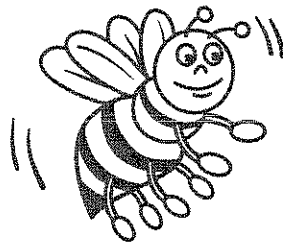


Spelling

VCV Patterns:
Pretest

Name _____

Fold back the paper along the dotted line. Write the words in the blanks as they are read aloud. When you finish the test, unfold the paper. Use the list at the right to correct any spelling mistakes.



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|----------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. _____ | 1. river |
| 2. _____ | 2. level |
| 3. _____ | 3. never |
| 4. _____ | 4. talent |
| 5. _____ | 5. radar |
| 6. _____ | 6. limit |
| 7. _____ | 7. diver |
| 8. _____ | 8. finish |
| 9. _____ | 9. famous |
| 10. _____ | 10. spoken |
| 11. _____ | 11. cabin |
| 12. _____ | 12. wiper |
| 13. _____ | 13. habit |
| 14. _____ | 14. bison |
| 15. _____ | 15. cider |
| 16. _____ | 16. stolen |
| 17. _____ | 17. promise |
| 18. _____ | 18. razor |
| 19. _____ | 19. pity |
| 20. _____ | 20. easel |
| Review Words 21. _____ | 21. swallow |
| 22. _____ | 22. plastic |
| 23. _____ | 23. rumbles |
| Challenge Words 24. _____ | 24. sequence |
| 25. _____ | 25. vivid |



Name _____

Using the Word Study Steps

1. LOOK at the word.
2. SAY the word aloud.
3. STUDY the letters in the word.
4. WRITE the word.
5. CHECK the word.

Did you spell the word right?
If not, go back to step 1.

Rhyme Time

Circle the word in each row that rhymes with the spelling word on the left.

1. pity	party	city	penny
2. diver	driver	dove	diary
3. spoken	bitten	bike	broken
4. habit	rabbit	rated	rapid
5. river	shave	shiver	shatter
6. never	clever	clover	cluster
7. wiper	pipe	paper	piper
8. easel	dull	double	diesel
9. cider	reader	road	rider
10. stolen	swallow	swollen	swimming



Name _____

radar	pity	razor	diver	level
cabin	limit	wiper	finish	spoken
habit	cider	easel	river	promise
never	stolen	talent	bison	famous

Pattern Power!

Write the spelling words with the following vowel sounds in the first syllable.

Long *a*

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Short *a*

4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

Long *e*

7. _____

Short *e*

8. _____
9. _____

Long *i*

10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____

Short *i*

14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____

Long *o*

18. _____
19. _____

Short *o*

20. _____

Name _____

radar	pity	razor	diver	level
cabin	limit	wiper	finish	spoken
habit	cider	easel	river	promise
never	stolen	talent	bison	famous

What's the Word?

Complete each sentence with a spelling word.

1. That actor has a lot of _____.
2. I _____ to learn my lines by Monday.
3. The _____ for the theater's seating is 200 people.
4. Try not to develop the bad _____ of nail biting.
5. He put the drawing of his ideas for the scenery up on the _____.
6. It is a _____ that the actor got sick on opening night.
7. We should _____ the scene and then take a break.
8. This play takes place in a small log _____ in the mountains.
9. I am _____ late for the drama club meeting.
10. Would you like to be a _____ actress some day?

Define It!

Write the spelling words that have the same meaning as the words or phrases below.

11. Buffalo _____
12. Even with something _____
13. Type of apple juice _____
14. Taken without permission _____
15. Sharp tool for shaving _____
16. System for finding airplanes _____

Name _____

There are six spelling mistakes in this letter. Circle the misspelled words. Write the words correctly on the lines below.

Dear Ms. Fisher,

I am writing because I think you are the best actress in the world! You have so much tallant. I want to be an actress, too. I am in the school play. I hope that someday I can be as fameus as you are.

My mom and I just saw your new movie. It was terrific. I especially loved the scene when you jumped into the rivvere. I could not believe that you were able to catch the man who was ridng away in the stollan boat. I have nevar seen anything like it.

I have to go finnish my homework now. Thanks for making great movies! If you want to come see my play, it's this Saturday.

Regards,

Tamika Green

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____

Writing Activity

Imagine that you are writing a play about something being stolen. Write a short scene for two of the characters. Use at least four spelling words in your scene.

Name _____

Look at the words in each set below. One word in each set is spelled correctly. Use a pencil to fill in the circle next to the correct word. Before you begin, look at the sample set of words. Sample A has been done for you. Do Sample B by yourself. When you are sure you know what to do, you may go on with the rest of the page.

Sample A:

- (A) pielot
- (B) pilot
- (C) pilott
- (D) pilut

Sample B:

- (E) lemun
- (F) limon
- (G) lemon
- (H) limen

1. (A) raydar
(B) radar
(C) rador
(D) raidar

6. (E) limet
(F) limnit
(G) limot
(H) limit

11. (A) easel
(B) eesall
(C) easil
(D) esel

16. (E) bisen
(F) byson
(G) bysen
(H) bison

2. (E) cabin
(F) caben
(G) cabbin
(H) cabben

7. (A) cider
(B) sider
(C) syder
(D) cyder

12. (E) talint
(F) tallint
(G) tallent
(H) talent

17. (A) levul
(B) levill
(C) level
(D) levall

3. (A) habet
(B) habitt
(C) habit
(D) habette

8. (E) stoalen
(F) stolun
(G) stolin
(H) stolen

13. (A) diever
(B) divur
(C) divir
(D) diver

18. (E) spokken
(F) spokin
(G) spoken
(H) spoaken

4. (E) nevor
(F) nevir
(G) never
(H) nevir

9. (A) razor
(B) raser
(C) rasor
(D) razer

14. (E) finesh
(F) finish
(G) finiche
(H) finnesh

19. (A) promiss
(B) promise
(C) pramise
(D) promisce

5. (A) pitty
(B) pity
(C) pittie
(D) pitie

10. (E) wiper
(F) wipper
(G) wipur
(H) wipor

15. (A) rivur
(B) river
(C) rivir
(D) rivor

20. (E) famuss
(F) fameus
(G) famous
(H) fairmous