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Spelling: Words with the Sounds of **k**, **kw**, and **n**

Sometimes a sound is not spelled the way you expect. In the word earthquake, the sound for **kw** is spelled with the letter **qu**. The **n** sound in knocked is spelled with **kn**. The **k** sound can be spelled several ways: with **k** as in shake; with **ch**, as in mechanic; and **ck**, as in quickly

Write each list word under the correct heading.

kn spells the sound of **n**

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

k spells the sound of **k**

5. _____ 6. _____
7. _____

ch spells the sound of **k**

8. _____ 9. _____
10. _____ 11. _____

ck spells the sound of **k**

12. _____ 13. _____
14. _____

qu spells the sound of **kw**

15. _____ 16. _____
17. _____ 18. _____
19. _____ 20. _____
21. _____ 22. _____
23. _____



List Words

quiet
aches
shake
knocked
jacket
quarter
quickly
knowing
quarrel
speaker
questions
kneeling
earthquake
mechanic
orchestra
knothole
inquire
sequence
require
character