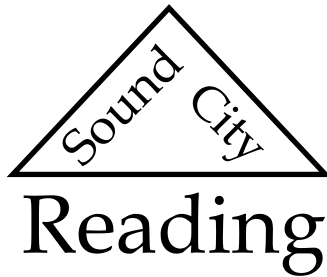




Consonant Patterns



Consonant Blends
Consonant Digraphs
Common Ending Syllables



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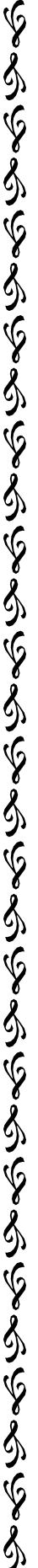
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Introduction

This book contains lists of words and sets of sentences to help beginning readers learn the sounds of the consonant patterns. Practicing these materials will help the student develop spelling and word recognition skills. The student will also develop a broad base of sight words.

Students learn the sound for each pattern by studying a key word and picture, and then use this sound to practice reading words and sentences. Students can also spell the words or sentences from dictation. This will help to cement the pattern in the student's memory.

Some of the consonant patterns are presented in rhyming lists. This can be helpful for students who are learning to read because it helps them look beyond single letter units. The student learns to recognize a word "chunk," consisting of the vowel pattern and any consonants that follow. In teaching jargon, this part of the word is called the "rime." By substituting different consonants at the beginning of these word chunks, the student can read many new words easily. The beginning consonant or consonants in a word are called the "onset."

In this book, the rime chunks for each phonogram pattern are listed on houses grouped together on a page. The student should read the rime chunks from the houses before attempting to read the word lists that follow. The teacher should model as needed. Reading the rhyming lists will help the student to understand the relationship between visual letter patterns and the oral pronunciation of words.

Many of the consonant patterns do not lend themselves to rhyming lists. For these patterns mixed word lists and sentences are provided. The teacher may want the student to color over just the consonant pattern in each word on the list with a colored pencil. This makes the pattern stand out visually, which helps the student when reading and spelling the words. Students can also look for words with the selected pattern in the sentences, and underline them.

Some common letter patterns contain both consonants and vowels. Common ending syllables such as *_tle*, *_ple*, *_tion*, and *_ture* fall into this category. Practice pages for many patterns of this type are included in this volume.

This volume is meant to be used as a reference manual, from which the desired patterns can be selected by the teacher. Beginning and ending consonant blends are grouped together in separate sections. The other consonant patterns are arranged in alphabetical order, to make it easy for the teacher to find the pages needed. The order of introduction of the consonant patterns will vary, depending on the material being read by the student. The teacher should introduce the patterns that are needed for the next story or article that students will read. Other patterns should be saved until students need to know them.

Students learn best when they can connect the skills they are learning with a larger overall scheme. Relate each pattern to a word, poem, or story, and reinforce it with an activity or project. For instance, when teaching the patterns *ch* and *tch*, the teacher could read the story *Itchy, Itchy, Chicken Pox* aloud. Write *itch* and *chicken* on the board and point out the *tch* and *ch* patterns in the words. The teacher could elicit ideas from the children and make a list of "things that itch." A social studies class could expand on the book's theme. Topics related to being sick, germs, doctor's visits, and

proper use of medicines can be explored.

The sentences for patterns that are likely to be taught first are the easiest to read. Sentences for patterns that are less common, and likely to be introduced later, are more difficult.

The materials in this volume may be used in conjunction with any reading program, to provide extra practice with consonant patterns as needed. It is recommended that the teacher give guidance and support during the initial reading of each set of words and sentences, to help with comprehension and decoding.

Two separate sets of materials, *Phonics Patterns for Beginning Readers* and *Advanced Phonics Patterns from Children's Books*, introduce many of the same patterns in a sequential format.

Some words in this volume are marked with a small x above one of the letters. Explain to the student that this indicates that the marked letter is silent, and should not be pronounced. For example, in the word lamb, a small x may be placed above the *b*.

Sometimes, a letter or group of letters in a word doesn't represent the expected sound. Words containing letters which "break the rules" are marked with an asterisk or a "broken ruler." Be sure to model the correct pronunciation of this type of word when introducing it to the student. Some words have a small letter written above the word to indicate an alternate sound for a particular letter.

The consonant blends are shown on truck charts and on subsequent pages paired with keywords and pictures. The truck charts may be enlarged and posted on a wall. Using a pointer, the teacher may want to conduct regular practice sessions, having the students pronounce blend going down the columns.

Because it is difficult to pronounce many of the ending blends by themselves, the ending blends are taught with an associated short vowel sound. Truck charts showing the ending blends may be practiced in the same way as the beginning blends.

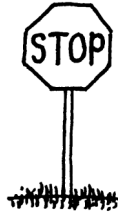
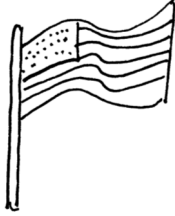
Word Study Activities

1. Have students fold a piece of blank paper into sixths or eighths. Display words for the students to copy. They should write one word in each box on the paper and illustrate it. Advanced students can write sentences in each box.
2. Make a file folder game for students to use individually or in pairs. Use brightly colored file folders. Choose words from the list for a phonogram pattern recently taught. Glue small pictures illustrating the words in the folder. (These can be copied from the letter pattern worksheets from Sound City Reading.) Purchase a small specialty notepad. These can be purchased in school supply stores with various designs, such as boats, animals, barns, flowers, and so on. Write one word on each figure. Glue the figures to poster board and cut them out. Laminate both the folder and the figures. The student will read each word and place it on the correct picture in the file folder. It is helpful to make a file folder game for each phonogram that is studied. A student can use the folder independently, with a partner, or with the teacher.
3. Post some of the words and have the students write each word in a sentence.
4. Let the students choose a single word to use as a theme, and write a story or essay related to the word. Share the stories.
5. Post a list of words and have the students write a story containing as many of the words as possible. Share the stories.
6. Post a list of words and have the students draw a picture showing as many of the words as possible. For example a beach scene could show: a *shell*, a *shark*, a *ship*, *shade* under an umbrella, etc.) The student should use the posted words to label the items in the picture.
7. Make a set of sorting cards. Write one word from a phonogram list on each card. Have the students sort the cards, using classifications such as rhyming words, parts of speech, or various other categories.
8. Use the letter pattern worksheets from Sound City Reading. The worksheets give extra practice with many of the most common consonant and vowel patterns. Students match words and pictures, and copy words under the correct pictures.
9. Use the phonogram patterns to create weekly spelling lists.
10. Use a computer program to create crossword puzzles and word search puzzles for the words on a phonogram list. Have the students do the puzzles. Or have students create their own puzzles.
11. Write words from a phonogram list on separate slips of paper. Have each child select a slip and pantomime the word. The rest of the class guesses the word.
12. Have students take turns spelling words from a phonogram list by positioning their bodies to form the shape of each letter in sequence.
13. Select words from a list. Write each word on a separate unlined index card using colored markers. Write the consonant pattern being studied in a bright color, and the remaining letters in black. Have students take turns reading the cards. Students may hold any cards that are read correctly.

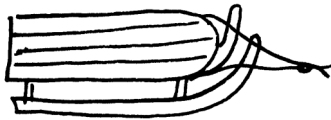


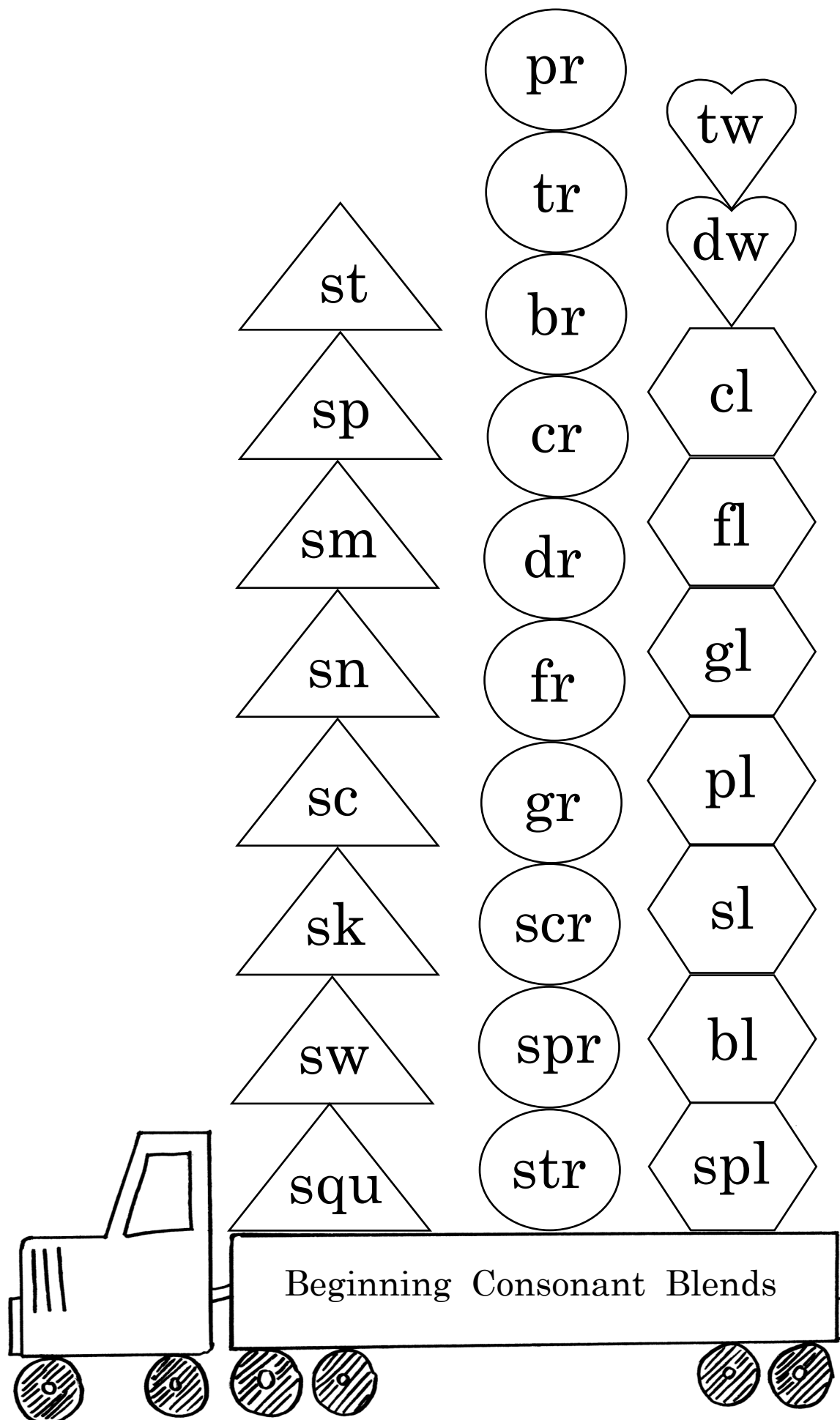
Sentence Study Activities

- 1) Copy the sentence pages onto transparencies to use with an overhead projector for working with an entire class. Uncover one sentence at a time for the class to read in unison.
- 2) Write the sentences on class size chart pads for use with a large group. Use a pointer to help students track the words.
- 3) Type the pages in large print on horizontal sheets of legal size paper, putting two or three sentences on a page. Punch holes in the top and make into a flip book to use with a group. Use pastel colored paper to prevent the sheets underneath from showing through.
- 4) Make enough copies of the sentences on a copy machine for each student to have a personal copy. Have students take turns reading the sentences aloud, then have the class read the sentences in unison. This can also be done in smaller reading groups.
- 5) Have students take turns reading the sentences to each other in pairs.
- 6) Have students pick a favorite sentence to illustrate. They should write the sentence at the bottom of a blank sheet of paper and draw a picture to go with it. Display these in the classroom or staple together to make a class booklet.
- 7) Have students choose a sentence to use for creative writing. The student will create a story or essay that contains the sentence. Have the student illustrate the story and read it out loud to the class.
- 8) Make a learning center using the sentences. Write or type the sentences on cards or strips. Draw simple pictures to illustrate the sentences on separate index cards. have the students match each sentence with a picture. Or cut the sentences apart, mix up the words, and have students rearrange the words to make the sentence.
- 9) Create a reading worksheet. Type each sentence, leaving blanks for the words containing the new sound pattern. List the missing words in a chart at the top of the page. Make a copy for each student. The student should read the sentences and fill in each blank with the correct word. This can be quite challenging for students!

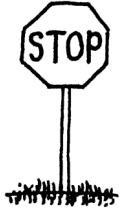


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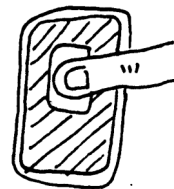
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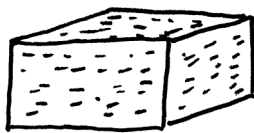
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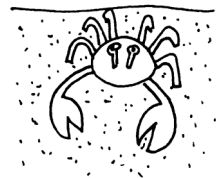
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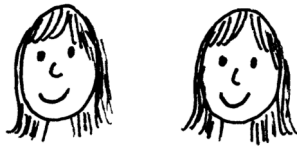
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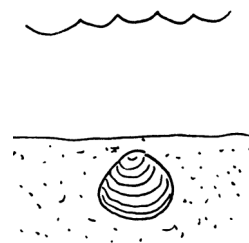
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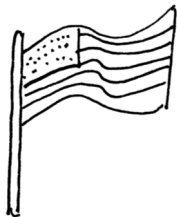
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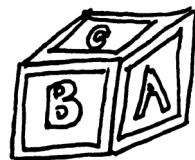
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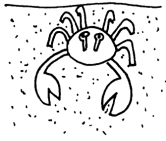
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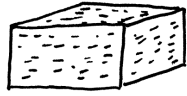
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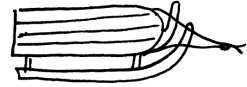
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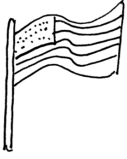
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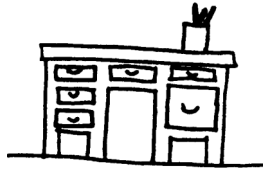
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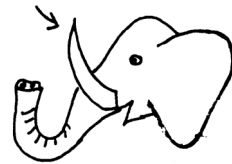
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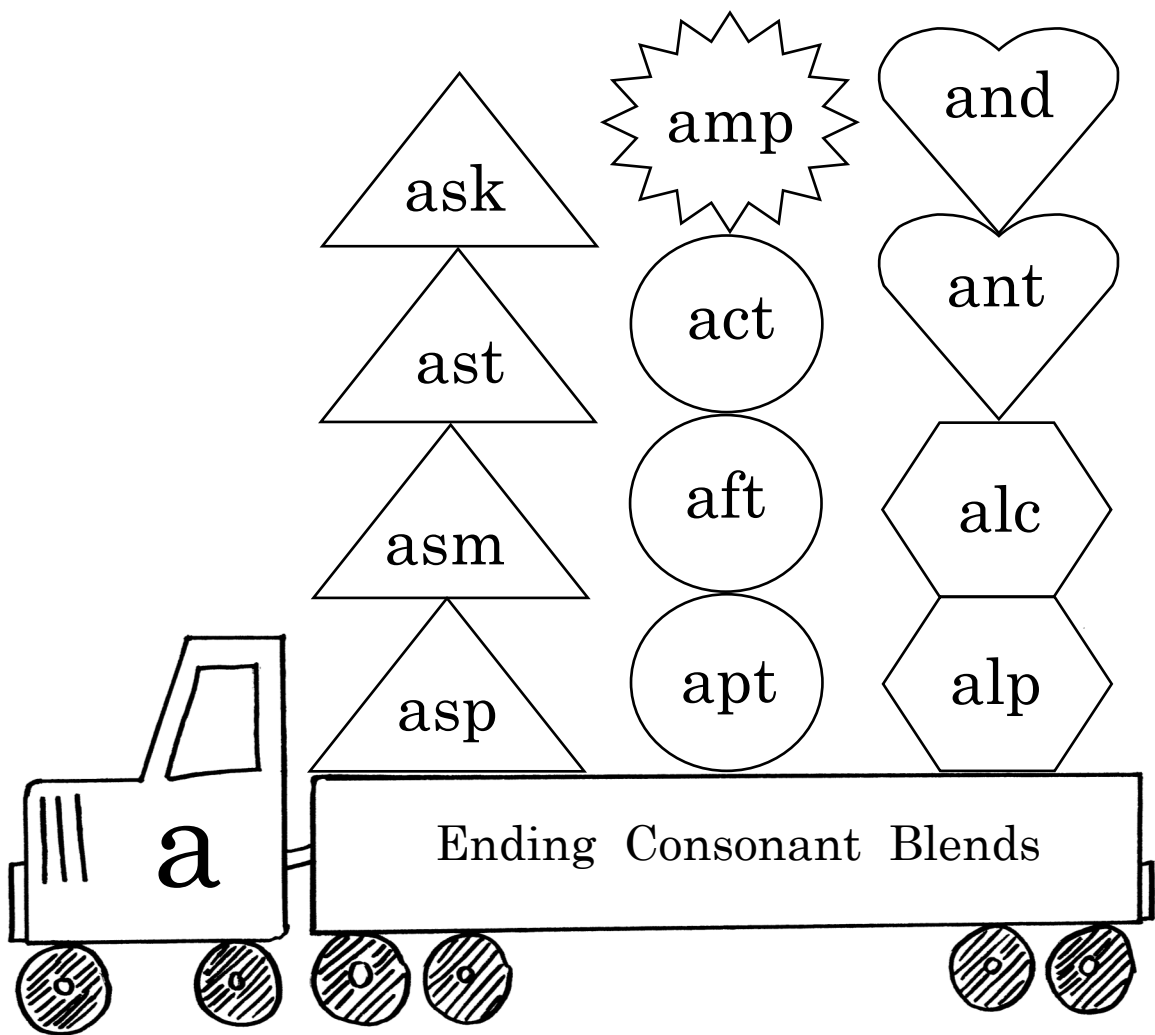
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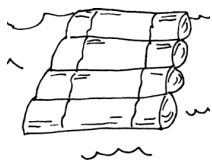
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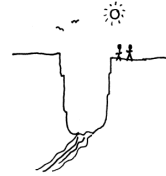
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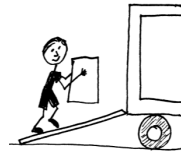


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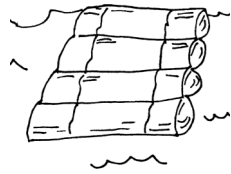
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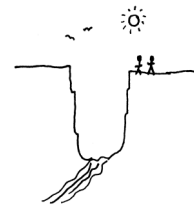
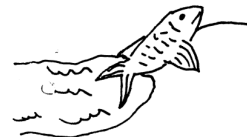
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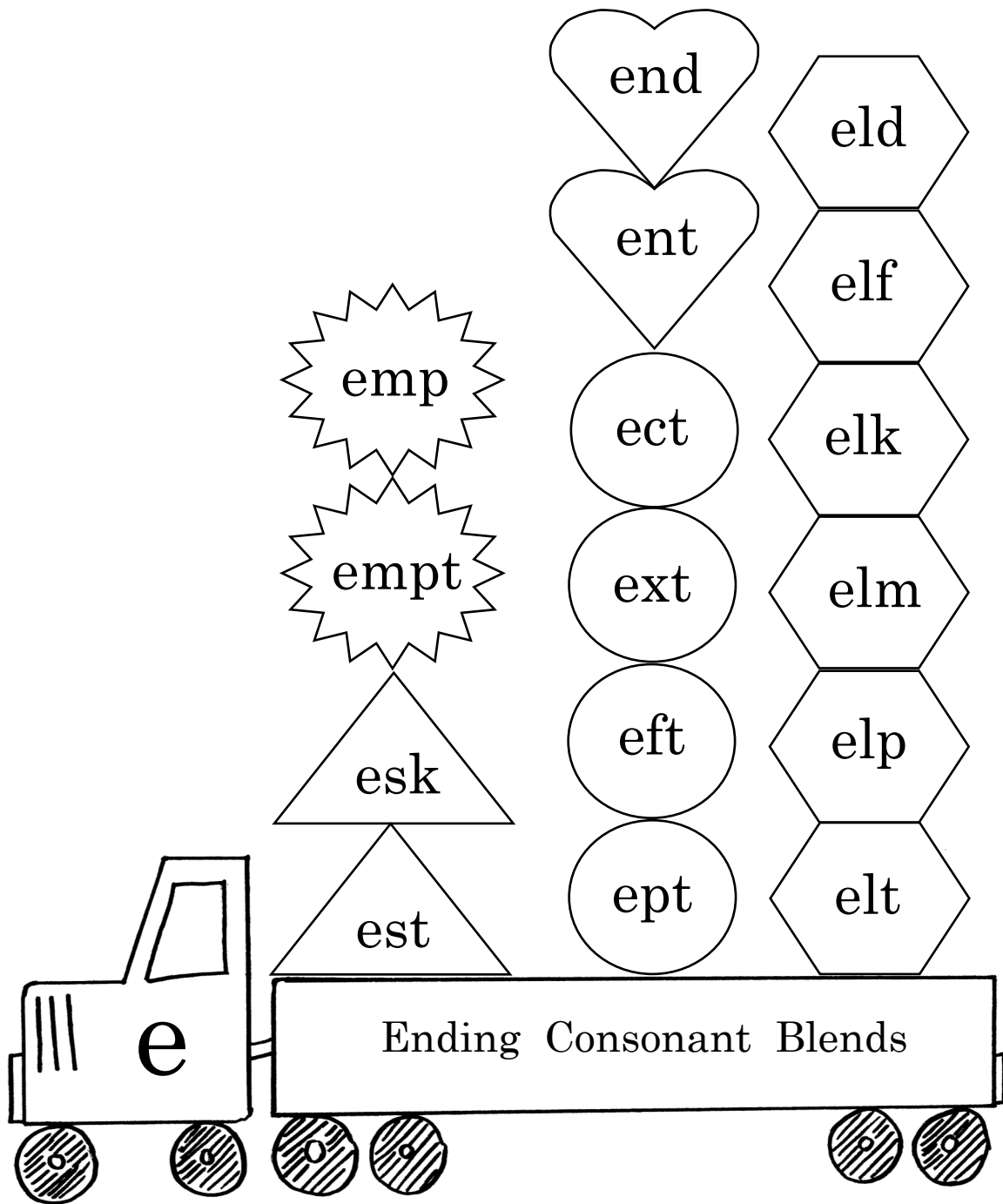
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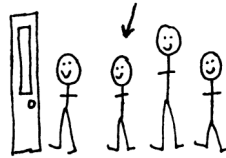
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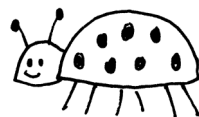
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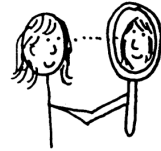
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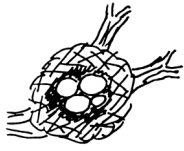


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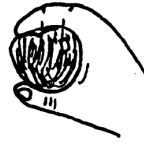
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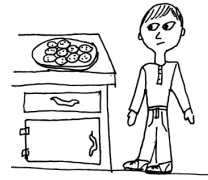
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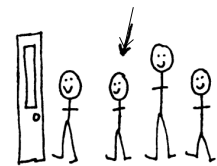
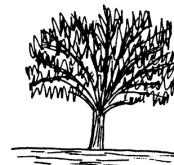
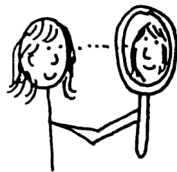
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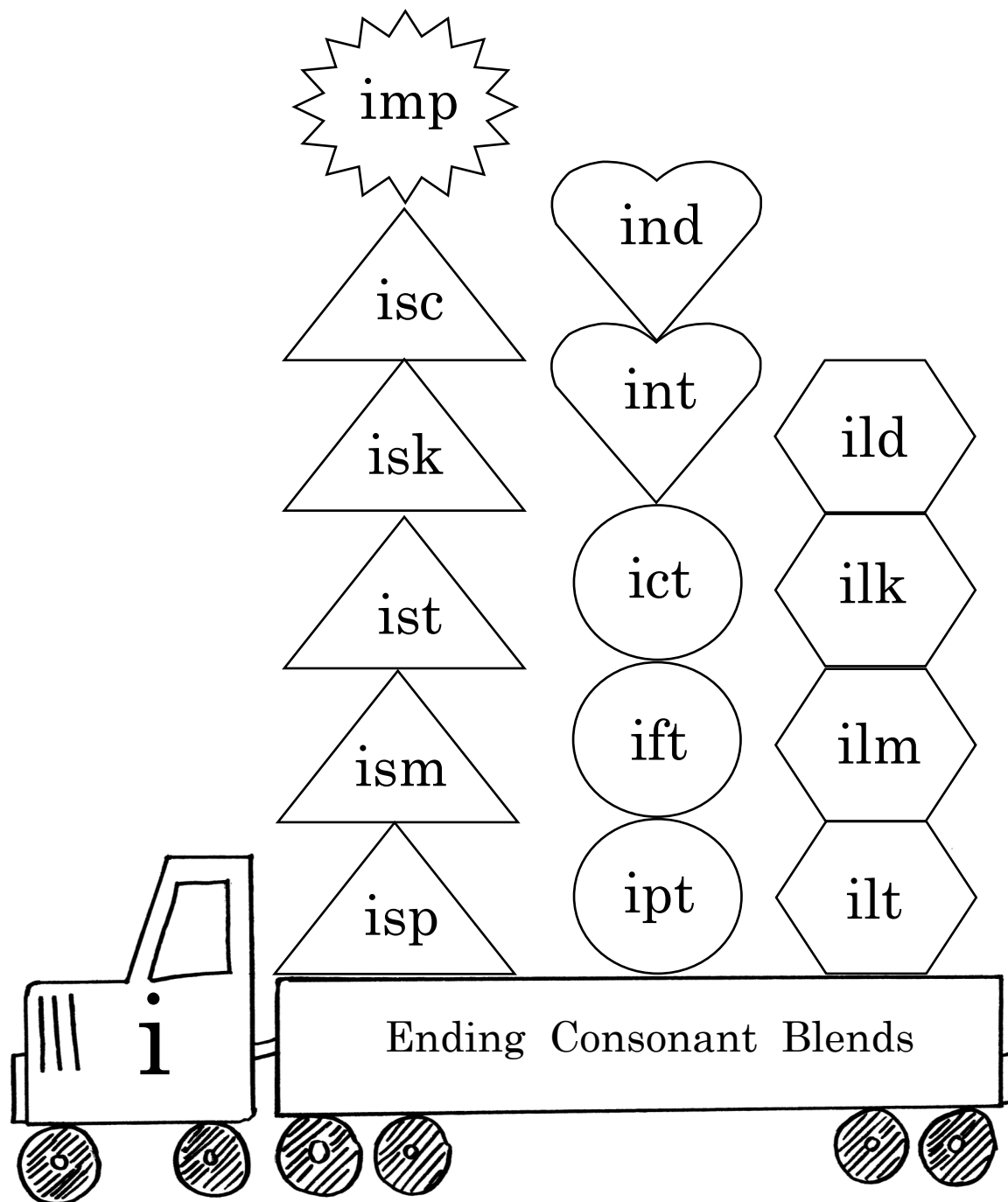
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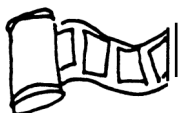
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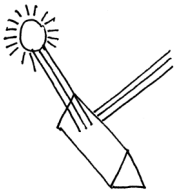
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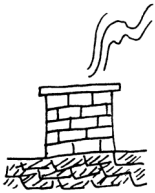
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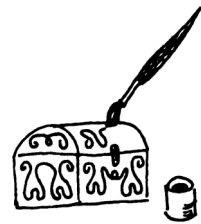
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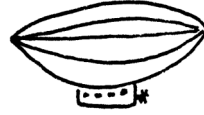


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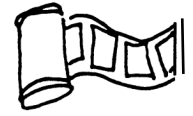
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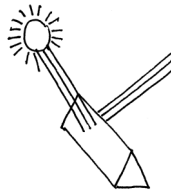
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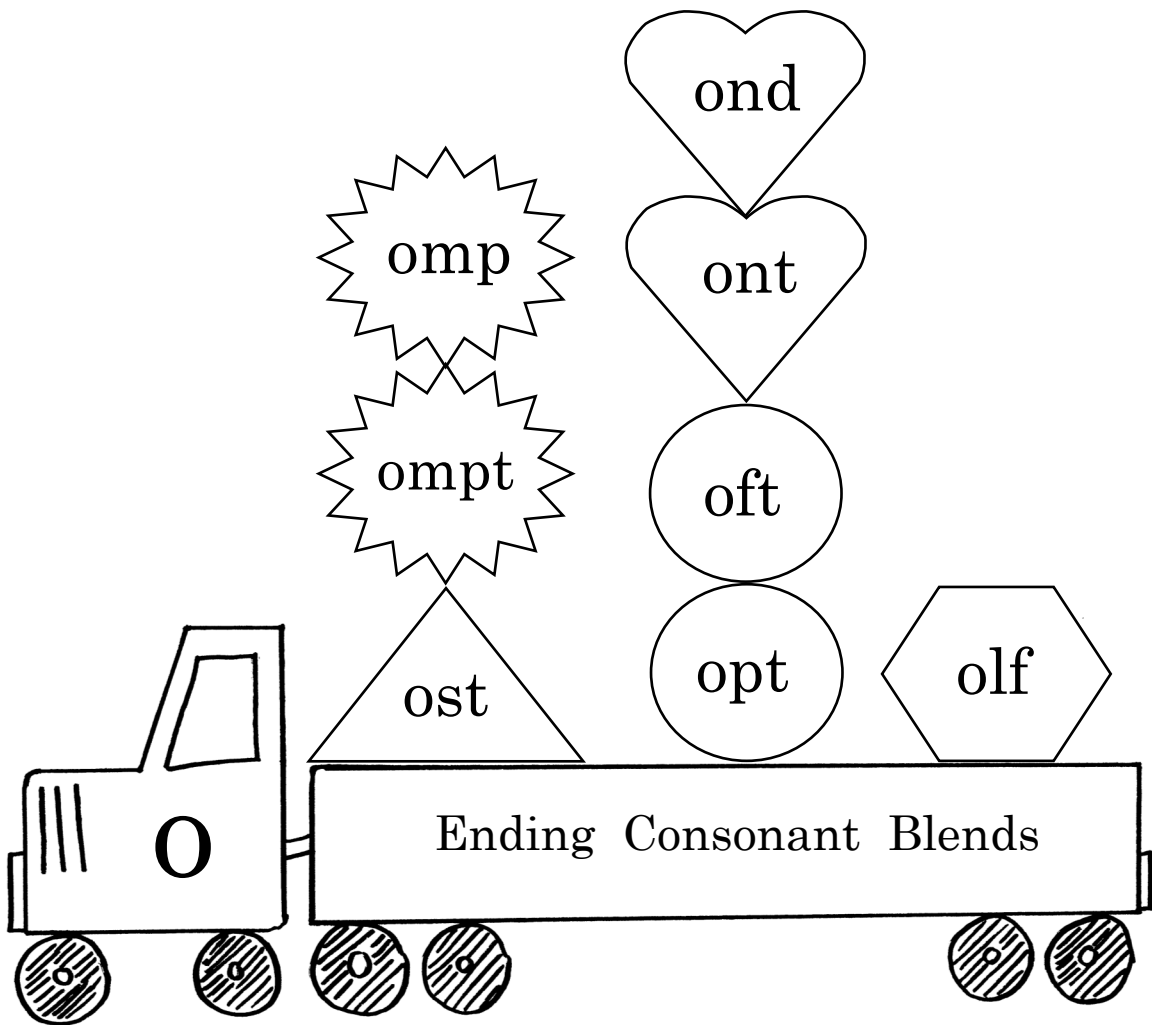
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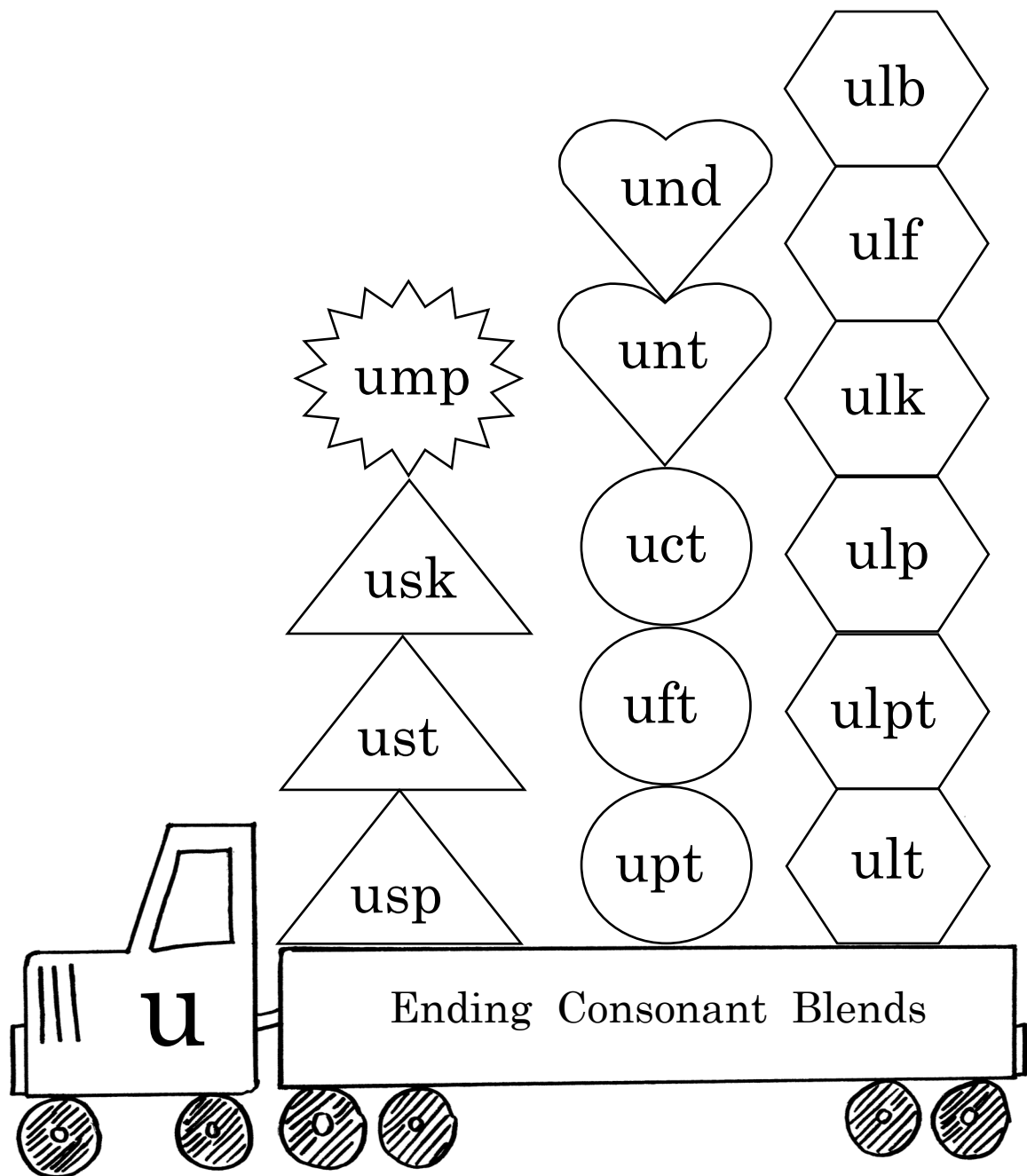


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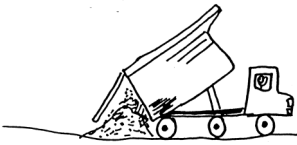
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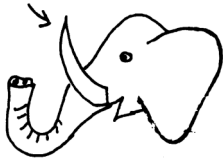
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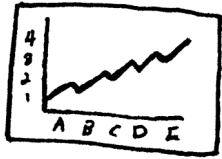
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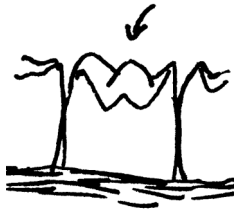
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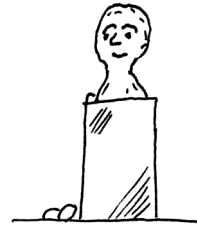
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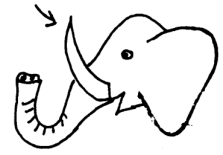
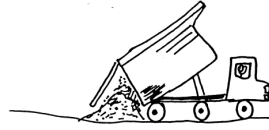
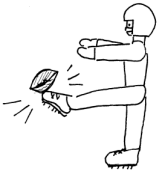


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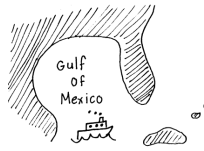
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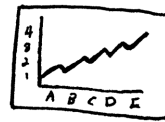
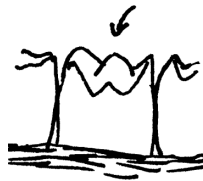
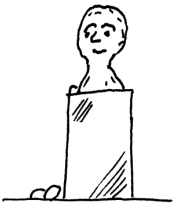
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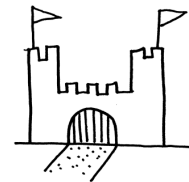
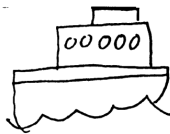
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Consonant Patterns In Alphabetical Order



Single Consonants
Consonant Digraphs
Ending Syllables

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necklace

palace

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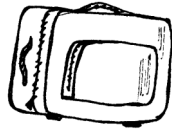
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voyage

homage

dosage

forage

manage

outrage

ravage

savage

sewage

cottage

hostage

courage

foliage

mileage

lineage

package

passage

postage

plumage

sausage

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prelate

accurate

adequate

advocate

desolate

passionate

federate

moderate

chocolate

desperate

fortunate

temperate

immediate

inanimate

intricate

obstinate

surrogate



karate

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necklace

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luggage

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pirate

We will send a message to the king in his palace.

Pirates are a menace to people who travel on ships.

The men fought the pirates with great courage.

Cabbage grew in the garden by the small cottage.

We are fortunate to have all the chocolate we can eat.

This furnace must be repaired immediately.

A peacock has brightly colored plumage.

A beautiful necklace was in the package.

The delegates traveled on a private jet.

_age



garage

garage

massage

mirage

barrage

corsage

collage

dressage

fuselage

camouflage

sabotage

montage

ménage

_age



garage

The young man brought a beautiful corsage to his date to wear to the prom.

In art class, we created a collage from magazine pictures, drawings, and old photographs.

Dad wants to clean out the garage this weekend.

The desert travelers were not tricked by the image of a mirage in the distance.

The sly politician tried to sabotage his opponents campaign.

Sore muscles respond well to massage therapy.

_ble



bubble

bubble

terrible

able

tumble

horrible

table

scribble

possible

noble

tremble

pebble

Bible

rumble

scramble

marble

thimble

crumble

stable

humble

sensible

assemble

_ble



bubble

Sally blew a bubble with her chewing gum.

Mark found a red marble on the floor.

The little girl liked to scribble with a crayon.

The puppy began to tremble with fear.

Be careful not to tumble down the steps.

In an avalanche, rocks crumble and fall.

Please put your papers on this table.

Ed likes to read the Bible.

Ellen is a noble person.

I am not able to go with you today.

Alexander had a terrible day.

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building

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builder

buying

buys

The workmen will complete the new building in July.

Our class will build a tall tower with blocks.

I want to buy a new toy with my money.

Their house was built in 1985.

Mom will be buying the groceries today.

Ellen is a buyer for this dress shop.

A buoy marks the channel in a river.

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dance

We will trace the letters with a pencil.

The princess had a smile on her face.

Nancy is a very nice girl.

We will skate around in a circle on the ice.

Mom will fix rice for dinner.

Rick has saved fifty cents.

I will get some celery at the store.

Do you live in this city?

Sue likes to dance.

Cecil will fix the fence.

Beth has a fancy new dress.

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cent

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dance

How much will this pencil cost ?

What time will we go to recess?

We have everything except our coats.

Mom will slice the bread when it cools.

Rockets travel into outer space.

Grandpa will travel to Greece this summer.

I will help you carry these heavy parcels.

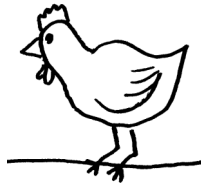
Can you draw a perfect circle ?

Ed likes to ride his motorcycle.

The king had no mercy on the robbers.

Anna likes to bounce a basketball.

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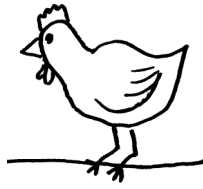
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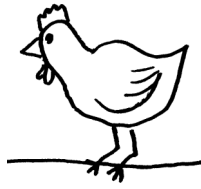
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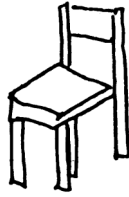
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chair

We will go to church on Sunday.

It is fun to play at the beach.

That old man is quite rich.

Dad will chop wood for the fire.

Sam hurt his chin playing ball.

I can't reach the books on that high shelf.

Why did the chicken cross the road?

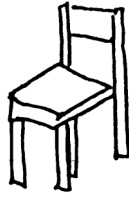
March is a windy month.

The wind was chilly yesterday.

Children eat with chopsticks in China.

Our dog likes to sit on the porch.

ch



chair

My teacher likes me very much.

She sits in her red chair to read.

Which book did the teacher read today ?

We read about chimpanzees.

You should check your paper when you finish your work.

Bob likes to play chase on the playground.

Is it time to eat lunch yet ?

I want a ham and cheese sandwich.

Do you want some cherry cobbler, too ?

Let's sit on this bench under the tree.

I see a gray squirrel sitting on that branch.

ch



chorus

chorus

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stomach

chrome

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echo

Zachary

Michael

chameleon

scholar

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chorus

Many people decorate a tree at Christmas.

We could hear an echo from the cliff.

The school children sang the chorus.

Janet has a stomach - ache.

An orchid is a very pretty flower.

Michael let me borrow his computer.

A chameleon is a lizard.

Zachary will polish the chrome on his bike.

The orchestra will play at the park on Saturday.

We will follow a new schedule at school today.

ch



chef

chef

Charlotte

chute

machine

Michelle

parachute

mustache

Chicago

chandelier

The chef fixed a great meal.

Mr. Green will try to fix the copy machine.

Michelle wants a chandelier over the table in her new home.

The barber will trim the man's mustache.

Charlotte takes good care of her pets.

We will visit our grandmother in Chicago.

You must pull a ripcord to open your parachute.

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judicious

malicious

tenacious

vivacious

vicious

spacious

luscious

conscious

gracious

voracious

precocious

audacious

cial



special

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magician

cious



delicious

You are a very special friend.

We will have our social meeting at two o'clock on Saturday.

That newborn baby is precious.

Your new house is quite spacious.

This apple pie is delicious.

A lion is a ferocious animal.

That man looks suspicious to me.

It is crucial that we make this basket if we want to win the game.

My grandmother is a gracious hostess.

I bought this book especially for you.

ck



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Chuck

bedrock

sticker

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Jack

Jack

sock

truck

duck

back

stick

neck

kick

clock

lick

dock

quack

rock

deck

pocket

sack

stuck

rocket

peck

snack

jacket

track

Rick

trick

brick

black

crack

ck



Jack

Jim lost his red sock.

Ed has a big black truck.

His truck is stuck in the mud.

Jack can kick and run fast.

A hen can peck. Cluck, cluck.

A duck can swim. Quack, quack.

This egg has a crack.

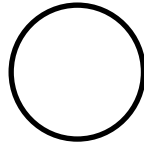
We will sail to the dock.

Jeff has a stick and a rock in his pocket.

Josh will get a black jacket.

Tom has a plum for his snack.

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circle

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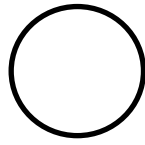
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The children stood in a circle on the playground to play "Duck, Duck, Goose."

Ed likes to ride his motorcycle up into the mountains.

The octopus had one tentacle wrapped around a clam.

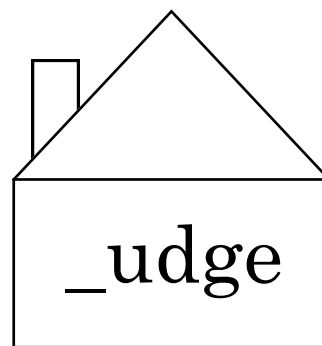
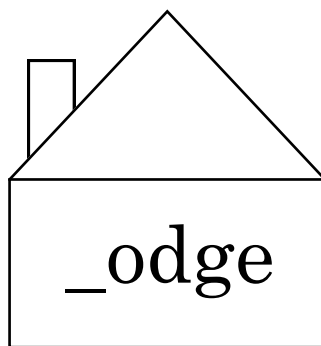
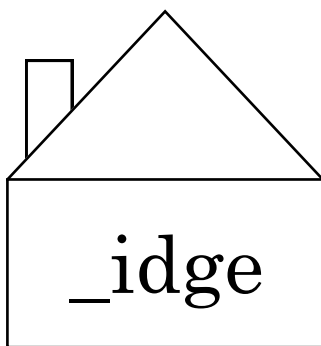
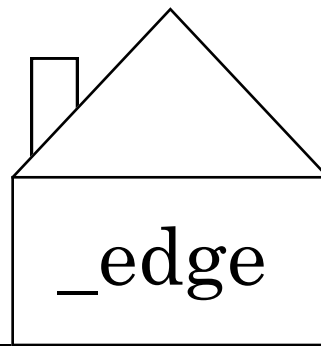
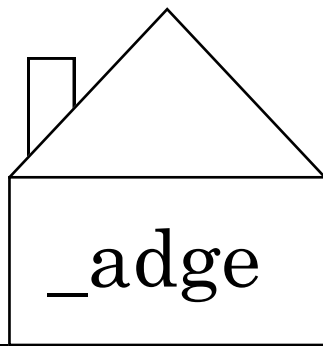
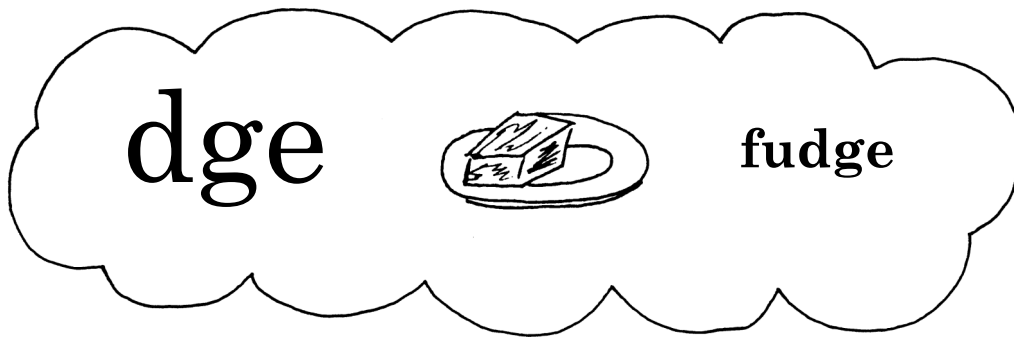
Uncle Sam hits a lot of home runs when he plays softball.

Grace enjoys riding on her new tricycle.

Audrey has a computer and a scanner in her cubicle at work.

Icicles hung from the eaves of the house after the ice storm.

Sara will write an article about women in Egypt for the school paper.



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fudge

Mom will bake some fudge today.

The judge will pick the winner.

Don't hold a grudge against me.

His wore his badge on his shirt pocket.

Do you want to play dodge ball today ?

The bridge crosses the river here.

He hit the fence post with a sledge hammer.

You should cut to the edge of the paper.

Our neighbor trims his hedge every month.

The hikers trudged along the steep ridge.

If you erase, it might make a smudge on your paper.

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ladle

ladle

noodle

bundle

cradle

poodle

trundle

bridle

doodle

candle

sidle

addle

handle

meddle

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kindle

peddle

saddle

dwindle

griddle

cuddle

girdle

middle

fuddle

curdle

riddle

huddle

hurdle

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coddle

puddle

needle

_dle



ladle

I will put the saddle and bridle on the horse and then we can ride.

Mary can peddle her bike very fast.

We will paddle the canoe across the lake.

Mom will cook pancakes on the griddle.

My shoes got wet when I stepped in the puddle.

Ed has a little gray poodle named Pepper.

The puppies like to cuddle with their mother.

We will put the baby to sleep in the cradle.

Do you like chicken noodle soup ?

Audrey jumps over the hurdles in track.

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waffle

waffle

rifle

ruffle

raffle

stifle

duffle

baffle

trifle

muffle

snaffle

sniffle

scuffle

whiffle

shuffle

fle



waffle

The flower girl in the wedding wore a white dress with ruffles around the bottom.

Grandma Davis fixed waffles for the whole family for breakfast.

Bob was such an accurate shooter that he won many rifle matches.

Several third grade boys got into a scuffle today on the playground.

The detective was baffled by the lack of clues in the case.

That organization is going to raffle off a new car to raise money for charity.

In the summer, the high temperatures stifle those people who don't have air conditioning.

A snaffle is a kind of bit used on a horse's bridle.

g



giant

giant

fragile

age

giraffe

angel

page

gem

digest

sage

gentle

legend

rage

gentleman

digit

wage

general

urgent

stage

gerbil

Angela

cage

germ

ginger

huge

engine

gender

refuge

magic

* get

deluge

suggest

* give

* girl

_ge



fringe

range

hinge

large

mange

fringe

barge

change

singe

charge

strange

binge

urge

grange

cringe

purge

orange

lounge

surge

sponge

George

verge

gorge

merge

forge

emerge

g



giant

_ge



fringe

The birds are in a cage.

We read about a large giant in this book.

It was a strange story.

A large dragon flew off in a rage.

A knight took an urgent message to the king.

Will you turn the page?

Be gentle with the puppy.

A giraffe is a very tall animal.

A gentleman should let a lady go first.

How much will you charge for these flowers?

George is a funny little monkey.

gh



ghost

ghost

gherkin

ghostly

ghetto

ghoul

spaghetti

ghastly

aghast

Allegheny

Joe thinks he saw a ghost in the forest.

Those poor children live in the ghetto.

Do you like to eat gherkins? (They are pickles.)

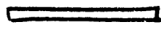
The fairy tale was about a brave man who saved his town from an evil ghoul.

We will eat spaghetti for supper tonight.

They will go for a hike in the Allegheny Mountains.

The teacher was aghast when she saw the children's terrible manners.

gh



straight

straight

dough

caught

through

though

taught

although

naughty

thorough

daughter

We will drive through a tunnel to get to the other side of the hill.

My daughter is at school in Memphis.

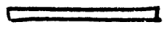
The fox nearly caught the little gray mouse.

Our teacher taught us to read.

My dog turned over the trash can. He is a naughty dog.

We will use a ruler to draw a straight line.

gh



straight

Mom will knead the bread dough and then let it rise.

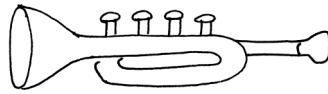
I will help you even though you were mean to me.

Although it is raining, we will still go to the fair today.

Please do a thorough job when you clean the kitchen.

Brad caught a fish when we went boating with Grandpa.

_gle



bugle

wiggle

goggles

jungle

wriggle

angle

bungle

giggle

spangled

bugle

jiggle

tangle

gargle

struggle

triangle

gurgle

juggle

rectangle

beagle

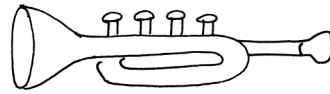
smuggle

single

eagle

snuggle

_gle



bugle

My neighbor's beagle barks every time we walk by.

Please don't giggle while I'm reading this story.

A bald eagle soared over the cliffs by the river.

Many animals live in the jungle.

The tadpoles wiggled in the water.

The baby bears like to snuggle by their mother.

We sing *The Star Spangled Banner* every morning in school.

Is this shape a rectangle or a triangle?

The water in the stream gurgled over the rocks.

gn



gnat

gn



sign

sign

gnu

align

design

gnomon

alignment

gnat

gnarled

reign

gnash

gneiss

feign

gnaw

gnome

deign

A gnu is a large African antelope.

A gnat is a small insect with wings.

We sat under a gnarled old tree.

The vicious dogs gnashed their teeth.

The sign said, "No Smoking."

Her scarf has a beautiful design around the edges.

The wise king's reign was long and peaceful.

A rat can gnaw a hole through a thick board.

gu



guess

guess

guinea pig

guardian

guest

guarantee

vague

guard

guide

plague

guy

guilty

fatigue

guitar

Can you guess what is in this box?

There is a guard at the door of the prison.

I am glad you will be our guest.

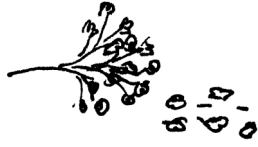
I can guarantee this clock will work.

Jack is a very funny guy.

Do you know how to play the guitar?

Kate will feed the guinea pig this week.

h



herb

herb

honest

heir

herbal

honesty

heirloom

hour

honor

heiress

hourly

honorable

homage

This beautiful ring is a family heirloom.

Always be honest in all of your business transactions.

The soldiers' bravery brought honor to their families and to their country.

Cashiers at this store are paid on an hourly basis.

Oregano is the herb used to give pizza sauce its flavor.

We will exercise for an hour, then we will rest.

i



onion

onion

junior

communion

million

senior

companion

billion

scallion

opinion

union

bunion

vermilion

There are a million stars in the sky.

Brad just finished his senior year in college.

I would like to hear your opinion about this.

We will have French onion soup with our dinner.

Robert is a junior in high school this year.

ice



notice

notice

novice

crevice

practice

office

justice

service

lattice

pumice

Grandpa put up lattice work by the bird feeder.

Ed works at a doctor's office.

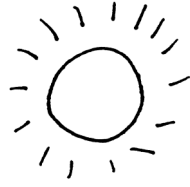
Our team will practice soccer this afternoon.

Mary stopped at a service station to get some gas for her car.

When we went on a hike, my bracelet fell in a crevice in the rocks.

The lawyer wanted to obtain justice for his client.

ine



sunshine

airline

bovine

canine

Alpine

define

cosine

divine

feline

iodine

lupine

refine

supine

asinine

beeline

combine

confine

decline

entwine

incline

outline

quinine

recline

skyline

dateline

deadline

hairline

headline

lifeline

pipeline

sideline

sunshine

ine



gasoline

marine

ravine

saline

adenine

cuisine

latrine

machine

morphine

praline

routine

saltine

sardine

vaccine

atropine

figurine

gasoline

pristine

magazine

nicotine

ine



medicine

medicine

engine

ermine

famine

genuine

urine

imagine

destine

examine

jasmine

turbine

alkaline

doctrine

feminine

sanguine

thiamine

heroine

ious



furious

furious

previous

* anxious

serious

devious

laborious

various

tedious

luxurious

odious

envious

melodious

copious

obvious

studious

curious

glorious

insidious

dubious

hilarious

delirious

notorious

oblivious

vicarious

ious



furious

A cat is a very curious creature.

That was a hilarious TV show.

The man was furious about the long delay.

It is obvious that these students are serious about learning.

The sun set in a glorious display of color.

John found that his previous job was quite tedious.

The girl was envious of her friend's new dress.

The police captured a notorious robber on Friday.

Our family stayed at a luxurious hotel in New York City.

ive



detective

detective

cursive

fugitive

active

explosive

motive

native

abusive

negative

creative

adhesive

decisive

The detective tried to solve the crime.

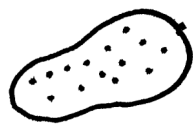
Young children are very active.

The highway department used explosives to remove rock for the tunnel.

Artists are creative people.

Will you learn to write in cursive in second grade?

_kle



pickle

pickle

wrinkle

ankle

trickle

chuckle

twinkle

tackle

buckle

sprinkle

crackle

freckle

sparkle

tickle

speckled

knuckle

_kle



pickle

Justin ate three pickles.

Heath hurt his ankle when he fell.

I can see the stars twinkle in the sky.

Susan has a lot of freckles.

The boys like to play tackle football.

We could hear the fire crackle while we cooked the hotdogs.

Always buckle your seatbelt when you ride in a car.

Jordan chuckled when he heard the joke.

A trickle of water is seeping through the crack in the wall.

Hang up your clothes so they won't get wrinkled.

kn



knife

knife

know

knave

knot

knee

knob

knead

knit

knock

knight

knickers

kneel

knapsack

knuckle

Knoxville

knack

1. My knee is sore.
2. Grandma will knit a purple cap for him.
3. This knife is very sharp.
4. I will knock on the gate.
5. This knob is stuck. It won't turn.
6. Do you know the right answer?
7. The brave knight rode on a white horse.
8. Mike will tie a knot in the rope.
9. My friend lives in Knoxville, Tennessee.

mb



lamb

lamb

tomb

comb

numb

jamb

plumber

limb

thumb

bomb

climb

dumb

crumb

Mary had a little lamb. It's fleece was white as snow.

A bomb is not safe. It can explode.

I can see a bird's nest on the bottom limb of that tree.

Always comb your hair before you go to school.

A plumber will fix our sink tomorrow.

Dad will climb up the ladder to fix the gutters.

Ouch! He hit his thumb with the hammer.

mn



autumn

autumn

column

condemn

hymn

solemn

damn

We like to drive in the mountains in October to see the beautiful autumn foliage.

When you're adding several two-digit numbers, first arrange the numbers in a column.

The choir sang my favorite hymn in church today.

That deserted building is so run down that the safety inspector is going to condemn it.

The inauguration of a new president is a solemn occasion.

ng



ring

_ang

sang

hang

rang

bang

fang

pang

clang

slang

twang

sprang

_ing

ring

sing

wing

king

sting

fling

bring

thing

swing

string

spring

_ung

hung

rung

sung

lung

dung

stung

swung

strung

flung

clung

slung

ng



ring

_ong



song

length

anger

long

strength

angry

gong

England

bong

finger

dong

hanger

pong

hunger

* nothing
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prong

hungry

* among
 _ə _ə

strong

anything

* young
 _ə

thong

everything

throng

Viking

belong

ng



ring

ring

hung

hungry

long

hang

angry

gong

gong

finger

song

swing

string

sang

stung

spring

wing

sting

strong

rang

bring

thing

ng



ring

Our class will sing a song in the play.

Jan will bring us a present.

We will go and swing at the park.

A bee can sting you.

Kay was stung on her arm.

Ted rang the bell. It was loud!

The king has a ring on his finger.

A robin has wings. It sings in the spring.

Ned has a long string on his yo-yo.

Sam is a very strong man.

My dog is hungry, so I will feed him.

nk



wink

_ink

pink

wink

link

sink

rink

kink

mink

ink

_ink

think

blink

stink

skink

slink

clink

plink

drink

brink

shrink

_ank

bank

tank

sank

rank

yank

dank

_onk

honk

conk

* monk

nk



wink

 ank

spank

blank

crank

drank

flank

Frank

prank

shrank

clank

thank

shank

 unk

bunk

junk

hunk

sunk

dunk

gunk

funk

punk

chunk

 unk

trunk

skunk

stunk

spunk

slunk

flunk

clunk

plunk

drunk

shrunk

nk



wink

bank

hunk

rink

ink

pink

sank

honk

thank

think

junk

sink

blink

drink

bunk

tank

crank

blank

trunk

skunk

shrink

stink

nk



wink

I think I can wink.

I think the pan is in the sink.

I think all of that stuff is junk.

I think he will honk the horn.

I think you will blink when I clap.

I think Dad went to the bank.

I think twenty fish are in the tank.

I think the baby pig is pink.

I think that a skunk's spray will stink.

I think I will get a drink of water.

I think this pen is out of ink.

OUS



enormous

famous

enormous

nervous

jealous

generous

ominous

marvelous

tremendous

pompous

grievous

joyous

raucous

mucous

porous

viscous

callous

bulbous

zealous

fibrous

fungous

cumulous

fabulous

gorgeous

humorous

luminous

numerous

perilous

ravenous

vigorous

venomous

OUS



enormous

Those redwood trees are enormous.

Christmas was a joyous event for my family.

Numerous birds flew overhead.

A famous actor gave a generous donation to the school.

We were ravenous after the long hike in the woods.

I enjoyed hearing his humorous speech.

The man was nervous about flying a plane for the first time.

Many gorgeous flowers bloom in this garden.

The dark clouds were an ominous sign that tornadoes could form at any time.

ph



phone

phone

pheasant

telephone

Philip

elephant

Ralph

graph

Memphis

alphabet

photograph

phrase

amphibian

gopher

dolphin

ph



phone

Tom will talk to George on the phone.

Today we will draw a graph in math class.

Then we will study the alphabet.

A pheasant is a pretty bird.

Philip can sing and play music.

Ralph will move to Memphis next week.

I will take a photograph of the elephant.

A gopher lives in a burrow under the ground.

A frog is an amphibian. It lives part of its life in the water and part of its life on the land.

A dolphin is an animal that breathes air but lives in the sea.

_ple



apple

apple

crumple

staple

ripple

trample

simple

triple

sample

temple

maple

steeple

* people

supple

ample

stipple

grapple

dimple

cripple

dapple

pimple

multiple

topple

rumple

scruple

example

purple

couple

_ple



apple

I will eat an apple for my snack.

Will you help me staple these papers ?

This work is simple to do.

Please don't crumple your papers.

You should not trample on the flowers !

This is a sample of my best work.

I see a ripple in the pond.

The people will go to the temple to worship.

We like to collect maple leaves at the park.

We will do the triple jump in P.E. today.

qu



quilt

quilt

quest

quail

quiz

quick

quake

quit

quill

queen

quack

quite

quiet

I don't quite understand how to do this math problem.

Grandma's quilt won first prize at the fair.

We will have a math quiz on Friday.

A quail is a small bird that lives in the woods.

Please be quiet while the baby is asleep.

qu



antique

antique

lacquer

unique

tourniquet

critique

Baroque

oblique

Basque

technique

clique

boutique

opaque

mystique

brusque

physique

oblique

mosque

briquette

torque

bisque

conquer

picturesque

marquee

arabesque

plaque

qu



antique

I love to listen to Baroque music.

This is a unique painting.

His parents collect antique furniture.

The pilgrims gathered to worship at the mosque.

Dad will light the charcoal briquettes for the cookout.

Which mountain climber was the first to conquer Mount Everest?

She received a plaque for having perfect attendance all year.

We used red lacquer to paint the box.

She waited under the marquee outside the theater.

rh



rhino

Rhonda

rhizome

rhinoceros

rhombus

rhinestone

rhubarb

rhyme

rhesus

rhapsody

rhythm

Rhode Island

rhododendron

We saw a huge rhinoceros and a rhesus monkey at the zoo.

The woman wore a pair of sparkling rhinestone earrings.

rh



rhino

We enjoyed hearing *Rhapsody in Blue* in music class.

A rhizome is a root like stem that grows underground.

A rhombus has four sides which are all equal in length.

My neighbor baked a rhubarb pie.

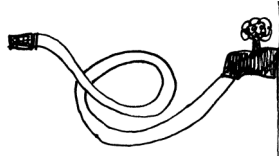
This music has a good rhythm.

The capital of Rhode Island is Providence.

My daughter attends Rhodes College.

A rhododendron is an evergreen shrub with beautiful flowers in the spring.

S



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visit

present

Tom has a dog.

His dog can run fast.

Bob has a cat.

His cat is fat.

Jan is last.

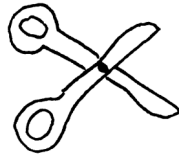
But Jan is not mad.

Ted will visit Jill.

Kim can run as fast as the wind.

Ed is in his tent.

SC



scissors

scissors

scepter

descend

science

scent

ascend

scene

scythe

muscle

scenery

scimitar

abscess

scenario

discern

rescind

crescent

miscible

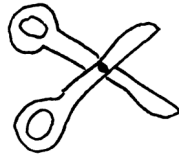
transcend

* ^{sh}conscience

* ^{sh}conscious

scenic

SC



scissors

Please keep your scissors in your desk.

The artist painted a beautiful scene of the mountains.

A dog can find a lost child by following its scent.

The king raised his scepter as he greeted the visitors.

We are studying plants in science class.

The farmer used an old-fashioned scythe to cut the wheat.

The hikers will descend into the cave tomorrow morning.

Exercise will build strong muscles.

_se



mouse

_se



raise

mouse

horse

raise

house

geese

praise

blouse

rinse

cheese

I see a mouse.

The mouse is in our house.

I saw three geese.

Those geese swam in the pond.

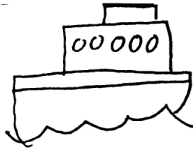
Jack rode his horse around the pond.

Mom and I went out to shop for a blouse.

The we drove back to our house.

Our class will raise the flag.

sh



ship

_ash

cash

rash

mash

sash

gash

dash

lash

hash

ash

_ash

trash

crash

clash

stash

smash

flash

brash

splash

thrash

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hush

rush

mush

gush

lush

slush

blush

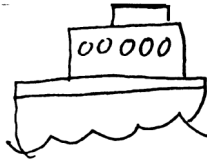
brush

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ship

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fish

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dish

swish

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mesh

fresh

flesh

thresh



shē

sheep

sheet

shout



sharp

_osh

gosh

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Josh

slosh

ship

shop

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shell

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shark

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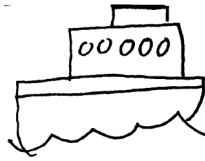
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polish

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ship

ship

shed

wish

shut

shelf

fish

shell

cash

dish

shack

hush

Josh

crash

fresh

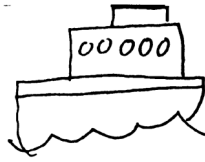
trash

shop

mash

rush

sh



ship

I wish I had a dog.

Mom will get red cloth at the cloth shop.

The trash is in the trash can.

Kim has six shells in a box.

Kim will shut the box.

Kim will set the box on the shelf.

Josh will fish at the pond.

The bus will not crash.

sia



freesia

Asia

fantasia

Persia

gymnasia

ambrosia

magnesia

zoysia

Malaysia

amnesia

Rhodesia

aphasia

* Russia

freesia

* Prussia

Tunisia

* fuchsia

sia



freesia

The man had amnesia after he hurt his head in the traffic accident.

Dad planted zoysia grass in our front yard.

China, Russia, and Japan are three countries in Asia.

We read many famous stories from Persia.

Tunisia is a country in northern Africa.

Beautiful fuchsia flowers grew along the path.

She took milk of magnesia to soothe her stomach.

People who have aphasia have lost their ability to understand speech.

sion



mansion

mansion

commission

pension

mission

discussion

tension

expression

aggression

profession

permission

impression

suspension

concussion

possession

extension

expansion

comprehension

session

compassion

dimension

obsession

sion



television

vision

diversion

conclusion

television

exclusion

compulsion

division

excursion

conversion

provision

occasion

persuasion

precision

confusion

decision

intrusion

explosion

version

immersion

erosion

collision



mansion

sion



television

We must have permission to leave the classroom.

The price of admission to the movie is five dollars.

The spy went on a secret mission to Russia.

I can't see the words on the chalkboard. I need to get my vision checked.

Do you like to watch television ?

A wedding is an exciting occasion.

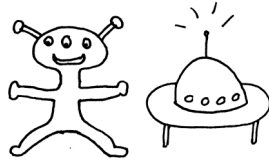
China, Japan, and India are countries in Asia.

Today we had a discussion about classroom rules.

We toured a historic mansion to learn about how people lived in the past.

Farmers must plan carefully to prevent erosion, because they don't want rainfall to wash away their soil.

sual



unusual

unusual

visual

usual

audiovisual

usually

casual

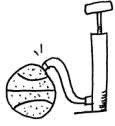
This is an unusual painting.

You may wear casual clothing to the party.

We will follow our usual schedule today.

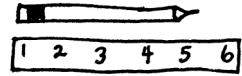
Usually we study math before lunch.

Sam created a visual display to advertise his books.



pressure

sure



measure

sh
pressure

fissure

erasure

censure

reassurance

zh
measure

treasure

pleasure

closure

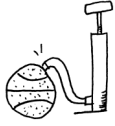
leisure

exposure

composure

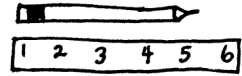
enclosure

disclosure



pressure

sure



measure

We will measure the plants each day to see how much they grow.

The pirates buried their treasure on a deserted island.

It has been a pleasure to work with you.

What do you like to do in your leisure time?

Too much exposure to the sun will give you a painful sunburn.

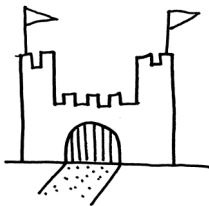
Are you sure that you locked the door?

Dad will check the air pressure in the tires.

Surely it won't rain again today!

I can assure you that you will enjoy the music program.

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castle

listen

rustle

glisten

bustle

whistle

nestle

thistle

trestle

mistletoe

wrestle

castle

fasten

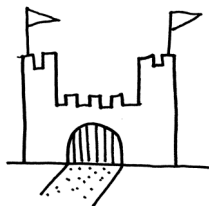
often

hasten

soften

hustle

t



castle

The knights went into the castle.

I often see trains go over the trestle.

Goldfinches love to eat thistle seeds.

Can you see the snow glisten in the sunlight?

Mike likes to wrestle with his brothers.

The workmen will stop for lunch when they hear the whistle.

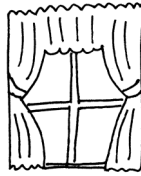
Always fasten your seatbelt in the car.

The children should listen to the teacher.

It's fun to see all of the hustle and bustle at the county fair.

Dad will kiss Mom under the mistletoe.

tain



curtain

curtain

Britain

mountain

certain

captain

fountain

certainly

plantain

porcelain

uncertain

chieftain

chaplain

Mom will make yellow curtains for the kitchen.

Great Britain is a country surrounded by water.

We will get a drink from the water fountain.

The hikers climbed to the top of the mountain.

I am certain that you will enjoy this book.

The captain of the ship welcomed the passengers aboard.

tch



match

_atch

match

batch

catch

hatch

latch

patch

snatch

scratch

thatch

* watch

* swatch

_itch

itch

pitch

ditch

witch

hitch

Mitch

glitch

stitch

twitch

_utch

hutch

Dutch

clutch

crutch

tch



match

_otch

notch

botch

crotch

Scotch

blotch

_etch

etch

fetch

sketch

stretch



bütcher

kitchen

pitcher

catcher

hatchet

ketchup

ratchet

satchel

itchy

tch



match

catch

stretch

pitch

match

crutch

pitcher

patch

Dutch

itchy

snatch

fetch

ditch

watch

scotch

kitchen

scratch

tch



match

Can you catch the ball?

Yes, and I can pitch the ball, too.

Dad will use a match to light the fire.

Mom will patch the hole in my shirt.

Tom will use a crutch to walk this week.

Please don't snatch the book from your brother.

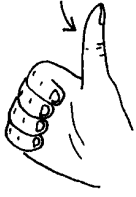
The workmen are digging a ditch by the road.

We should stretch our legs before we jog.

Do you like to play hop scotch?

My dog knows how to fetch the newspaper.

Try not to scratch your itchy chicken pox.



thumb

th



this

thumb

bath

this

thin

math

that

thick

path

than

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moth

them

thump

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then

Beth

cloth

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both

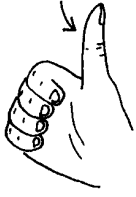
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Ruth

mouth

truth

south



thumb

th



this

This is a fat cat.

That is a thin dog.

The dog will get a bath.

Beth went with Mom in the van.

The big box fell with a thump.

Dad will get them a snack.

The frog will jump in the pond with a plop.

A moth is on that log.

I will rest, and then I will swim.

th



thyme

thyme

Theresa

Thompson

Thomas

Thailand

* Thames

At Thanksgiving, Mom always puts parsley, sage, rosemary, and thyme in her dressing.

Thomas walked along the Thames River when he visited London.

Theresa's family is planning a trip to Europe this summer.

Mr. Thompson's class will watch a documentary about Thailand this afternoon in social studies.

tial

K. M. J.

initials

partial

initial

potential

impartial

spatial

essential

nuptial

palatial

martial

Can you be an impartial judge in this case?

The governor lives in a palatial mansion.

Brad is studying the martial arts.

This is a list of the items that are essential for the camping trip.

That young man is a potential football star.

Put your initials at the bottom of the page.

tient

$$3 \overline{)6} \begin{matrix} 2 \\ \leftarrow \end{matrix}$$

quotient

quotient

inpatient

sentient

patient

outpatient

insentient

impatient

When you do a division problem, the answer is called the quotient.

Dr. Davis went to see his patients in the hospital.

Don't be so impatient with your little brother.

tion

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ + 3 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

addition

nation

celebration

action

station

addition

fraction

vacation

question

subtraction

education

suction

exception

destination

exception

reception

carnation

mention

pollution

dictation

reflection

condition

formation

direction

digestion

vibration

collection

auction

operation

correction

attention

quotation

affection

nutrition

migration

objection

motion

destination

portion

commotion

preparation

proportion

promotion

tion

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ + 3 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

addition

I like to watch the motion of the waves.

This is a non - fiction book.

We will take a vacation in June.

We do addition and subtraction problems in math.

The train left the station at five o'clock.

Please pay careful attention so that you can answer the questions.

We must work hard to prevent pollution in our nation.

We went to the reception after the wedding.

A vase of red and white carnations was on the table.

_tle



little

_attle

rattle

battle

cattle

tattle

_ittle

little

brittle

whittle

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bottle

mottle

throttle

_ettle

nettle

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cat tle

cattle

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bottle

ket tle

kettle

shut tle

shuttle

rat tle

rattle

whit tle

whittle

man tle

mantle

bee tle

beetle

star tle

startle

ti tle

title

bat tle

battle

brit tle

brittle

_tle



little

The tea kettle is on the shelf.

The baby likes to shake his rattle.

I will get the baby a bottle of milk.

A lot of cattle live on this farm.

What is the title of that book?

We will ride the shuttle bus to the park.

All of the men will ride horses into battle.

I see a black beetle on this leaf.

Jane likes to play with her little puppy.

It is time to settle down and go to sleep.

Do you like to eat peanut brittle?

Did that loud sound startle you?

ture



nature

nature

capture

future

vulture

adventure

moisture

creature

structure

temperature

signature

furniture

sculpture

puncture

mature

miniature

posture

mixture

departure

gesture

rupture

dentures

fracture

junction

literature

ture



nature

He went on a fantastic adventure into space.

We like to go for nature walks at school.

We can see many interesting creatures in the forest.

I wonder what the future will bring?

The temperature will be freezing today.

A vulture is a large bird that eats dead animals.

I will need your signature on this contract.

Our class built a large structure with blocks.

His plane is scheduled for departure at 9:00 a.m.

Don't put your feet on the new furniture !

ugh



laugh

laugh

cough

rough

laughing

coughing

tough

laughter

coughed

enough

laughs

trough

slough

That funny story makes me laugh.

Those kids are playing too rough.

Do we have enough food for the party?

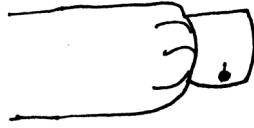
Why is that girl laughing at me?

The horses drank water from the trough.

My brother is sick. He coughed all night.

This meat is too tough to eat.

_ve



sleeve

glove	live	sleeve	move
love	give	carve	remove
dove	have	starve	prove
above	solve	swerve	approve
shove	leave	weave	groove

My gloves are warm in the winter.

I will give you a present next week.

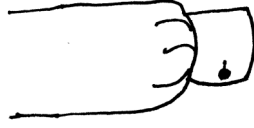
We will leave at nine o'clock.

Do you live in Tennessee?

I have many good books to read at home.

If we don't eat soon, I'm going to starve.

_ve



sleeve

The sleeves on your jacket are getting too short.

A flock of birds soared above the trees.

Dad had to swerve to miss a deer in the road.

We will do our best to solve all of the math problems.

I love to spend time with my family.

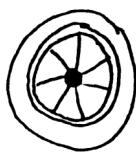
Her mother and father will move to Kentucky in May.

I see a dove in my yard every day.

Always remove your cap in the classroom.

Please don't shove in line!

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wheel

when

why

whip

wharf

whiz

whether

whiff

whisper

whisk

whippet

wheel

whiskers

wheeze

whinny

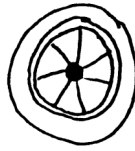
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* what

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* where

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wheel

When will Mom fix supper ?

She will mix the eggs with a whisk.

That man will crack the whip at the tigers.

The wheel on the bus is flat.

We must not whisper in class.

My horse will whinny when she sees me.

I can't tell you whether or not we will win.

A cat has whiskers.

A whippet is a dog that can run very fast.

wh



who

who

whoever

whom

whomever

whose

whole

Who will help me clean up when we finish our art project?

Whoever left their coat on the playground should go and get it right away.

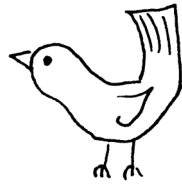
To whom should this letter be addressed?

Mr. White will give a reward to whoever finds his lost dog.

The teacher will give the whole class extra time on the playground today.

Tom will play his game with whomever he chooses.

wr



wren

wren

write

wrinkle

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wrong

wreath

wrapper

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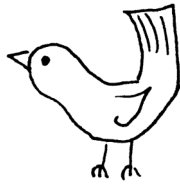
wrestle

wriggle

wretch

wrought

wr



wren

I will write you a letter next week.

A wren made a nest in my flower pot.

Let's wrap the present with red paper.

Drive the car with care so that you won't have a wreck.

The wrench is in the box on the tool bench.

We hung a green wreath on the window for the holidays.

Ross hurt his wrist playing tennis.

I think you are wrong.

Many books have been written about people who lived long ago.

Yesterday we wrote a story about a giant.

Please put your gum wrapper in the trash can.

X



exhaust

exhaust

exhibit

exhausted

exotic

example

exodus

exact

exult

exactly

exalt

exempt

exert

exam

exile

examine

exist

exhort

existence

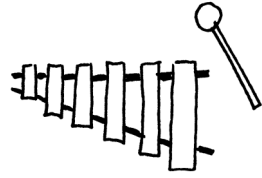
exasperate

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X



xylophone

xylophone

xenon

xanthin

xerosis

xanthophyll

xiphoid

xebec

xylem

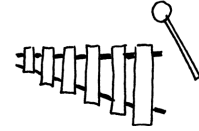
xenolith

xylene



exhaust

X



xylophone

A xylophone is a musical instrument that is played by striking the bars with mallets.

The tiny tubes inside a plant stem that carry fluids upward are called xylem.

Xenon is a colorless, inert gas, found in the air in very small quantities.

A xebec is a small, three-masted sailing ship, common in the Mediterranean years ago.

A xenolith is a rock fragment imbedded in another rock.

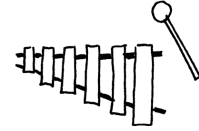
Xanthophyll is a yellow pigment found in plants. It is the cause of the yellow color in leaves in the fall.

Xylene is a liquid made from coal tar used as a solvent. It is similar to benzene.



exhaust

X



xylophone

I exhort you to always set a good example for the younger children.

This morning we will examine leaves under the microscope.

Please follow the directions exactly.

This afternoon we will go to the museum to see the new art exhibit.

The exhaust from car engines is a major cause of urban pollution.

Scientists sometimes discover the existence of new kinds of plants and animals.

After the king conquered all of the countries around him, he sent their leaders into exile.

I am exasperated to learn that he is not exerting any effort on his homework.

Z



azure

azure

brazier

seizure

glazier

We hiked along the trail to the top of the ridge, under an azure sky.

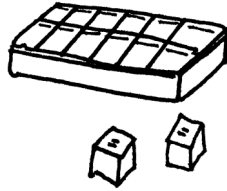
The seizure of private property by the government was a cause for alarm.

My dog Pepper was subject to seizures in her old age.

This restaurant cooks its steaks and hamburgers on a brazier.

A glazier is a person who cuts glass to the proper size and shape and fits it into windows.

_ze



freeze

freeze

ooze

wheeze

breeze

snooze

bronze

sneeze

gauze

seize

tweeze

maize

frieze

The Native Americans used a form of corn called maize.

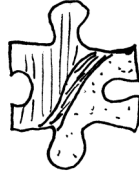
My son begins to sneeze when he is around cats.

The nurse used gauze to cover the wound.

Many years ago, weapons were made of bronze.

It is so cold outside that the lake is beginning to freeze.

_zle



puzzle

nozzle

puzzle

sizzle

dazzle

guzzle

fizzle

frazzle

nuzzle

drizzle

muzzle

The steaks began to sizzle as soon as we put them on the grill.

Grace can work this puzzle all by herself.

Someone needs to put a muzzle on that vicious dog before he bites someone.

Please don't guzzle your drink.

The fireworks on the Fourth of July will dazzle you.

Notes

