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Language Skills

Syllables

FACTSUMO | SYLLABLE RULE 1

All syllables have at least one vowel.



The number of syllables in a word = The number of vowel sounds you hear



Ba-na-na



Wa-ter-mel-on

Words are made up of parts or syllables. You can clap to determine how many syllables or beats a word has.



Clap as you say the word 'banana'. You clapped 3 times, so the word 'banana' has 3 syllables.



Now clap as you say the word 'watermelon'. You clapped 4 times so that means that the word 'watermelon' has 4 syllables.

Let's watch a video about syllables.



Let's practice. Say and clap each word. Select how many syllables each word has.

Example: money 2

1. park _____

6. proper _____

2. wheelbarrow _____

7. reality _____

3. charge _____

8. fact _____

4. pattern _____

9. character _____

5. Columbus _____

10. subtract _____

Section B. Write the number of syllables for each word on the line.

11. favorite _____

12. carefully _____

14. ocean _____

15. stood _____

Section C. Write your own word to correctly complete each category.

1 syllable word	2 syllable word	3 syllable word
16. _____	18. _____	20. _____
17. _____	19. _____	_____