

Name: _____

Date: _____

Spell the Words

Spell the words in the sound boxes. There will not always be a sound to fill in every box in the grid.

ground

pout

proud

snout

found

town

owl

crowd

sow

clown



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Word-Reading Fluency






Read each row of words from left to right. Then read each column of words from top to bottom.

proud	growl	flour	crowd	count
plow	ground	growl	sound	clown
bound	owl	outfit	gown	loud
yowl	pout	scout	mound	pouch
snout	frown	outside	mouth	around

Choose a Syllable Division Strategy

Use the space below the chart for your work, then fill in the chart.

Words: farmer, around, visit, grumble, perhaps, begin, sunup, barnyard, about, never, contest, began, racket, contact, wagon, inspect, talent, instruct, second, squirrel, scatter

				
V C C V r a b b i t	V C V t i g e r	V C V c a m e l	V V l i o n	C + le t u r t l e



Connecting Spelling to Meaning

First, read each example from the book. Next, find the word to be examined in **bold** in the example. Then, write the base word in the “base word” column. After that, write the word sum. Finally, circle the pronunciation of the ending.

Example from the book	Base word	Word sum	Pronunciation of suffix
The pigs grunted at the dogs. The dogs howled at the cats.	grunt	grunt+ <u>ed</u> → grunted	/d/ /t/ (id/)
			/d/ /t/ /id/
“At ten o’clock under the stars and the barnyard light,” yowled the cats.			/d/ /t/ /id/
They quacked and flapped their wings as they swam around and around.			/d/ /t/ /id/
			/d/ /t/ /id/
They bounded around and did fantastic acrobatic tricks.			/d/ /t/ /id/
The hogs and sows clowned around in a mound of mud;			/d/ /t/ /id/
Farmer Brown contacted the vet.			/d/ /t/ /id/
“The animals must be sick,” he fretted .			/d/ /t/ /id/
The vet inspected the crowd animal by animal.			/d/ /t/ /id/
“Put the animals in the barn until tonight,” the vet instructed Farmer Brown.			/d/ /t/ /id/
The animals scattered .			/d/ /t/ /id/
“It has not been the best day,” Farmer Brown grumbled as he clicked off the barn light.			/d/ /t/ /id/

When the suffix *-ed* is added to a verb, it means _____.

- A. there is more than one
- B. the action already happened



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Vowel Pattern Sort

Words: around, town, farmer, cow, outside, down, about, ground, pout, glum, perhaps, barnyard, problem, star, owl, downtown, bandstand, singer, gown, bow, wow, crowd, proud, snuck, out, forget, loud, racket, howl, fuss, wagon, talent, contest, yowl, plow, growl, loft, bound, sow, clown, mound, snout, loud, sound, hubbub, contact, fret, instruct, found, outfit, squirrel, count, click, scatter, grumble



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					Irregular Pronunciations	
Open Syllable V	Closed Syllable VC	Silent e Syllable VCe	Bossy-r Syllable Vr	Consonant-le Syllable C + le	Vowel Team Syllable VV	
					Digraph Vowel Team	
					Variant Digraph Vowel Team	
					Diphthong Vowel Team	