfulwat \_\_\_\_\_  
 inningbeg \_\_\_\_\_



## Challenge words

### 5 Copy each challenge word.

garden	_____	decision	_____
gardening	_____	friend	_____
gardener	_____	friendly	_____
decide	_____	friendliness	_____
deciding	_____	unfriendly	_____

### 6 Word clues. Which challenge word matches?

Lin is helping plant vegetables in the school \_\_\_\_\_.

Shay and Olly are still \_\_\_\_\_ which movie to see.

The \_\_\_\_\_ was not happy with the state of her roses.

The new girl seemed to be very \_\_\_\_\_.

I couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ which book I liked better.

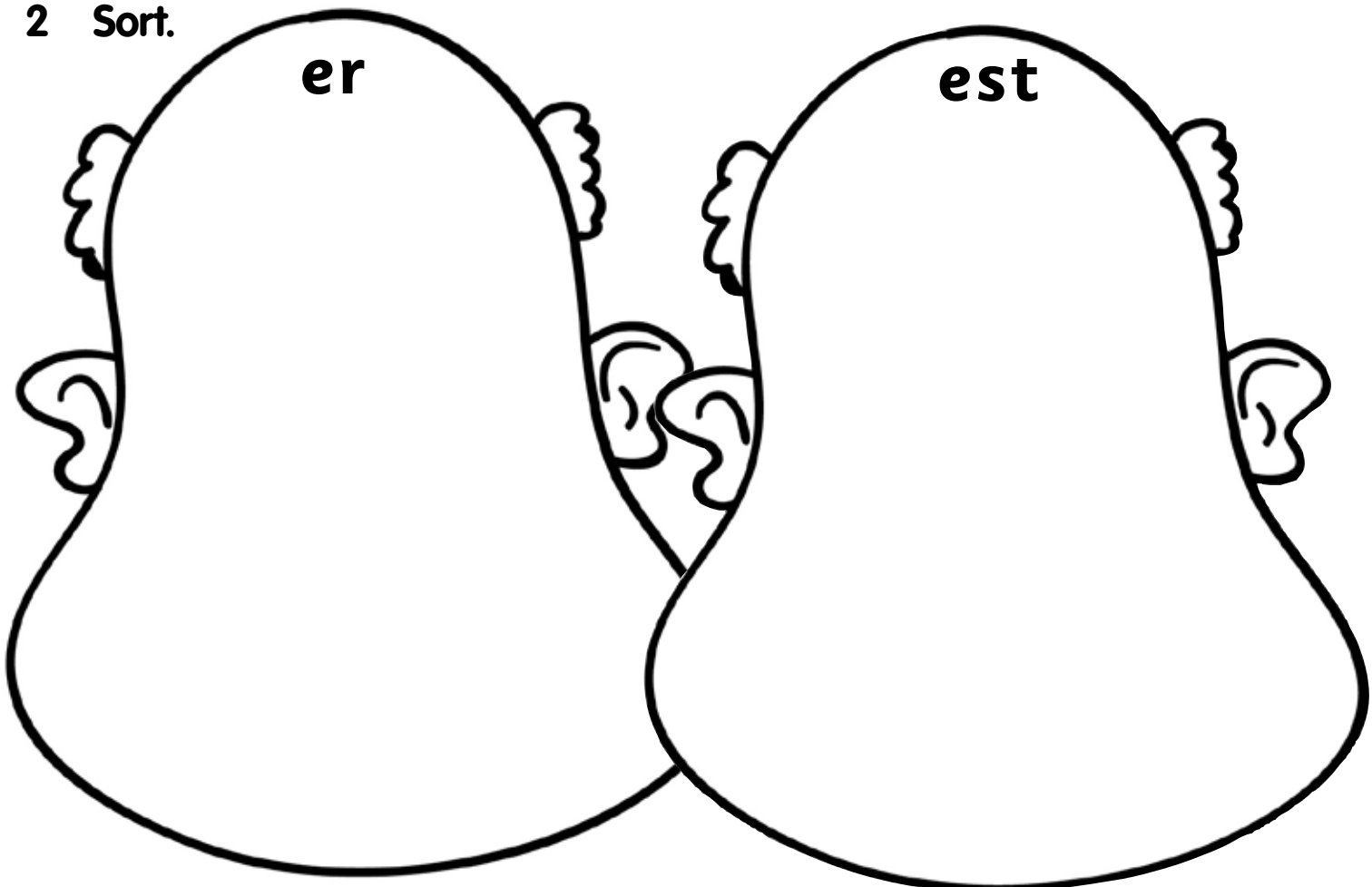
### 7 Silly sentences. Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

## 1 Copy each list word.

bigger	_____	dimmer	_____
biggest	_____	dirtier	_____
flatter	_____	dirtiest	_____
tinier	_____	tidier	_____
tiniest	_____	fittest	_____
easier	_____	funnier	_____
easiest	_____	funniest	_____
saddest	_____	smelliest	_____
busiest	_____	heavier	_____
smallest	_____	heaviest	_____

## 2 Sort.





## 3 Complete each sentence with a list word.

An elephant is \_\_\_\_\_ than a zebra.

That was the \_\_\_\_\_ joke I have ever heard.

The blue whale is the \_\_\_\_\_ animal in the world.

That was the \_\_\_\_\_ assignment we've done this term.

I am neater and \_\_\_\_\_ than my sister.

## Challenge words

### 4 Copy each challenge word.

thinnest	_____	happiest	_____
scariest	_____	healthier	_____
fluffier	_____	healthiest	_____
curliest	_____	angrier	_____
happier	_____	angriest	_____

### 5 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

That breed of chicken has \_\_\_\_\_ feathers than that other breed.

She seems \_\_\_\_\_ since she got a pet.

Her hair is the \_\_\_\_\_ I have ever seen!

That movie was the \_\_\_\_\_ I have ever seen!

### 6 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct word to complete the sentence.

Muesli was the healthiest healthiest option for breakfast.

If you tease that dog it will just get angrier angriest.

I snapped the thinnest thinnest branch.

## 1 Copy each list word.

I	with	pretty
again	there	who
always	off	mother
next	here	father
have	around	outside
were	wanted	when
things	school	

## 2 Meaning. Which list word means?

a place for teaching and learning

any space that is not inside

a female parent

a male parent

## 3 Opposites. Write the opposite.

on	unwanted
ugly	without
inside	never

## 4 Complete the sentence with a list word.

Our neighbours \_\_\_\_\_ a huge trampoline.

I took \_\_\_\_\_ my shoes before entering the house.

We spun \_\_\_\_\_ in circles.

We need to get off at the \_\_\_\_\_ bus stop.

**5 Correct it.** Write the word that is wrong correctly.

Ie am seven years old.

Mum told us to play outside for a while.

I wantid to stay awake, but I fell asleep quickly.

I went to the zoo weth my grandma and grandpa.

I got it wrong, so had to start all over agein.

## Challenge words

**6 Copy each challenge word.**

every	_____	Christmas	_____
once	_____	people	_____
happening	_____	swimming	_____
scared	_____	women	_____
favourite	_____	February	_____

**7 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.**

Mum and I went shopping for \_\_\_\_\_ presents.

On hot days we like to go \_\_\_\_\_ in the pool.

My birthday is in \_\_\_\_\_, the second month of the year.

Chocolate is my \_\_\_\_\_ flavour of ice-cream.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ of large dogs.

**8 Silly sentences.** Use as many challenge words as possible to make a silly story.

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# Suffixes – ment and ness

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## 1 Copy each list word.

illness	_____	laziness	_____
payment	_____	fairness	_____
sadness	_____	enjoyment	_____
darkness	_____	thickness	_____
fitness	_____	blackness	_____
sickness	_____	pavement	_____
richness	_____	movement	_____
neatness	_____	statement	_____
weakness	_____	amazement	_____
softness	_____	treatment	_____

## 2 Missing letters. Write the missing letters to make a list word.

fit \_\_\_\_\_      enjoy \_\_\_\_\_      soft \_\_\_\_\_  
thick \_\_\_\_\_      black \_\_\_\_\_      dark \_\_\_\_\_

## 3 Unscramble these list words.

ntmepay	_____	ntmeeattr	_____
nessfair	_____	momevent	_____
ntmepaev	_____	menteamaz	_____

## 4 Correct it. Write the word that is wrong correctly.

I felt sadnes when my friend moved away. \_\_\_\_\_

The darknes of night came quickly. \_\_\_\_\_

The concrete pavment was very hot. \_\_\_\_\_

The thikness of her hair made it hard to brush. \_\_\_\_\_

## Challenge words

### 4 Copy each challenge word.

argument	_____	punishment	_____
excitement	_____	astonishment	_____
gentleness	_____	equipment	_____
willingness	_____	tiredness	_____
entertainment	_____	enchantment	_____

### 5 Complete the sentence with a challenge word.

My brother and I always have an \_\_\_\_\_ about who sits in the front seat.

Dad made us help him as \_\_\_\_\_ for our bad behaviour.

When camping, you must remember to bring the right \_\_\_\_\_.

The wizard put an \_\_\_\_\_ on the castle.

Thinking about the holidays filled me with \_\_\_\_\_.



### 7 Choose it. Circle and rewrite the correct challenge word to complete the sentence.

It was her willingness wilngess to learn that made her a good student. \_\_\_\_\_

We stared in astonesment astonishment at our teacher's new haircut. \_\_\_\_\_

They hired a clown as entertainment enterteinmnt for the party. \_\_\_\_\_

