

DIVIDING WORDS INTO SYLLABLES

Drag and drop the words into the box according to the number of vowel sounds each one has.

came

careful

plain

paint

sailing

decorate

breaking

detective

One

Two

Three

Choose the rule according to the correct way to divide it into syllables.

hopping

consistent

bitter

enchanted

fantastic

pillow

children

misconduct

1. When we have digraphs, we keep them together in the same syllable.

2. When a word has two repeated consonants together, we divide them into different syllables.

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Syllable

Syllables are parts or pieces of words. Some words have just one syllable, while others can have several. Each syllable has a vowel sound.

Instructions: Read and divide each word by putting a hyphen (-) symbol between each syllable and write how many syllables are in each word.

Example: Atlantic	At-lan-tic	3
1. public		
2. album		
3. misfit		
4. nutmeg		
5. basket		
6. wishbone		
7. accomplish		
8. velvet		
9. basketball		
10. dinner		