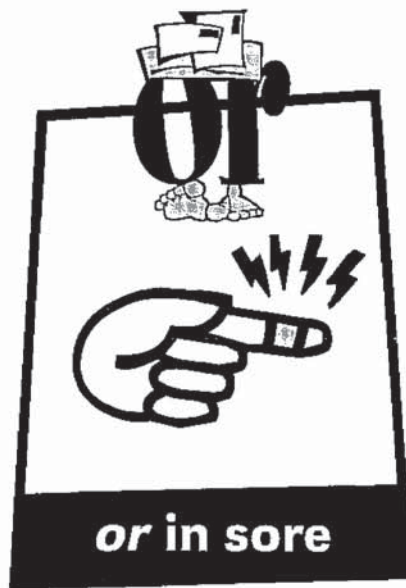


R Vowels

6



Rule R vowels: Car for Sir.

1 When **r** sticks to a vowel it makes a new sound.

2 What sounds can you hear in these words?
car for sir her purr

3 **er, ir** and **ur** say the same sound. We call it the 'soldier' sound.
Hint: The soldier salutes and says 'sir'. What vowel sound can you hear in 'sir'?

4 In American English a consonant **r** sound is said at the end of the **r** vowel. In Australian and British English no **r** is heard. Try saying these words both ways:
farm herd sir

A few exceptions to common patterns are found on page 165.

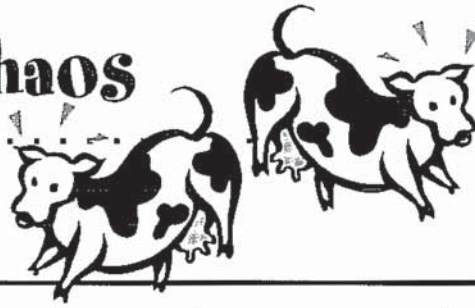
WHICH VOWEL SOUND DO YOU HEAR IN THESE?



ar er or ir ar or ur er ir or ar
bar her for sir car fur
farm firm form burn barn born fern

When these vowels are easy, add their flashcards on page 45 to your Vowel Flashcard pack.

CAN YOU READ THESE WORDS?

Cow Barn Chaos



REAL WORDS
 R vowels: Car for Sir.
  
 car sore sir

start

All Two Vowels Talking games are also available as full colour Postergames.

for 
 farm
 ford

art
 herd
 store

her 
 card
 horse


dart
 bird
 serve

bar 
 fern
 storm


tar 
 serve
 sport

her 
 dirt
 shark

sort 
 stir
 smart

jar 
 born
 skirt

corn
 verse
 snarl

torn 
 cart
 starch

perm
 star 
 urge

bird
 turn
 starve

bore
 curl 
 arch


arm
 spur
 short

Lord
 burn
 chirp

car 
 pork
 skirt


ark
 dark
 first

core
 girl
 swerve

horn 
 start
 swirl

park
 shirt
 spark

more 
 smart
 church

turn 
 march
 churn

fur 
 bark
 merge

jar 
 berth
 chart

firm
 fern
 form

born
 barn
 burn

hard
 verge
 third

Bert 
 Bart
 Burt

sir
 cord
 thirst



home



INSTRUCTIONS



A game for two or more players. Whose cow will be first home for milking? Throw a dice and move your token across the row in either direction. If you get to the end of the row before you finish moving, bounce off the wall and move back in the other direction. Read the 3 words you land on. Use the clues below to help you get your cow home first.



Open gate.
 Go to next level.
 If gate at side,
 return to start.



Green grass.
 Extra energy.
 Extra turn.



Cow pat.
 Nature called.
 Miss a turn.



Haybale.
 Life is good.
 Move one space.

Memory & Snap Pack E

REAL R VOWELS
firm farm form born
burn barn fern

See page 74 for instructions.




firm	farm	form	born	burn	barn	fern
firm	farm	form	born	burn	barn	fern
firm	farm	form	born	burn	barn	fern
firm	farm	form	born	burn	barn	fern

firm • farm • form • born • burn • barn • fern






Cow Barn Chaos



NONSENSE WORDS
 R vowels: Car for Sir.

 car	 sore	 sir
--	---	--

start

tor 	arn	ber 	zart	dar 
larm	jerd	narp	firp	ferk
forch	storp	horge	sterk	storl
 dar	der 	sorp	lir 	corb
terve	dirp	skir 	gorn	merse
spork	sharl	snard	skirm	snarch
torp	perb	birm	torf	ard
carn	snar 	hurn	curn	purb
starp 	burge	snerp	zerch 	shorch
nord	mar 	arb	terb	hort
burg	zork	pord	starb	dirl 
chirt	skirp	tirst 	swirsh	smerve
tark	zore 	jurn	tur 	corm
shirm	smark	barch	harb	terth 
spard 	churm	churk	snerge	chard
birm	borl	dard	zert 	tir
ferd	barl	lerge	zart	marp
plorm	burl	thirp	zurt	splirt
				
		home		





All Two Vowels Talking games are also available as full colour Postergames.

Copyright 2001 Literacy Plus • PO Box 8627 Mt Pleasant Qld Australia 4744

INSTRUCTIONS



A game for two or more players. Whose cow will be first home for milking? Throw a dice and move your token across the row in either direction. If you get to the end of the row before you finish moving, bounce off the wall and move back in the other direction. Read the 3 words you land on. Use the clues below to help you get your cow home first.

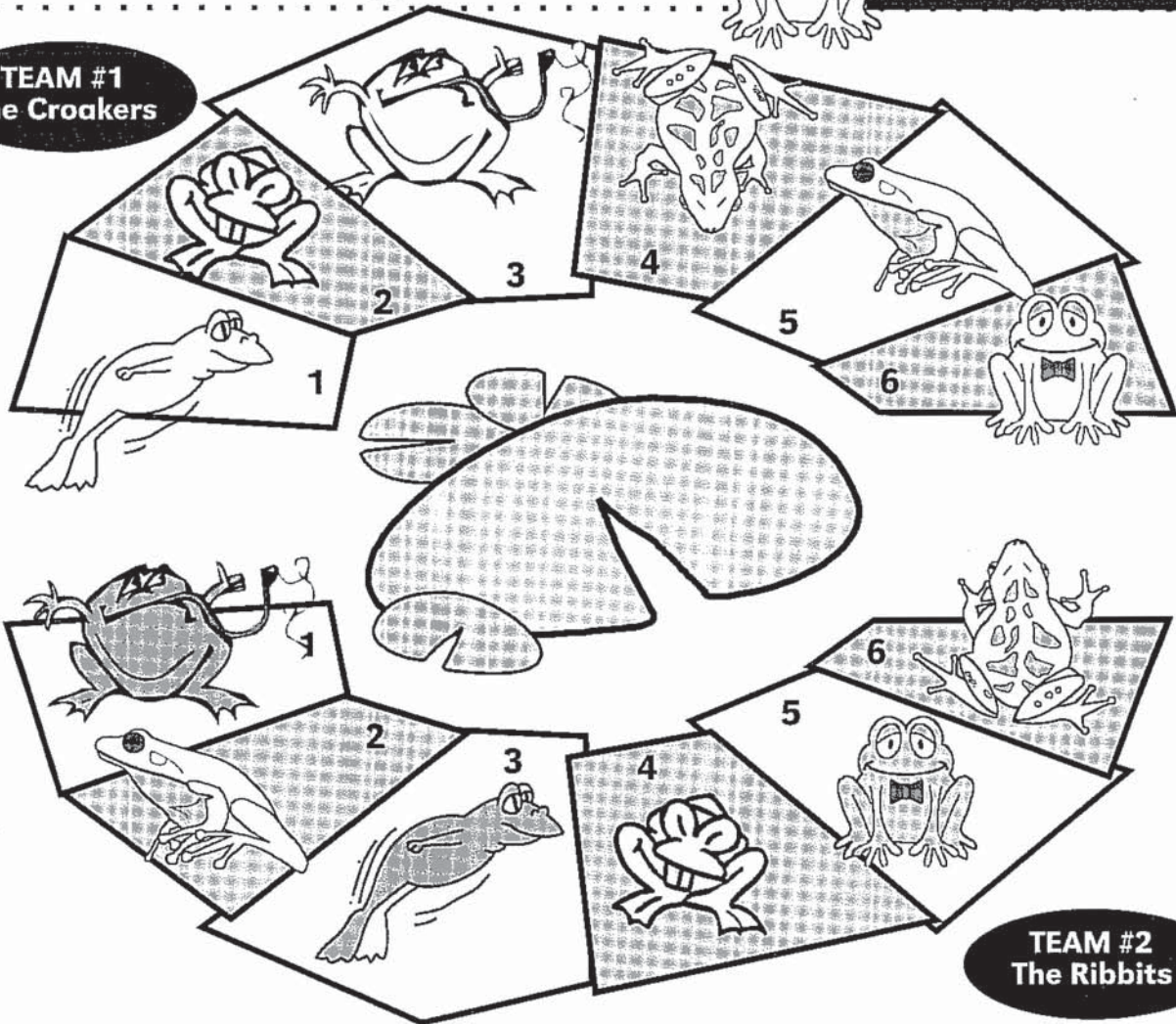
 Open gate. Go to next level. If gate at side, return to start.	 Green grass. Extra energy. Extra turn.	 Cow pat. Nature called. Miss a turn.	 Haybale. Life is good. Move one space.
---	--	--	--

Frarfer's Frog Frolics



COMBINED VOWEL WORDS

TEAM #1 The Croakers



TEAM #2 The Ribbits

REAL WORDS

1. arm aim urn eel sir tie tar for art tea
2. mart mate torn Bert turn team Bart dirt darp horn
3. smirk tried shorn thirst groan burst scrape church snarl perch
4. splurge screech sports snored splint starch swerve sparse breach scorch
5. porthole permit farmer story market harmless shortest porter furnish circus
6. uncertain explained marmalade personal certainly permanent murderer firstborn curtesy reversal

NONSENSE WORDS

1. arp irp ip urp aif zie arn zor erp zea
2. mirp mape larm berl purn peam varp zeak lurt horn
3. smirp plied shorm prirt goal zurst scrate thurt smard verth
4. splurne screet smorps smoled splind smarth terve sprart treath scorp
5. porlen vurder farlor slordy markep varmless shorper porner furdish permid
6. untermin explaive mardernade versomal lurnaidor permanter murfeder flirspen lurpesy renermal

INSTRUCTIONS



A game for two players or two teams. Which team takes over the lily pad today? Choose your team, then take turns to throw a dice, find your frog with that number, read its word list then put a token on it to show that frog is home. Read real word lists or nonsense word lists. First team with tokens on all their frogs wins the lily pad.

Memory & Snap Pack F

NONSENSE R VOWELS
trip tarp torp terp
trirp turp trurp

See page 74 for instructions.

tirp	tarp	torp	terp	trirp	turp	trurp
tirp	tarp	torp	terp	trirp	turp	trurp
tirp	tarp	torp	terp	trirp	turp	trurp
tirp	tarp	torp	terp	trirp	turp	trurp

tirp • tarp • torp • terp • trirp • turp • trurp

Memory & Snap Pack G

CHALLENGE R VOWELS

snirt smert skirl
sprart storp splert
scrurl

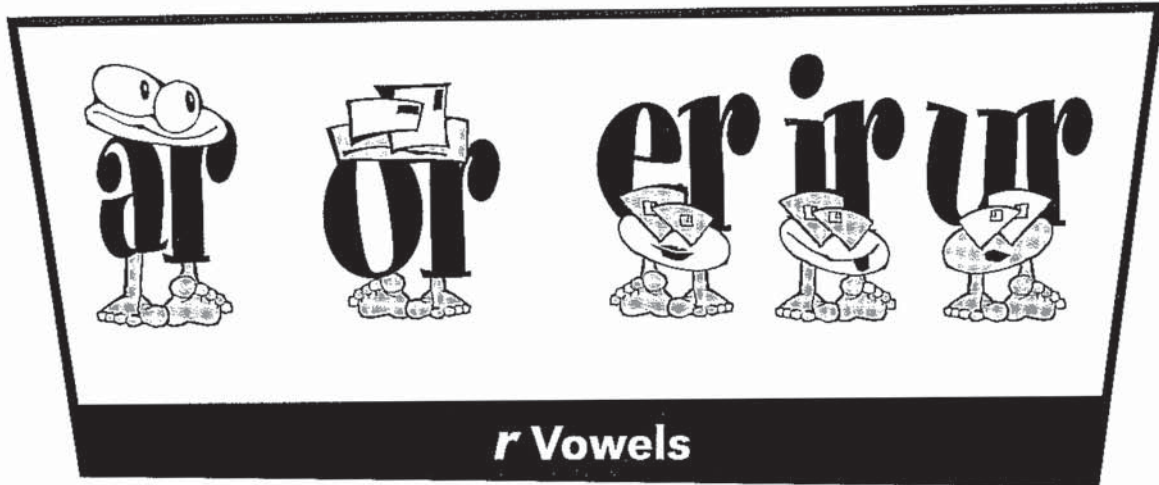
See page 74 for instructions.

snirt	snirt	snirt	snirt
smert	smert	smert	smert
skirl	skirl	skirl	skirl
sprart	sprart	sprart	sprart
storp	storp	storp	storp
splert	splert	splert	splert
scrurl	scrurl	scrurl	scrurl

snirt • smert • skirl • sprart • storp • splert • scrurl

Memory Stretching

Test
Your Skill



INSTRUCTIONS

Read for exactly 30 seconds. Have someone count the number read correctly and the number read incorrectly. Your score is the number of vowels read correctly minus the number read incorrectly.

REAL WORDS

pat part pain perk port pet ferm mean bird
short shirt mate sport farm form fame time
nurse term moan mart herd pain fur burn ban
bone bait barn born

How good are you
at reading these
words?
Record the date and
your score.

Read for 30 seconds. Score = number correct - number incorrect.

25					
20					
15					
10					
5					
Date					



NONSENSE WORDS

meab sorn shorp stirt bape hurp bies nart tur
baip zert garm sorm vame biem surse bap mirf
zain feek nep terg noak herm narm geep furt sork

Read for 30 seconds. Score = number correct - number incorrect.

25					
20					
15					
10					
5					
Date					



R Vowel Awards

Automatic Fantastic

**Super-reader
Star Status!**

This contract certifies that
on this day _____

was able to reach an **r** vowel
Super-reader score of _____
being more than our Super-reader
minimum of 10.

Reward Earned: _____

Congratulations! Now that's a job well done.

ar or er ir ur

Stretch Those Memories

**Super-rememberer
Star Status!**

This contract certifies that
on this day _____

was able to reach an **r** vowel
Super-reader score of _____
being more than our Super-rememberer
minimum of 10 after not having practiced
these words for at least 1 month/3 months.

Reward Earned: _____

Congratulations! Now that's a job well done.

ar or er ir ur