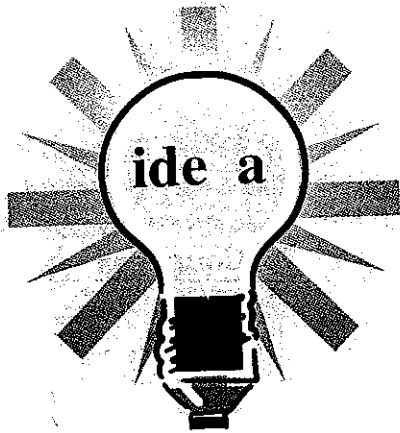


VV Pattern

Read and Say



v | v

- Basic**
1. poem
 2. idea
 3. create
 4. diary
 5. area
 6. giant
 7. usual
 8. radio
 9. cruel
 10. quiet
 11. diet
 12. liar
 13. fuel
 14. riot
 15. dial
 16. lion
 17. ruin
 18. trial
 19. rodeo
 20. science

READ the sentences. **SAY** each bold word.

I wrote a funny **poem**.
 Use my **idea** for the story.
 The cook will **create** a new meal.
 I write each day in my **diary**.
 We have a big play **area** in our yard.
 The **giant** was twenty feet tall.
 What is your **usual** bedtime?
 Please turn down the **radio**.
 Those **cruel** words hurt my feelings.
 It was very **quiet** in the woods.
 He lost ten pounds on the **diet**.
 Is he telling the truth, or is he a **liar**?
 A car needs **fuel** to go.
 The police tried to stop the **riot**.
 Twist the **dial** to turn on the oven.
 Is the **lion** the king of beasts?
 That stain will **ruin** your shirt.
 The robber had a fair **trial**.
 The rider roped a calf at the **rodeo**.
 We learned about the moon in **science** class.

Think and Write

In the VV syllable pattern, two vowel letters appear together but spell two vowel sounds. To find the syllables, divide between the vowels.

v v po em	v v cre ate
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• Does the first vowel letter in the VV pattern have a long or a short vowel sound? How is the Elephant Word different?

Now write each Basic Word. Draw a line between the two vowels in each VV syllable pattern.

- Review**
- | | |
|------------|------------|
| 21. title | 23. wrote |
| 22. listen | 24. finish |
| | 25. music |

- Challenge**
- | | |
|----------------|------------------|
| 26. appreciate | 28. enthusiastic |
| 27. variety | 29. mosaic |
| | 30. eventually |

Independent Practice

Spelling Strategy

When the two vowels in a VV pattern spell two vowel sounds, divide the word into syllables between the vowels. Look for familiar patterns that you have learned, and spell the word by syllables.

Word Analysis/Phonics Complete the exercises with Basic Words.

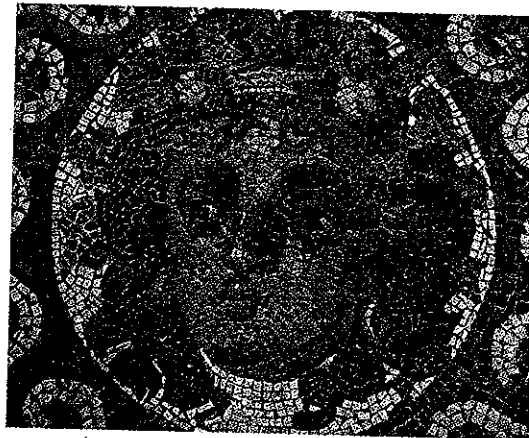
1. Write the word that begins with the [kw] sounds.
2. Write the word that begins with the [j] sound.
- 3-6. Write the four words with the [oo] or the [yo] sound.

Vocabulary: Definitions Write the Basic Word that fits each meaning.

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|--------------------------|--|
| 7. a wild cat of Africa | 11. a journal |
| 8. to invent | 12. the face of a clock |
| 9. a thought or a plan | 13. a disturbance by a large crowd of people |
| 10. a region, as of land | |

Challenge Words Write the Challenge Word that fits each clue. Use your Spelling Dictionary.

14. opposite of *sameness*
15. to enjoy and understand
16. synonym for *eager*
17. sooner or later
18. a design made by gluing together pieces of tile



Spelling-Meaning Connection

How can you remember how to spell the schwa sound in *poem*? Think of the [ə] sound in the related word *poetic*.

- 19-20. Write *poem* and *poetic*. Then underline the letter in *poetic* that helps you remember how to spell the schwa sound in *poem*.



Word Analysis

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

Vocabulary

7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____

Challenge Words

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

Spelling-Meaning

19. _____
20. _____

Hint and Hunt

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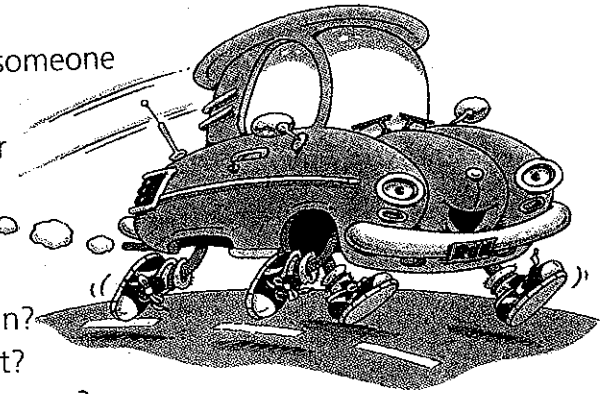
Word Maze

10. _____
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22. _____
23. _____
24. _____
25. _____

Review: Spelling Spree

Hint and Hunt Write the Basic or Review Word that answers each question.

1. What should you do when someone is speaking?
2. Where might you write your private thoughts?
3. What can tell you but never show you the news?
4. What does a car need to run?
5. What has a tune and a beat?
6. What takes place in a courtroom?
7. What gives a hint about the subject of a book?
8. What kind of book teaches facts about our planet?
9. What kind of writing is most like a song?



Word Maze 10-25. Begin at the arrow and follow the Word Maze to find sixteen Basic or Review Words. Write the words in order.

Word Maze grid:

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a p l i a r u n f i n i s h t
v c r e a t e b l i o n i d
t s u a l q u i e t c r u e
a n n t e i p t o i p l e a a
a r e a r e a b a r e a y x w r o t e a b a r e a
i s o r n i n d i a l x n g i
    
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How Are You Doing?
Write your spelling words in ABC order. Practice any misspelled words with a partner.

Proofreading and Writing

Proofread: Spelling and Commas Introductory words are words such as *yes, no, oh, well, first, next, and last* when they begin a sentence. Use a comma after these words.

First, pick a theme for your poem.
Oh, I already did.

Use proofreading marks to correct four misspelled Basic or Review Words and three missing commas in these instructions.

Example: *Yes, I did remember to write a ^{title} titell.*

*Do you find it hard to write a poem?
Well here are some hints. First listen to
your favorite kind of music. This will
put you in the mood to create and will
help you get an ideas. Next, find a quite
place. Last start to write.*

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Write a Poem

Write a poem. It could be about a special person or place, your dreams, or your feelings about something. It could even be pure nonsense! Try to use five spelling words and at least one introductory word. Read your poem to a friend.

Proofreading Tip

Check that you used commas after introductory words.

Proofreading Marks

- ¶ Indent
- ^ Add
- ↵ Delete
- ≡ Capital letter
- / Small letter

Expanding Vocabulary

Spelling Word Link

create

Building a Word Family for create You can build a family for some words by adding different suffixes. A **suffix** is a word part that can be added at the end of a word.

WORD		SUFFIX		NEW WORD
write	+	er	=	writer

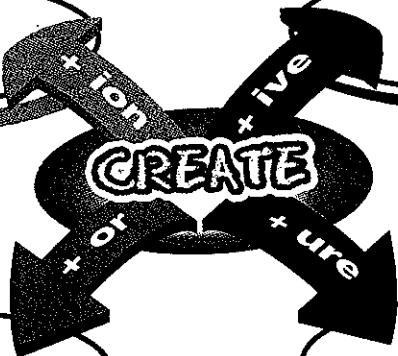
Show You Know! Add the suffixes in the web to the spelling word *create*. Then write a sentence for each new word. Use your Spelling Dictionary. **Spelling Alert!** Drop the final e before adding each suffix.

1.

2.

4.

3.



Real-World Connection

Language Arts: Poetry All the words in the box relate to poetry. Look up these words in your Spelling Dictionary. Then write the words to complete this introduction to a poetry book.

Spelling Word Link

poem

poet
rhythm
haiku
stanza
limerick
rhyme
image
ballad

There are many different kinds of poems. For example, a (1) might write a Japanese (2), a short poem with seventeen syllables. It creates a single picture, or (3), in your mind. A story poem is called a (4). Each (5) tells part of the story. A funny poem of five lines is a (6). It has a bouncing beat, or (7). The first, second, and fifth lines have the same last sounds. The third and fourth lines also (8). Each kind of poem provides its own pleasures.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
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6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

Try This Challenge

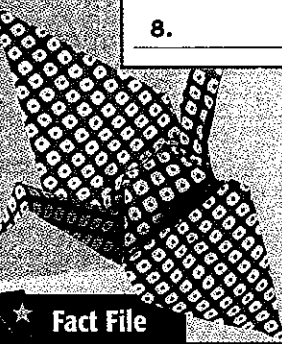
Write an Opinion Read the haiku and the limerick. What do you like about each kind of poem? Do you like one kind better? Write a paragraph that states your opinion. Try to use some words from the word box.

Haiku

Deer, white tails blazing
Birds soaring across the sky—
Summer is coming.

Limerick

A puppy whose hair was so flowing
There really was no means of knowing
Which end was his head,
Once stopped me and said,
"Please, sir, am I coming or going?"
—Oliver Herford



★ Fact File

Haiku were first written in Japan about seven hundred years ago. Issa and Bashō were two Japanese poets who wrote many haiku. Most haiku focus on a topic related to nature.