

Phoneme /air/ Activities

Spellings: air, are, ear, ere, eir

Name: _____

/air/ - multisyllabic

Read and Circle

Read the words below.

wearing careles
thereabouts chairpe
airfare ampe
daredevil footw
whereabouts scarec
shareholder upsta
hairless somewh

1. Circle the words v
2. Circle the words v
3. Circle the words v
4. Circle the words v
5. Circle the words

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Name: _____

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Synonyms for Words

Read each of the words. Write as many synonyms as you can for each of the words.

tear	
glare	
rare	
pair	
glare	
fair	

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Sort the Words

Sort the words into the correct spelling.

air share ware laird fair
wear lair
glare tear
pair their
eir

are

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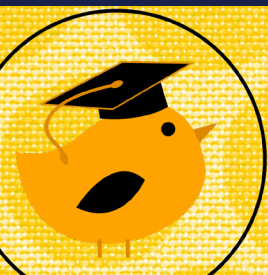
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ton of
TIME!

Perfect
for literacy
centers

air

affair hairless
airbag hairy
chairperson highchair
dairy impair
despair repair
fairway staircase
fairy upstairs
hairdresser wheelchair

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About This Pack

This pack includes activities, games, and worksheets for the phoneme /air/, spellings air, are, ear, ere, eir. There are activities for single-syllable and multisyllabic words. The following pages provide master word lists for all words used in this pack.

There are three main sections.

1. Posters and word cards

This section includes posters for each of the different spellings for both single-syllable and multisyllabic words. Use the posters for display in your classroom and fluency practice. Enlarge the posters to A3 (ledger) size and then laminate them for durability.

There are word cards (for single-syllable and multisyllabic words) that you can use for sorting activities, games, reading practice, or add them to your sound wall (or word wall).

2. Single-syllable worksheets and games

There are 20 worksheets and activities and 5 games. Use the worksheets for independent practice, word work centers, and morning work. The games are ideal for partner work, small group instruction, and literacy centers.

3. Multisyllabic worksheets and games

There are 19 worksheets and activities for multisyllabic words and 5 games. The activities and games are perfect for word work centers, whole-class review, small group instruction, or intervention.



Single-Syllable Master Word List

air	are	ear	ere	eir
air	bare	bear	there	heir
bairn	blare	pear	there's	their
chair	care	swear	where	heirs
fair	dare	tear	where's	
flair	fare	wear		
hair	flare			
lair	glare			
laird	hare			
pair	mare			
paired	rare			
stair	scare			
stairs	share			
	snare			
	spare			
	square			
	sware			
	ware			



Multisyllabic Master Word List

air	are	ear	ere	eir
affair	aware	footwear	ampere	heirloom
airbag	beware	wearable	anywhere	
airfare	carefree	wearing	compere	
chairperson	carefully		everywhere	
dairy	careless		nowhere	
despair	carelessly		premiere	
fairly	compare		somewhere	
fairway	daredevil		whereabouts	
fairy	declare		whereby	
hairdresser	farewell		werewolf	
hairless	hardware		whereabouts	
hairy	nightmare			
highchair	premiere			
impair	rarely			
pairing	scarecrow			
repair	shareholder			
staircase	silverware			
chair	warehouse			
stairs	welfare			
wheelchair				



air

affair

hairless

airbag

hair

chairperson

highchair

dairy

impair

despair

repair

fairway

staircase

fairy

upstairs

hairdresser

wheelchair

are

bare

mare

blare

rare

care

scare

dare

share

fare

snare

flare

spare

glare

square

hare

stare

Multisyllabic Word Cards
Spelling are

hardware

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nightmare

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prepare

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rarely

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scarecrow

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shareholder

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silverware

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warehouse

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welfare

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Single-Syllable and Multisyllabic Word Cards
Spelling ear

bear

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pear

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swear

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tear

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wear

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footwear

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wearable

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wearing

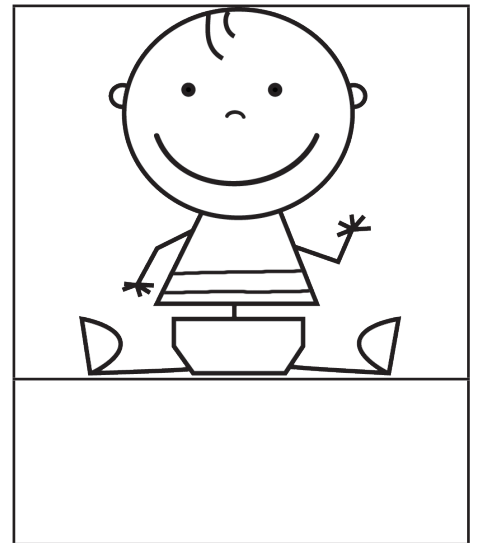
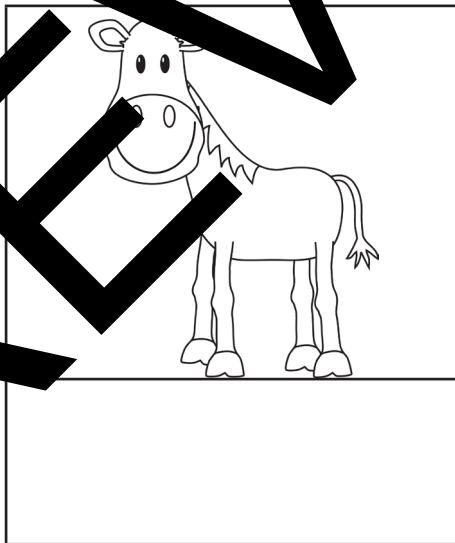
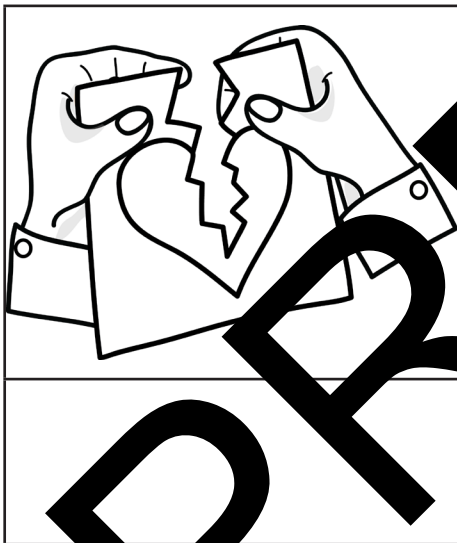
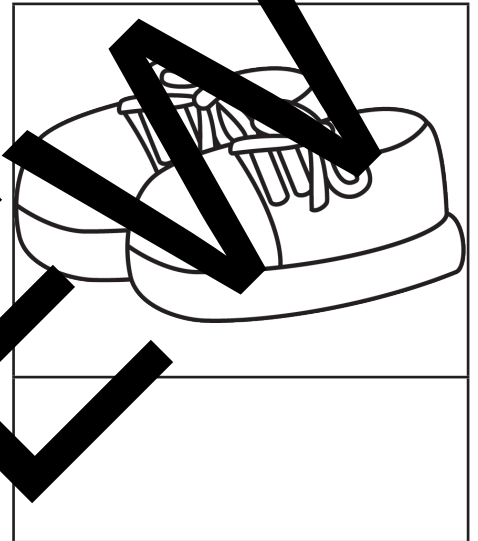
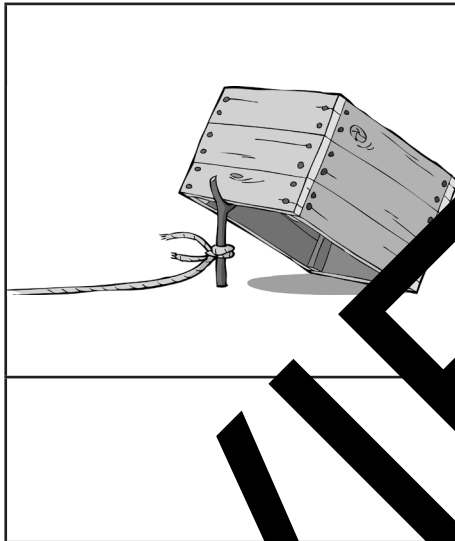
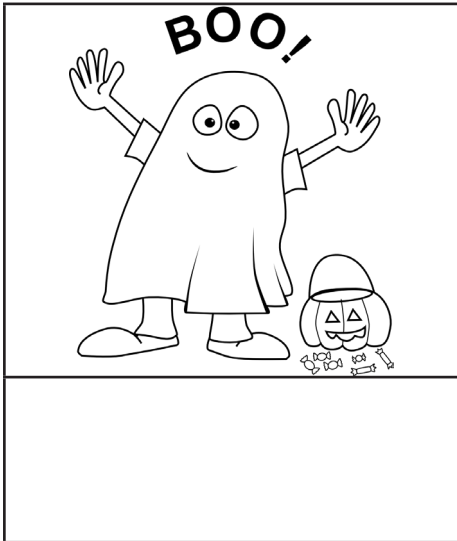
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/air/ - single-syllable

Cut and Match

Cut out the words and match them to their picture.



mare

bairn

snare

pair

tear

scare

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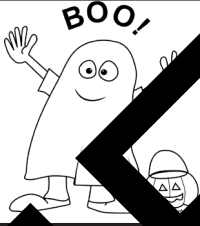

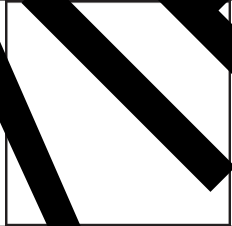


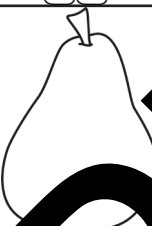
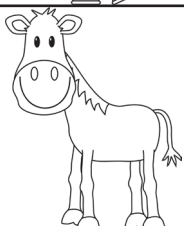

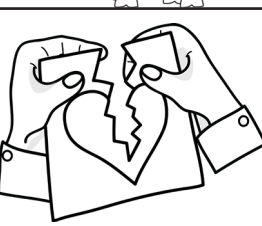

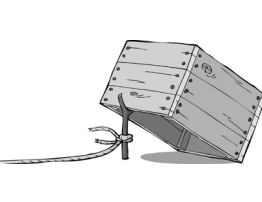
Choose the Correct Spelling

Fill in the the missing spelling.

air

are

ar

	b _____ n		sc _____
	h _____		squ _____
	b _____		h _____
	p _____		m _____
	ch _____		t _____
	p _____		sn _____

Cut and Sort

/air/ - single-syllable

Cut out the words and headings below. Sort the words into the different spellings and glue them into your spelling book.

air	are	ear	ere	ir
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heir	wear	there's	flair
bare	chair	glare	pair
air	dare	land	theirs
blare	where	pear	square
bairn	spare	snare	fair
ware	their	stairs	bear
tear	hair	stare	hare
there	mare	rare	scare
paired	care	fare	lair
flair	wear	stair	where's

Write down the second sound in the word.

Write down how many sounds are in this word.

Write some words that rhyme with the word of the week.

Write down what you know about this word. Where might you see this word?

Word of the week:

glare



Use this word in your writing and tally how many times you use it.

Make up a new sentence using the word.



Name: _____

Read and Write

1. Read the word.
2. Underline each sound in the word as you say it.
3. Use the squares to write each sound in the word.
4. Write the whole word and read it again.

fairly

farewell

upstairs

wearing

carefree

ampere

heirloom

PREVIEW

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4 in a Row

Play with 2 different colored markers. Take turns to spin a word, read it and write it on the grid. The winner is the first player to get 4 words in a row in any direction.

