



## WORD DOMAINS - CRY & LAUGH



Complete the sentences with an appropriate form of verbs from the word domains of “laugh” and “cry.” The first letter is provided. Notice that in some cases, the verbs have been used with another meaning than their basic denotation.

1. Quit **m**\_\_\_\_\_ and finish your dinner!
2. The poor child **b**\_\_\_\_\_ because she had fallen and skinned her knee.
3. The two old men **c**\_\_\_\_\_ merrily as they recalled their times in high school and the adventures they shared so many years before.
4. Her last performance was a major success: not only did the critics positively comment on it, but also the audience **r**\_\_\_\_\_ with laughter.
5. We were all joking and **g**\_\_\_\_\_ nervously like little kids as we waited for the ceremony to begin.
6. The sound of mosquitoes **w**\_\_\_\_\_ near you at night can drive anyone insane!
7. As she walked down the aisle, chaperoned by her handsome father, the bride **b**\_\_\_\_\_ at everyone. You could tell that she felt the happiest woman on Earth.
8. I found the little monkey all wet and dirty beside a country road. As tried to touch it, the poor creature gave a pathetic little **w**\_\_\_\_\_.

\*Some sentences have been adapted from Merriam-Webster's dictionary and CNN.