

Short Vowels VCCV

Spelling Words

admire	magnet	contest	method	custom
rally	soccer	engine	sudden	finger
accident	mitten	intend	fabric	flatten
rascal	gutter	mammal	happen	cannon

Classifying Write the list word that fits each group.

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| 1. rules, game, winner, _____ | 1. <u>contest</u> |
| 2. wheels, trunk, hood, _____ | 2. <u>engine</u> |
| 3. foot, toe, hand, _____ | 3. <u>finger</u> |
| 4. mistake, error, mishap, _____ | 4. <u>accident</u> |
| 5. cotton, wool, silk, _____ | 5. <u>fabric</u> |
| 6. baseball, football, basketball, _____ | 6. <u>soccer</u> |
| 7. pancake, road, dough, _____ | 7. <u>flatten</u> |
| 8. otter, wolf, horse, _____ | 8. <u>mammal</u> |
| 9. mean, plan, aim, _____ | 9. <u>intend</u> |
| 10. iron, attract, pole, _____ | 10. <u>magnet</u> |
| 11. meeting, gathering, assembly, _____ | 11. <u>rally</u> |
| 12. habit, ritual, routine, _____ | 12. <u>custom</u> |
| 13. hat, scarf, earmuffs, _____ | 13. <u>mitten</u> |

Context Clues Choose a list word to complete each sentence of the script. Write the word.

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| 14. Bowler 1: Hooray! I got a strike! Did you see it ___? | 14. <u>happen</u> |
| 15. Bowler 2: I ___ your skill. | 15. <u>admire</u> |
| 16. Bowler 3: The ball looked as if it had been shot from a ___. | 16. <u>cannon</u> |
| 17. Bowler 1: My bowling ___ is perfect! | 17. <u>method</u> |
| 18. Bowler 2: Then how come your ball just rolled into the ___? | 18. <u>gutter</u> |
| 19. Bowler 1: All of a ___ I just lost control of the ball. | 19. <u>sudden</u> |
| 20. Bowler 1: You ___! I think you enjoyed my mistake. | 20. <u>rascal</u> |



Home Activity Your child spelled words with short vowels in VCCV pattern. Read the script aloud with your child. Have your child spell the list words with closed eyes.