

## TIP

The **k** sound can be spelled several different ways:

**k**, as in keyboard;  
**ck**, as in locksmith;  
**que**, as in technique;  
**ch**, as in chorus.

The **kw** sound is spelled **qu**, as in quantity and banquet. The **n** sound is sometimes spelled **kn**, as in knowledge and knelt.

## LIST WORDS

1. *echoes*
2. *chorus*
3. *chemistry*
4. *qualify*
5. *acknowledge*
6. *remarkable*
7. *locksmith*
8. *quantity*
9. *technical*
10. *banquet*
11. *knowledge*
12. *required*
13. *keyboard*
14. *chrome*
15. *antique*
16. *knelt*
17. *headache*
18. *unique*
19. *schedule*
20. *technique*

# Spelling Practice

## Words with the Sound of **k**, **kw**, and **n**

Write the **list words** that contain the sound given. You will write two words twice.

**k** spells the sound of **k**, as in king

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

**ch** spells the sound of **k**, as in chord

3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_

**ck** spells the sound of **k**, as in deck

11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_

**que** spells the sound of **k**, as in boutique

13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_

**kn** spells the sound of **n**; as in knife

16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_

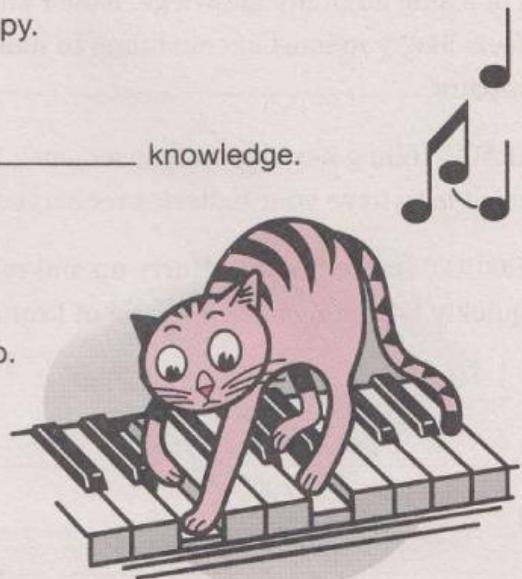
**qu** spells the sound of **kw**, as in quite

19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_
21. \_\_\_\_\_
22. \_\_\_\_\_

## Missing Words

Write the **list word** that completes each sentence.

1. The cat tiptoed along the \_\_\_\_\_, making a little song.
2. We had to call a \_\_\_\_\_ after Sam lost the key.
3. I received this trophy at the awards \_\_\_\_\_ last night.
4. Are you singing in the school \_\_\_\_\_ this year?
5. Dad polished the \_\_\_\_\_ on his car until it was shiny.
6. Karen \_\_\_\_\_ to play with the little puppy.
7. The loud music gave me a \_\_\_\_\_.
8. By studying computer science, he gained \_\_\_\_\_ knowledge.
9. Before she became a scientist, she received her degree in \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Mom has a busy \_\_\_\_\_ at her new job.



## Mixed-Up Words

Parts of these **list words** have become mixed up: qualify, antique, required, unique, acknowledge, remarkable, quantity, technique, echoes, knowledge. Put the word parts back where they belong and write the two correct words on the lines.

1. acknoulique      technedge
2. remarkoes      echable
3. qualired      requify
4. antity      quantique
5. unedge      knowlique

# Spelling and Writing

## Proofreading

This dialogue from the movie "My Friend Is a Robot" has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to correct them. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

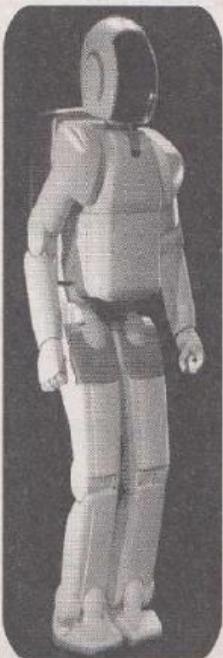
ROBOT (in a panicky voice): I'm having tecnicle difficulties. I'm losing all of my knowlege. Now I know what a headake feels like! you must skeduel time to make the requyred repairs

IRMA (rolling her eyes in amusement): Don't panic! All you need is to have your batteries recharged

ROBOT (more frantic): Hurry up and recharge them! I'm quickly becoming a useless pile of krome

## Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ☰ capital letter
- ◎ add period



1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_