

TIP

ion, ation, and ition = the act of or the condition of being, as in conversation and composition

ance, ence, and ity = quality or fact of being, as in resistance, experience, and activity

ive = likely to or having to do with, as in destructive and creative

LIST WORDS

1. difference
2. composition
3. electricity
4. abundance
5. conversation
6. existence
7. activity
8. communication
9. excellence
10. addition
11. combination
12. creative
13. explanation
14. passive
15. quotation
16. circulation
17. destructive
18. disturbance
19. experience
20. resistance

Spelling Practice

Adding Suffixes

Write the **list words** that contain the suffixes given.

ence

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

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5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
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9. _____
10. _____
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19. _____
20. _____

Missing Words

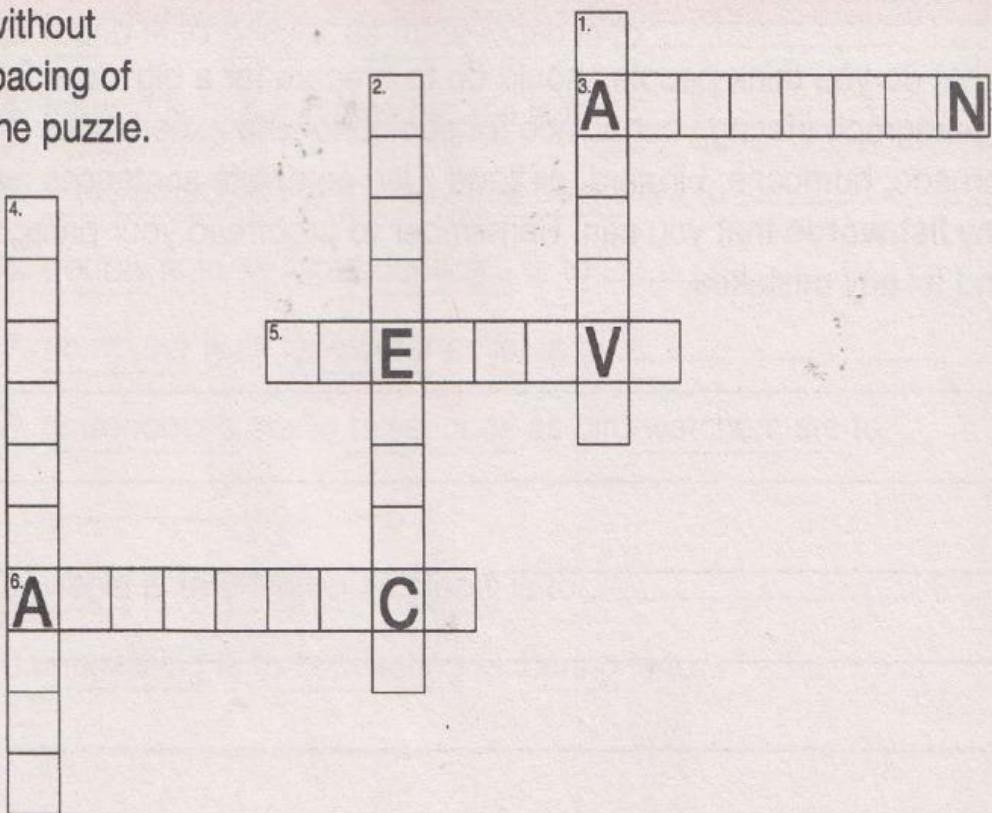
Write the **list word** that belongs in each sentence.

1. Soccer is a recreational _____.
2. The _____ storm caused heavy damage.
3. Tom's _____ as a tutor will help him to be a teacher.
4. The heart controls the _____ of blood.
5. The title of his _____ was "Sources of Energy."
6. The telephone is a _____ tool.
7. Winnie received an award for _____ in science.
8. The _____ of computer technology has greatly helped weather prediction.
9. I memorized the _____ to the lock for my locker.
10. Our long-distance phone _____ lasted an hour!
11. We needed a more detailed _____ to fully understand how the machine worked.
12. That group was asked to leave because they were causing a _____.
13. We take _____ for granted until the power goes out.
14. I'm going to cite this famous _____ by Albert Einstein.



Puzzle

This is a crossword puzzle without clues. Use the length and spacing of six list words to complete the puzzle.



Spelling and Writing

Proofreading

The news report below has ten mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

The tornado that swooped through the area last night was quite a destruktive storm As one resident described it, I heard a roar like a huge freight train, and then it hit." A conversashion with another witness resulted in this quoetasion: "My daughter Anna and I ran for the cellar as the electrisity flickered, and the tornado tore off the roof.

It was a very frightening experience for many residents. Camunication systems were knocked out for several hours until the disturbance passed.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ^ add something
- “ ” add quotation marks
- ¶ insert paragraph

