

TIP

Sometimes a sound is not spelled the way you would expect. In the word **earthquake** the sound for **kw** is spelled with the letters **qu**. The sound **k** is spelled several different ways: /k/, after a short vowel **actor**; /k/ preceded by a double vowel as in **soak**. The double letter **c** pronounced as /k/ comes after a short vowel, as in **broccoli**.

LIST WORDS

1. earthquake
2. jacket
3. sequence
4. require
5. broccoli
6. quarrel
7. questions
8. direction
9. occupy
10. inquire
11. speaker
12. actor
13. quarter
14. hiccup
15. culture
16. clockwise
17. account
18. knocked
19. qualify
20. hammock

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Spelling Practice



Words with the sound the sound of /k/

Write each **list word** under the correct heading. You will use some words more than once.

c spells the sound of **k**.

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

ck spells the sound of **k**.

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

qu spells the sound of **k**

9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____

cc spells the sound of **k**

17. _____
18. _____
19. _____
20. _____

k spells the sound of **k**

21. _____
22. _____