

TIP

ion, ation, and ition = the act of or the condition of being, as in conversation and composition
ance, ence, and ity = quality or fact of being, as in resistance, experience, and activity
ive = likely to or having to do with, as in destructive and creative

LIST WORDS

1. *difference*
2. *composition*
3. *electricity*
4. *abundance*
5. *conversation*
6. *existence*
7. *activity*
8. *communication*
9. *excellence*
10. *addition*
11. *combination*
12. *creative*
13. *explanation*
14. *passive*
15. *quotation*
16. *circulation*
17. *destructive*
18. *disturbance*
19. *experience*
20. *resistance*

Spelling Practice

Adding Suffixes

Write the list words that contain the suffixes given.

ence

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

ation

5. _____ 6. _____
7. _____ 8. _____

ance

9. _____ 10. _____
11. _____

ion

12. _____
13. _____

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14. _____ 15. _____
16. _____

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17. _____ 18. _____

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19. _____ 20. _____

Missing Words

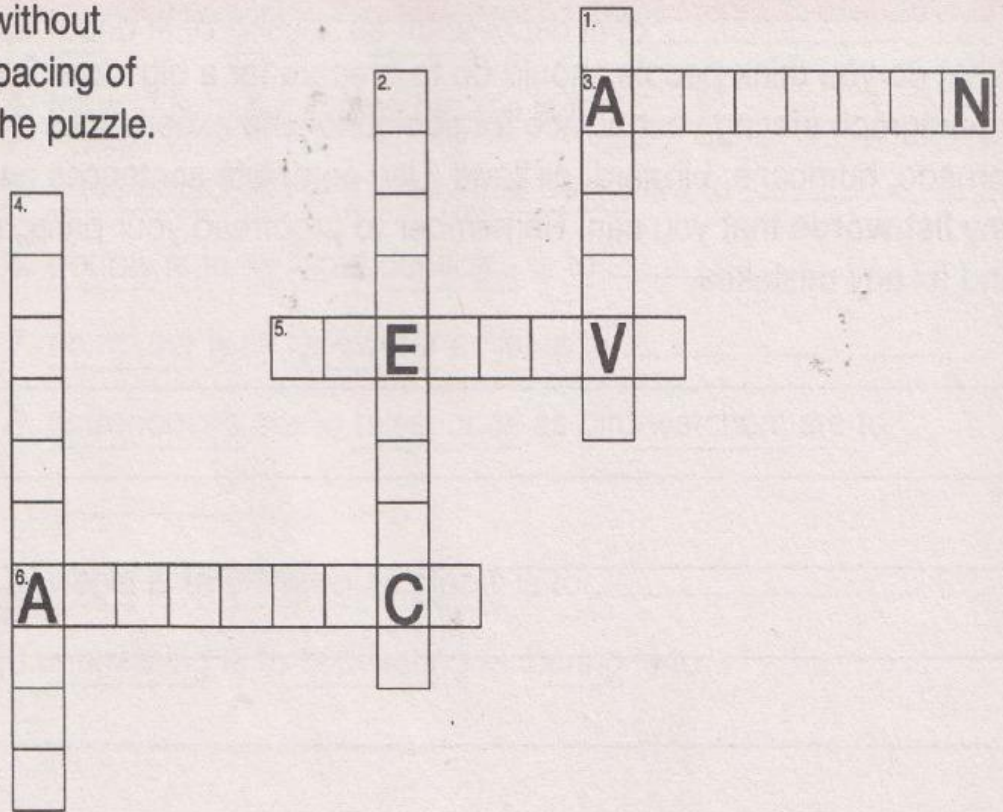
Write the **list word** that belongs in each sentence.



1. Soccer is a recreational _____.
2. The _____ storm caused heavy damage.
3. Tom's _____ as a tutor will help him to be a teacher.
4. The heart controls the _____ of blood.
5. The title of his _____ was "Sources of Energy."
6. The telephone is a _____ tool.
7. Winnie received an award for _____ in science.
8. The _____ of computer technology has greatly helped weather prediction.
9. I memorized the _____ to the lock for my locker.
10. Our long-distance phone _____ lasted an hour!
11. We needed a more detailed _____ to fully understand how the machine worked.
12. That group was asked to leave because they were causing a _____.
13. We take _____ for granted until the power goes out.
14. I'm going to cite this famous _____ by Albert Einstein.

Puzzle

This is a crossword puzzle without clues. Use the length and spacing of six **list words** to complete the puzzle.



Spelling and Writing

Proofreading

The news report below has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

The tornado that swooped through the area last night was quite a destruktive storm As one resident described it, I heard a roar like a huge freight train, and then it hit." A conversashion with another witness resulted in this quoetasion: "My daughter Anna and I ran for the cellar as the electrिसity flickered, and the tornado tore off the roof.

It was a very frightening experience for many residents. Camunication systems were knocked out for several hours until the disturbence passed.

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

Proofreading Marks

-  spelling mistake
-  add something
-  add quotation marks
-  insert paragraph

