

2nd Grade Packet Answer Key

Compound Words The Schwa



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Weekly Spelling Homework - Answer Key

(Form B) LESSON WEEK 20: Compound Words; The Schwa

Word Bank

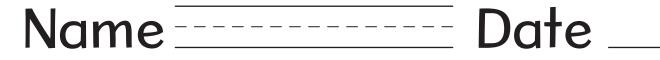


Spelling Tic Tac Toe

1. Any two proven words from the bank above are correct.	 2. A correct answer will consist of a sentence that contains one word from each list below. 1: bacon, private, sofa, along, frozen, stolen 2: suntan, bullfrog, pancake, inside, milkshake, mailbox, raincoat, sunrise, handstand 	3. Any two proven words from the bank above are correct.
 4. All words from the list below with the letter <i>o</i> highlighted are correct. of come some other mother 	5. Any three proven words from the bank above are correct.	 6. A correct answer will consist of one of the words from the list below and three pictures: one picture of each part of the compound word, and a picture that illustrates the complete compound word. suntan bullfrog pancake inside milkshake mailbox raincoat sunrise handstand
7. Any two proven words from the bank above are correct.	 8. A correct answer will consist of any two proven words from the list below and a drawing to illustrate each one. bacon private sofa along frozen stolen 	9. Any two proven words from the bank above are correct.



Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Cloze Passage



Based on *Reading Horizons Discovery*[®] Little Book "The Zebra"

The <u>zebra</u> is a horse with black and white stripes. No two zebras have stripes that are <u>alike</u>. The stripes help them hide in the brush from big animals that would eat them. Zebras do not live <u>alone</u>. They roam <u>along</u> the <u>open</u> grasslands in big herds. Zebras are <u>silent</u> when they greet one another. Most of the time, zebras are <u>polite</u> with each other. Zebras like to take dust and mud baths. When the mud dries, they shake it off. The remaining dust <u>protects</u> them from the sun, wind, and bugs.



Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Cloze Passage The Schwa Word Bank

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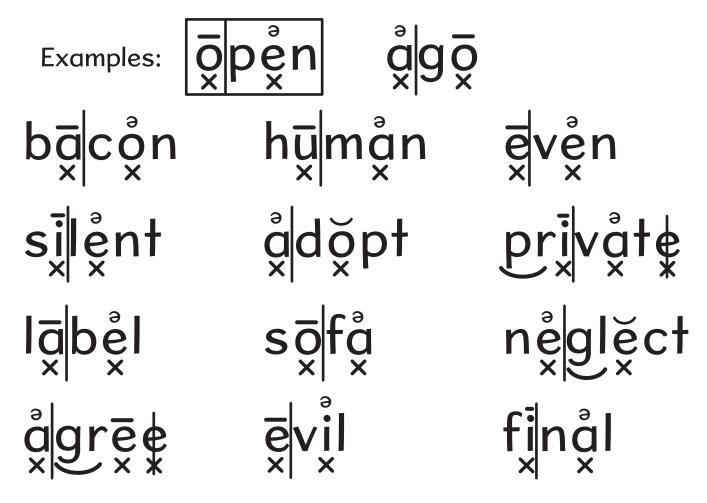
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The schwa is the unstressed vowel sound or syllable in a multisyllabic word. All vowels can take the schwa sound.

Lesson 62: The Schwa

A word that has more than one syllable will often have an unstressed syllable or unstressed vowel sound called the *schwa*. The schwa is represented by an upside-down e (ə). The vowel ais often associated with the schwa sound if it acts as a word in a sentence (I have <u>a</u> dog) or if a word begins or ends with the spelling of a (<u>agree</u>, sof<u>a</u>). All vowels can take the schwa sound.

Prove and read the words below, using Decoding Skill 1 and the schwa. You may draw either boxes or lines to divide the syllables.





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<i>Reading Horizons Discovery®</i> Spelling Lesson Week 20 Sort and Spell 1	Compound Words and	Compound Words	sandbox	cannot	cupcake	into

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Compound Words and Non-Compound Words	global	gymnast	hiccups	phony	Monday	cyclone	accent	bungee
Compound Words and Compound Words	sandbox	cannot	cupcake	into	backpack	upset	someone	Sunday



Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Sort and Spell 1 Sentences

Name _____ Date

Using the words in the Word Sort, fill in the blanks to complete the sentences below.

1. <u>Someone</u> sent you a gift.

2. I try not to get **upset** about small things.

3. I want to be a gymnast one day.

4. Little children like to play in the sandbox.

5. She put a candle on the **cupcake**.

6. Humans cannot fly without help.

7. The day after Sunday is Monday.

8. The zipper on his **backpack** broke.

9. Do you know how to get rid of hiccups?

10. She wants to go **bungee** jumping.



Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Sort and Spell 1 **Word Sort Questions**

Name Date

Using the words in the Word Sort, answer the questions below.

- 1. Write the two words that make the compound word someone. some, one
- 2. How many compound words are in the sort? 8
- 3. Which word from the sort means the same as the word fake? phony

Words with Schwa in the	Words with Schwa in the First or Second Syllable
Schwa in the First Syllable	Schwa in the Second Syllable
polite	hydrant
away	beacon
alike	sofa
agree	pilot
ago	April
divide	tuna
amaze	item
	scuba



Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Sort and Spell 2 Sentences

Name _____ Date

Using the words in the Word Sort, fill in the blanks to complete the sentences below.

1. It is **polite** to say please and thank you.

2. The cat was hiding behind the red **sofa**.

3. She wants to be a **pilot** so she can fly planes.

4. He ate a tuna fish sandwich for lunch.

5. Do you think scuba diving would be fun?

6. April comes before May.

7. She left on a camping trip three days <u>ago</u>.

8. A lot of water comes out of a hydrant.

Reading Horizons Discovery® Spelling Lesson Week 20 Sort and Spell 2 **Word Sort Questions**

Name ----- Date

Using the words in the Word Sort, answer the questions below.

- 1. Which letter begins most of the words in the first column? a
- 2. Write one word from the sort that ends with a schwa sound.

Answers will vary—examples: tuna, scuba, sofa

3. Write one word from the sort that starts with a schwa sound. Answers will vary—examples: away, alike, amaze, ago, agree