

# Spelling Practice

## TIP

The **sh** sound can be spelled in several ways:

**sh**, as in shoe

**su**, as in sure

**ti**, as in tion and tial

**ci**, as in cial

**ch**, as in chinery

## LIST WORDS

1. *insure*
2. *information*
3. *exploration*
4. *ashamed*
5. *partial*
6. *nourish*
7. *social*
8. *brochure*
9. *invention*
10. *assure*
11. *facial*
12. *convention*
13. *official*
14. *machinery*
15. *parachute*
16. *negotiate*
17. *accomplish*
18. *potential*
19. *appreciate*
20. *quotient*

## Words with the sh Sound

Write each **list word** in the correct category to show how the sound of **sh** is spelled.

**sh** as in shoe

**ti** as in tion

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 11. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ 12. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 13. \_\_\_\_\_

**ch** as in chine

14. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_ 16. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. \_\_\_\_\_

**ci** as in cial

18. \_\_\_\_\_

7. \_\_\_\_\_ **su** as in sure

8. \_\_\_\_\_ 19. \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_ 20. \_\_\_\_\_

10. \_\_\_\_\_

## Comparing Words

Study the relationship between the first two underlined words. Then, write a **list word** that has the same relationship with the third underlined word.



1. movie is to entertainment as newspaper is to \_\_\_\_\_
2. wrong is to incorrect as possible is to \_\_\_\_\_
3. dislike is to criticize as enjoy is to \_\_\_\_\_
4. find is to seek as discovery is to \_\_\_\_\_
5. happy is to cheerful as friendly is to \_\_\_\_\_
6. swimming is to life preserver as jumping is to \_\_\_\_\_
7. determine is to decide as bargain is to \_\_\_\_\_
8. water is to quench as food is to \_\_\_\_\_
9. whole is to half as completed is to \_\_\_\_\_
10. innocent is to guilty as proud is to \_\_\_\_\_

## Word Building

Add and subtract letters to form **list words**.

1. in + surely - ly = \_\_\_\_\_
2. broad - ad + chin - in + sure - s = \_\_\_\_\_
3. inventory - ory + lion - l = \_\_\_\_\_
4. has - h + surge - g = \_\_\_\_\_
5. fact - t + vial - v = \_\_\_\_\_
6. convene - e + action - ac = \_\_\_\_\_
7. of + fish - sh + special - spe = \_\_\_\_\_
8. stomach - sto + dine - d + ry = \_\_\_\_\_
9. accompany - any + list - t + h = \_\_\_\_\_
10. quota - a + patient - pat = \_\_\_\_\_



# Spelling and Writing

## Proofreading

This letter to Benjamin Franklin has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to correct them. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

August 15, 1789

Dear benjamin,

I'm so grateful to you for inventing bifocal lenses. I apreshiate the the pair you sent to me. I can ackomplis so much more work with your invenshon. I'm ashshamd that I haven't written sooner, but I have so many offishule duties. I ashure you that George and I think of you often.

best, regards,

Martha Washington

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

## Proofreading Marks

-  spelling mistake
-  capital letter
-  take out something

