

TIP

Some words contain silent letters. We don't hear the sounds of those letters when we say the words. Study the silent letters in the following words.

known wrist folks often
honest halfway flight thumb

Be careful when you spell words like these. Now, study the silent letters in the remaining list words.

LIST WORDS

1. ghost
2. thumb
3. known
4. often
5. folks
6. wrist
7. halfway
8. listen
9. knuckle
10. comb
11. wrecks
12. flight
13. honest
14. island
15. Wednesday
16. numb
17. wrench
18. crumb
19. soften
20. answer

Spelling Practice**Identifying Silent Letters**

Write each list word under the correct heading.

silent b

silent w

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____

silent h

silent i

5. _____
6. _____
15. _____
16. _____

silent gh

silent d

7. _____
17. _____

silent k

silent t

8. _____
9. _____
18. _____
19. _____

silent s

silent t

10. _____

Puzzle

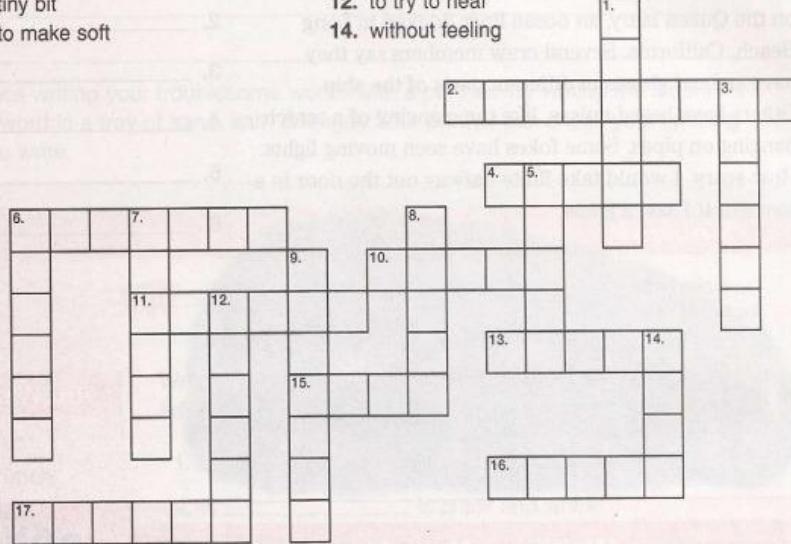
Fill in the crossword puzzle by writing a **list word** to answer each clue.

ACROSS

2. day of the week
4. people
6. part of the way
10. a spirit
11. land surrounded by water
13. understood or realized
15. tool used on the hair
16. tiny bit
17. to make soft

DOWN

1. destroys
3. response to a question
5. many times
6. truthful
7. trip on a plane
8. one of the fingers
9. part of each finger
12. to try to hear
14. without feeling



Rhyming Words

Write the **list word** that rhymes with each word below.

1. bench _____
2. right _____
3. decks _____
4. fist _____
5. own _____
6. most _____

Spelling and Writing

Proofreading

This story has eight mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Then, write the misspelled list words correctly on the lines.

Imagine being on a haunted ship. Well, listen to this. There may reportedly be more than one ghost on the Queen Mary, an ocean liner docked in Long Beach, California. Several crew members say they have sighted ghosts in different parts of the ship. Others have heard noises, like the clanging of a rentch banging on pipes. Some fokes have seen moving lights. How scary! I would take flihte hafway out the door in a moment if I saw a ghost.

Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ↗ add something

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

