

Final Syllable Patterns

Spelling Words

ancestor	hospital	grumble	sponsor	superior
escalator	encounter	shoulder	skeleton	forbidden
appetizer	identical	abandon	governor	endeavor
outspoken	durable	lengthen	cinnamon	interior

Words in Context Write a list word to complete each sentence.

- This table is as ___ as a piece of iron. 1. _____
- That person is as thin as a ____. 2. _____
- She keeps her house as clean as a _____. 3. _____
- My sisters look so much alike that they could be ___ twins. 4. _____
- I took the ___ to the second floor. 5. _____
- A preview before a movie is like a ___ before dinner. 6. _____
- Being in the ___ of a submarine is like living in a tube. 7. _____
- My best friend's grades are always ___ to mine. 8. _____
- My stomach starts to ___ when I'm hungry. 9. _____
- I am ___ from going into my older sister's room. 10. _____

Definitions Write the list word that matches the definition.

- assume responsibility 11. _____
- meet; come up against 12. _____
- leave behind or alone 13. _____
- family member who lived long before you 14. _____
- make longer 15. _____
- spoken without reserve 16. _____
- aromatic spice 17. _____
- determined effort 18. _____
- leader of a state 19. _____
- between neck and arm 20. _____



Home Activity Your child has learned to spell words that end with syllables that sound alike but are spelled differently. Ask your child to use list words in sentences.