

TIP

When one or more vowels come before the letter **r** in a word, the sound of the vowels can change. Listen for these vowel sounds in the **list words**.

ar sound as in start

ir sound as in year, cheer

or sound as in fork, court

er sound as in chair, care

LIST WORDS

1. year	<u>year</u>
2. care	<u>care</u>
3. large	<u>large</u>
4. start	<u>start</u>
5. before	<u>before</u>
6. order	<u>order</u>
7. party	<u>party</u>
8. fork	<u>fork</u>
9. cheer	<u>cheer</u>
10. chair	<u>chair</u>
11. garden	<u>garden</u>
12. morning	<u>morning</u>
13. compare	<u>compare</u>
14. clear	<u>clear</u>
15. appear	<u>appear</u>
16. court	<u>court</u>
17. course	<u>course</u>
18. pour	<u>pour</u>
19. prepare	<u>prepare</u>
20. fearless	<u>fearless</u>

Spelling Practice

Vowels with r

Write each **list word** under the correct heading.

ar sound as in far **er** sound as in air

1. _____	12. _____
2. _____	13. _____
3. _____	14. _____
4. _____	15. _____

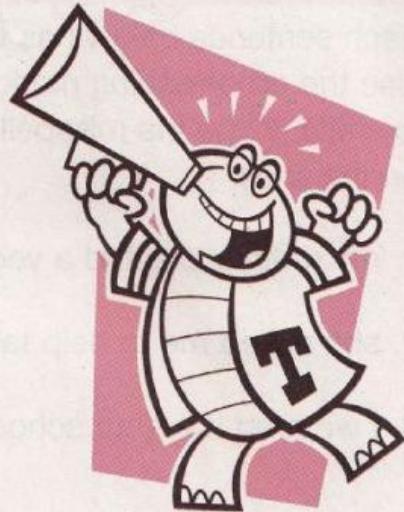
or sound as in for **ir** sound as in ear

5. _____	16. _____
6. _____	17. _____
7. _____	18. _____
8. _____	19. _____
9. _____	20. _____
10. _____	
11. _____	

Classification

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

1. day, month, _____
2. big, huge, _____
3. celebration, gathering, _____
4. yell, shout, _____
5. desk, table, _____
6. fix up, get ready, _____
7. stadium, arena, _____
8. brave, courageous, _____
9. race, route, _____

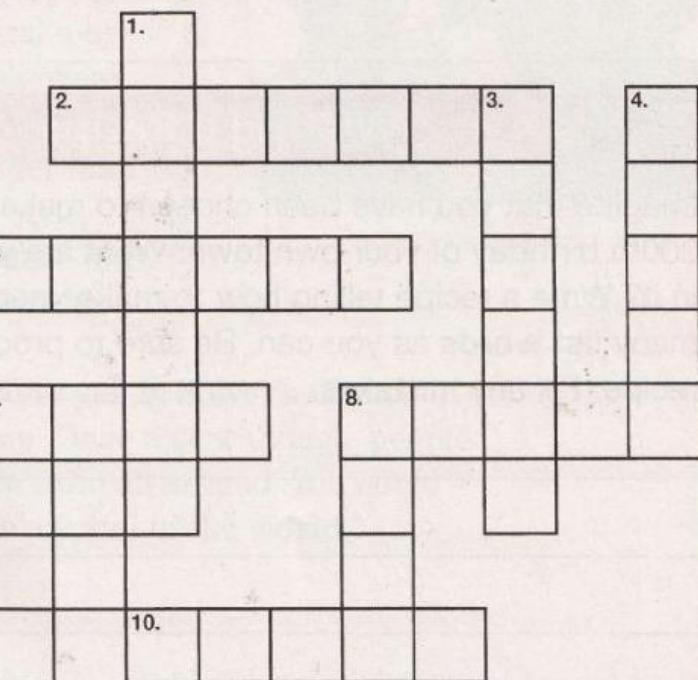


Puzzle

Write the **list word** whose meaning matches each clue.

ACROSS

2. the early part of the day
5. to come into sight
6. earlier than
8. shout for joy
9. to begin
10. the way things are done



DOWN

1. to describe as being the same
3. a place for growing plants
4. without clouds
7. a tool for eating
8. to watch over

Spelling and Writing



Proofreading

Each sentence below has two mistakes.

Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ☰ capital letter

1. my mother planted a vegetable gardin last year. 1. _____
2. she asked me to help take kare of it. 2. _____
3. I watered it befour school every mornin. 3. _____
4. i made sure to keep the weeds cler. 4. _____
5. The vegetables grew very larje that yer. 5. _____