

Important words

Practise reading these words together. Try and think of a sentence for each word.

itch	pitch	hutch	itchy	
match	batch	fetch	switch	
catch	patch	ditch	scratch	

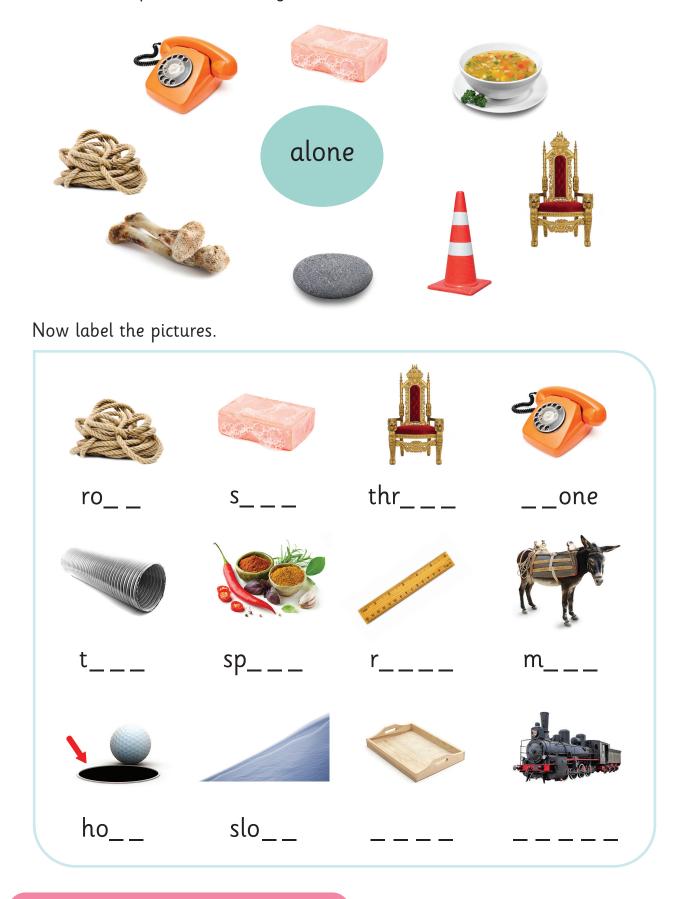
Clues

Solve the clues and write your answers. All of the answers will have the 'tch' pattern.

- 1. You would scratch this.
- 2. Where a rabbit would live.
- 3. You need this to turn the light on.
- 4. Another word for 'bring'.
- 5. A football game could be here.

Rhyming skills

Circle all the pictures which rhyme with the word in the middle.



Verb Practice

A verb is a word for 'doing' or 'being'. Look at the verb below.

I do	you do	
he does	she does	
it does	we do	
they do	the man does	



Now choose the right word to complete these sentences.

- 1. The lamb ______ not live on the ranch.
- 2. She _____ not like writing letters.
- 3. We _____ our homework every day.
- 4. I ______ like the present he bought me.
- 5. _____ he live in the town?
- 6. It ______ not matter if you're not rich.
- 7. The girl _____ not like catching fish.
- 8. _____ they go climbing?



- 9. The queen _____ not have a pretty crown.
- 10. He _____ not like singing.



Compound Words

Read these words and see if you can join them to make longer words.

foot	football	room
book		bag
sun		shell
hot		batt
school		shelf
class		box
week		web
nut		dog
cob		end
lunch		tan

Now choose two compound words and write a sentence for each one.

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postman	would	washed	better	much	could
where	explain	what	queen	hive	work

The queen bee

On Monday, Jeff the postman came to our house with the mail. He rang the doorbell and gave the mail to Mum. Then he said he had just been stung on the hand by a bee. "Oh dear," said Mum. "Would you like to wash your hand under the tap?" "Yes," said Jeff. "That would be good."

He washed his hand under the garden tap and said it felt much better. But then Mum looked at Jeff's hand. It was very red and we could see where the bee had stung him. "That looks bad. It could have been the queen bee," said Mum. "Was it a very big bee?" "Yes," said Jeff. "It was very big."

Then Mum explained to us what a queen bee is. She told us that there is only one queen bee in a hive with lots of other bees. She lays the eggs and the other bees do all the other work in the hive. It is very bad to get a sting from a queen bee. Poor Jeff!





True or false?					
Read the sentences and tick the right box.	True	False			
1. The postman knocked on the door.	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			
2. Jeff was stung on the hand.	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			
3. It is good to get a sting from a queen bee.	\bigcirc	0			

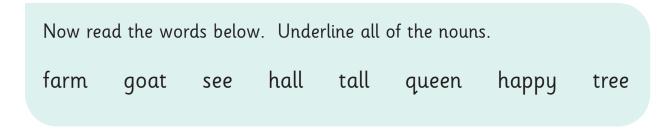
Nouns

Nouns are naming words. Look at the example below.



I put the <u>fish</u> into the jar.

The words which are underlined are the nouns because they are the names of things.



Now label the pictures:



Read these sentences and underline all the nouns.

- 1. I wish we could meet the king and the queen.
- 2. We have lots of pretty trees in our garden.
- 3. Our house has five bedrooms and a small kitchen.
- 4. There are seven days in a week.
- 5. There are four people in my family.

pitch	cobweb	switch	fetch	
wanted	said	saw	matching	
scratch	catch	hutch	itched	
where	football	should	patch	
match	fetched	itchy	Was	
could	itch	upset	says	
ditch	fetch	batch	catch	



Speedreading

Handwriting Practice Write over the words first and then write them again in the spaces.



pitch	switch
itch	scratched
fetch	hutch
Catch	match
patah	scratch

Choose three words from the list and write a sentence for each one.

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