

TIP

Three consonants together in a word make a **consonant cluster**. In many **list words**, s forms a cluster with two other letters. In some **list words**, ch or th forms a cluster with another letter.

LIST WORDS

1. splash	splash
2. spring	spring
3. patch	patch
4. strong	strong
5. thrills	thrills
6. spray	spray
7. scream	scream
8. throw	throw
9. string	string
10. struck	struck
11. screen	screen
12. itch	itch
13. pitch	pitch
14. spread	spread
15. strawberry	strawberry
16. stream	stream
17. split	split
18. scratch	scratch
19. ditch	ditch
20. thread	thread

Spelling Practice

Consonant Clusters

Complete each **list word** by writing a consonant cluster at the beginning or end of the word.

1. ash
2. ead
3. ing
4. ong
5. it
6. awberry
7. ead
8. ills
9. ing
10. ow
11. pi
12. pa
13. atch
14. uck
15. di
16. i
17. eam
18. ay
19. een
20. eam

Classification

Write the **list word** that belongs in each group.

1. fix, mend, _____
2. skin, rash, _____
3. fall, winter, _____
4. share, divide, _____
5. throw, toss, _____
6. joy, excitement, _____
7. string, ribbon, _____
8. brook, river, _____

Puzzle

Write a **list word** that matches each clue. Then, read down the shaded boxes to answer the riddle.

1. This word names a fruit. _____
2. This will keep flies out of your home. _____
3. This is a loud yell. _____
4. This means "hit" _____
5. This word names a deep hole. _____



Riddle: What did the strawberry patch say to the rain?

Answer: If you keep this up, my name will

_____ !



Spelling and Writing



Proofreading

The poster below has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

1. Where can you go to find thrilz and chills
2. Where else but Strawbary Pache Beach for the annual Spreeng Fling.
3. Watch the amazing dune-buggy racers splasch through each wet, sandy dictch.
4. Skream for the winners when they reach the Finish line.
5. It all happens on June 23, beginning at 10 A.m.

Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ^ add something
- / make small letter

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____