Fold back the paper along the dotted line. Use the blanks to write each word as it is read aloud. When you finish the test, unfold the paper. Use the list at the right to correct any spelling mistakes.



9. _______

1. shred

2. through

3. sprout

4. sprawl

5. split

6. throb

7. throat

8. shrink

9. screw

10. ______ **10.** shrimp

_____ : **11.** screech

_____ **12.** straighten

_____ i **13.** sprang

_____ **14.** shriek

_____ **15.** splashing

_____ **16.** straps

17. strand

20. throne

21. choose

22. photo

23. whole

24. threaten

25 . :	strictly
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Review Words

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Challenge Words	24	
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Practice

Spelling: **Three-Letter Blends**

Name

shred split sprang throne screw through throb shrimp shriek strand throat screech splashing script sprout straighten sprawl shrink straps thrill

Using the Word Study Steps

- 1. LOOK at the word.
- **2.** SAY the word aloud.
- 3. STUDY the letters in the word.

- 4. WRITE the word.
- 5. CHECK the word. Did you spell the word right? If not, go back to step 1.

Find and Circle

Find and circle the hidden spelling words.

Α	Т	F	Ε	G	S	С	R	Ε	Ε	С	Н
S	Н	R	Е	D	С	S	Н	R	I	Е	K
Р	R	Q	S	Р	R	0	U	Т	W	Р	0
L	0	Z	С	V	Е	S	Н	R	I	М	Р
Α	В	S	S	L	W	Т	Н	R	I	L	L
S	0	Т	Н	R	0	U	G	Н	М	S	U
Н	S	R	R	Т	Н	R	0	Ν	Е	Т	Т
I	С	Α	I	Т	Н	R	0	Α	Т	R	J
Ν	R	Р	Ν	S	Р	L	I	Т	Ε	Α	K
G	I	S	K	Α	Α	S	Р	R	Α	Ν	G
M	Р	Ν	S	Р	R	Α	W	L	Χ	D	М
S	Т	R	Α	I	G	Н	Т	Ε	Ν	K	I

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shred	split	screw	sprang	throne
through	throb	shrimp	shriek	strand
sprout	throat	screech	splashing	script
sprawl	shrink	straighten	straps	thrill

A. Pattern Power

23. mob _____

words beginning with shr	words beginning in <i>sci</i>
1	13
2	14
3	15
4	words beginning in <i>str</i>
words beginning with thr	16
5	17
6	18
7	words beginning in <i>sp</i>
8	
9	19
words beginning in <i>spr</i>	20
10	
11	
12	
Rhyme Time	
Write the spelling word that r	hymes with each word.
21. crawl	24. grown
22. creek	25. preach

26. pill ____

Name

Spelling: Three-Letter Blends

sprout throat screech splashing sprawl shrink straighten straps	through	throb	shrimp	shriek	strand
	sprout	throat	screech	splashing	script
	sprawl	shrink	straighten	straps	thrill

A. Finish the Word

Write the missing letters to correctly complete the words in the sentences.

Many farmers in the Chinese village raise 1. shr They raise
them in large, shallow pools of water. Water runs 2. thr all of them.
No weeds are allowed to 3. spr Sometimes a gull will fly overhead
and 4. scr Then everyone will run outside to scare the gull away.
It is quite a 5. thr to watch the farmers harvest the shrimp. They
use nets. One walks down the middle of the pool to 6. spl it in half
As the net gets smaller and smaller, the shrimp strain to get out, but they are
caught. When the farmers lift the net out of the water, there is much
7. spl The net will 8. thr with shrimp. The farmers dump
their catch in buckets and carry them away with 9. str over their
shoulders.

B. Word Groups

Write the spelling word that belongs in each group.

- **10.** chair, seat, _____
- **11.** expand, stretch, _____
- **12.** tack, nail, _____
- **13.** cut, divide, _____
- **14.** rip, tear, _____

Name _			

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A. There are five spelling mistakes in this short story about Lei. Circle the misspelled words. Write the words correctly on the lines below.

Lei jumped rope with the girls at school. She played with her friends after school. She studied hard like her parents told her to. Lei was like other girls in most every way. But Lei had something no one else had—her grandmother's pink pearl necklace. Lei liked to wear the necklace around her throte on special days.

Lei received the pearl necklace when she was 11. The pearl was very old and special. It was a pearl that was worn by a princess in the ancient Chinese dynasties. It gave Lei such a threel to wear it.

One day, Lei was jumping rope at a party. All of a sudden, the shrand of pearls broke. The pearls flew off Lei's neck and scattered on the ground. Lei let out a shreak as she spraing to the ground to pick up the pearls. Her father saw what happened and helped Lei pick up the pearls. From then on, Lei was more careful with her necklace.

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2	4	

B. Writing Activity

Imagine that you are a prince or princess of an ancient Chinese dynasty. You have just received a pearl necklace like Lei's. Write a short story about what you would do with such a special necklace. Use at least four spelling words in your story.

Practice

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Look at the words in each set below. One word in each set is spelled correctly. Use a pencil to fill in the circle next to the correct word. Before you begin, look at the sample set of words. Sample A has been done for you. Do Sample B by yourself. When you are sure you know what to do, you may go on with the rest of the page.

Sample A:

- (A) throw
- B throo
- © thro
- ① throu
- 1. A schred
 - B shred
 - © shread
 - schread
- 2. © through
- (F) throu
 - © threwe
 - (H) throughe
- 3. A sprowt
- B sprout
 - © sprot
 - spruot
- 4. © sprall
 - © spraul
 - @ sprawle
 - (H) sprawl
- 5. A splitt
 - B splet © splitte
 - split

- Sample B:
 - Skrach
 - F skratch
 - © scratch
 - (H) scrach
- 6. © throbb
 - (F) throb
 - © throub
 - (H) throbbe
 - 7. A throte
 - B throate
 - © throat
 - ① throet
 - 8. © shrink
 - (F) shrinck
 - G shrinke
 - (H) shrenk
 - 9. A scrue
 - B skrew
 - © screw
 - skroo
 - 10. © schrimp
 - (F) shrimp
 - @ shremp
 - (H) schremp

- 11. A skreach
 - B screche
 - © screech
 - skreech
- 12. © straiten
 - (F) straten
 - G straighten
 - (H) straitin
- **13.** A sprange
 - B spraing
 - © sprang
 - spreang
- 14. © schreik
 - © shreek
 - @ schriek
 - (H) shriek
- **15.** A splaching
 - B splasching
 - © splashene
 - splashing

- 16. © strapps
 - F strapz
 - G straps
 - (H) strappz
- 17. A throne
 - B throen
 - © throan
 - (D) thron
- 18. © strande
 - F schtrand
 - G stranned
 - (H) strand
- 19. A script
 - B skript
 - © schript
 - scripped
- **20. (E)** trhill
 - (F) thrill
 - @ thrille
 - (H) thrile