

Change It! Sounds Challenge! Sound Jumbles! What's Missing? Spell It!

The Sounds to Print Phonics Games combine phonemic segmentation, blending, and manipulation, letter sounds knowledge, decoding, spelling, vocabulary, and sentence construction for grades 4–adult reading intervention. Now that's efficient practice! The 54 interactive Google slides, each with 4 games and a spelling dictation, require no prep and cover both beginning through advanced sound-spellings.

Watch the quick YouTube overview, while referring to the following **Teaching Script**, to learn how to play the games with your students: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g99edLaThJI>

Teaching Script for CHANGE IT! (This is the first game; the other game directions follow.)

1. The word is _____. Word? (Turn off the display as you move the cards.)
- 2a. Say the sounds as you drag the cards down (the first CHANGE IT! word).
- 2b. Say the sounds as you change 'em around (the rest of the CHANGE IT! words).
3. (Turn on the display.) Check the display and make yours like mine.
4. Let's say the sounds (point to each sound).
5. Let's blend the sounds. Word?
6. Who can use this word in a sentence?
7. Let's spell the words (after completing activities).

Editable Google Slides Link:

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1T_DtNZodykrZT9A78eQDI8dtSLI6ESSaDwNjKi6MLA0/copy

NOTES: Teachers may opt to have students print the word on a white board or binder paper after Step 4 above.

The short vowels are color-coded *green* and the consonants are *black*.

Each **CHANGE IT!** set of word chains begins with review of the previous lesson's sound-spellings. Unlike other word chain games, the **CHANGE IT!** word chains change more than one vowel or consonant from word to word.

CVC Patterns

1. **Sounds:** /ă/, /m/, /t/, /s/ The /t/ is a stop sound. **Spellings:** a, m, t, s

CHANGE IT! WORDS: am, at, sat, Sam, tam, mat, mats

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /t/ /ă/ /m/ (tam)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ă/ /s/ /m/ What's the word if you take away the /s/? (am)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /m/ /t/ /s/

SPELL IT! at, mat, tam, am, tat, sat, tams, mats

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2. **Sounds:** /ĩ/, /f/, /d/, /r/ The /d/ is a stop sound. **Spellings:** l, f, d, r

CHANGE IT! WORDS: at, mat, am, mats, its, if, fit, rid, did, dad, rad

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /ă/ /d/ (sad)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ă/ /r/ /t/ (rat) What's the word if you take away the /r/? (at)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /ĩ/ /d/ (did, bad, hid, lid, rid)

SPELL IT! tad, dim, fad, fits, fat, rid, rim, Tim

3. **Sounds:** /ô/, /g/, /l/, /h/ The /g/ is a stop sound before a, o, u, and some /ě/ sounds.

Spellings: o, g(a)_, g(o)_, l, h

CHANGE IT! WORDS: sat, mats, rats, hat, him, dim, did, lid, log, lots, rot, rod, hog, fog, fit, if

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /f/ /ĩ/ /g/ (fig)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /g/ /f/ /ô/ (fog), /h/ /t/ /ĩ/ (hit) What's the word if you take away the /h/? (it)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /h/ /m/ (ham, him), /r/ /ĩ/ (rid, rim)

SPELL IT! logs, hid, rot, dots, hit, mom, ram, rid

4. **Sounds:** /ũ/, /b/, /k/, /g/ The /g/ is a stop sound before a, o, u, and some /ě/ sounds.

The /k/ "ca_, co_, cu_, _ck, ke_, and ki_" spellings and /b/ are stop sounds.

Spellings: u, b, c(a)_, c(o)_, c(u)_, _ck, g(u)_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: dog, got, hot, cut, gut, gum, hum, hug, bug, buck, tick, kick

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /k/ /ũ/ /b/ (cub)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ũ/ /t/ /k/ (tuck), /ĩ/ /s/ /b/ /t/ What's the word if you take away the /b/? (its)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /s/ /ô/ /s/ (socks)

SPELL IT! luck, cot, rut, huts, lacks, rag, fig, dock

5. **Sounds:** Short /ě/, /k/, /v/, /n/ **Spellings:** e, _ea, k(i)_, k(e)_, v, n, kn_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: nut, but, buck, cot, cup, gun, net, neck, Ken, hen, head, read (past tense), den, tan, van, kin, kid, bid, bed, vet, not, knot, knock

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /d/ /ě/ /d/ (dead)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ě/ /d/ /k/ (deck), /t/ /ě/ /s/ /s/ (sets) What's the word if you take away the /s/? (set)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /n/ /k/ /s/ (necks, nicks, Knicks, knocks)

SPELL IT! dead, kid, vat, knack, knit, nag, ten, beg

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6. **Sounds:** /p/, /w/, /j/, /qu/ (or /kw/) The /p/ is a stop sound. **Spellings:** p, w, j, qu_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: cup, cap, ban, bug, buck, neck, lead (ě), keg, kick, knack, van, pan, peg, jog, wag, quack, quit

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /g/ /ă/ /p/ (gap), /j/ /ě/ /t/ /s/ (jets)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /b/ /ö/ /j/ (job), /p/ /n/ /ĩ/ (pin) What's the word if you take away the /p/? (in)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /w/ /n/ (win), /qu/ /p/ (quip—a witty remark)

SPELL IT! pen, puck, wig, jobs, quick, jet, web, jig

7. **Sounds:** /y/ /x/ (or /ks/), /z/, /r/ **Spellings:** y, x, z, _s, wr_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: quit, quiz, win, pan, jams, zap, yap, yip, yes, hex, six, zip, zap, has, wrap, wren

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /y/ /ũ/ /k/ (yuck)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ă/ /y/ /s/ /m/ (yams) What's the word if you take away the /z/? (yam)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /z/ /p/ /s/ (zaps, zips)

SPELL IT! yup, yet, wax, tax, yips, zag, zigs, wreck

8. **Sounds:** /l/, /f/, /s/, /z/ **Spellings:** _ll, _ff, _ss, _zz

CHANGE IT! WORDS: yet, wreck, hix, bed, yell, mill, fuzz, mass, moss, off, buff,

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /k/ /ũ/ /s/ (cuss)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ũ/ /z/ /f/ (fuzz), /ĩ/ /f/ /l/ (fill) What's the word if you take away the /f/? (ill)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /c/ /f/ (cuff)

SPELL IT! bell, pill, buzz, pass, mess, off, miff (to annoy), fizz

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CVCC Patterns

NOTE: Consonant blends should be practiced as two sounds.

9. **Sounds:** /n//d/, /s//t/, /x/ (or /ks/)/t/ **Spellings:** _nd, _st, _xt

CHANGE IT! WORDS: yes, lend, send, next, list, fizz, fill, list, less, zest, dust, doff

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /l/ /ă/ /n/ /d/ (land)
What's the word if you take away the /l/? (and), /f/ /i/ /s/ /t/ (fist) What's the word if you take away the /s/? (fit)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/n/ /ě/ /t/ /x/ (next), /n/ /d/ /ũ/ (fund)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/f/ /s/ (fuss), /f/ /z/ (fizz, fuzz)

SPELL IT! text, tend, lest, land, fast, dust, sand, sill

10. **Sounds:** /n//t/, /l//t/ **Spellings:** _nt (n't), _lt

CHANGE IT! WORDS: text, test, tend, went, melt, felt, tilt, tint, bunt, can't, pants, lost

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /w/ /ě/ /l/ /t/ (welt—a red, swollen mark caused by being hit) What's the word if you take away the /t/? (well)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/ă/ /k/ /t/ /n/ (can't) What's the word if you take away the /k/ and /t/? (an)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/b/ /n/ /t/ (bent, bunt)

SPELL IT! can't, mints, belt, wilt, ants, kilt, hunt, silt

11. **Sounds:** /m//p/, /s//k/, /l//p/ **Spellings:** _mp, _sk, _lp

CHANGE IT! WORDS: melt, hilt, hint, can't, lamp, limp, disk, desk, help, gulp

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /d/ /ũ/ /m/ /p/ (dump)
What's the word if you take away the /d/ and /p/? (am)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/k/ /d/ /s/ /ě/ (desk)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/k/ /l/ /p/ (kelp—seaweed)

SPELL IT! wimp, risk, pulp, damp, mask, jump, Alps, dusk

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12. **Sounds:** /k//t/, /f//t/, /l//d, /s//p/ **Spellings:** ct, _ft, _ld, _sp

CHANGE IT! WORDS: meant, melt, kelp, lump, dusk, lisp, loft, held, weld, left, fact, acts, gasp

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /l/ /ō/ /f/ /t/ (loft—an upstairs bedroom without a door) What's the word if you take away the /f/? (lot), /m/ /ē/ /l/ /d/ (meld—to combine)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /t/ /ū/ /d/ /k/ (duct) What's the word if you take away the /t/? (duck)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /w/ /s/ /p/ (wisp—a small, thin child)

SPELL IT! acts, raft, meld, pact, gasp, sect, rift, sift

13. **Sounds:** /l//k/, /ch/, /p//t/ **Spellings:** _lk, _ch, _nch, _pt

CHANGE IT! WORDS: meld, heft, hasp, fact, such, rich, bunch, wrench, wept, kept, milk, wilt

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /ū/ /l/ /k/ (sulk—to be silent or gloomy)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ch/ /r/ /n/ /ā/ (ranch) What's the word if you take away the /ch/? (ran)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /w/ /ē/ /p/ (wept)

SPELL IT! silk, hulk, lunch, much, bunch, tempt, apt (fitting), wretch (an unfortunate person)

NOTE: This lesson introduces two long vowels (/ā/ and /ē/), which often precede the /ng/, /n//k/.

14. **Sounds:** /ō//ng/, /ō//n//k/, /ū//ng/, /ū//n//k/, /ā//ng/, /ā//n//k/, /ē//ng/, /ē//n//k/
Spellings: _ong, _onk, _ung, _unk, _ang, _ank, _ing, _ink

CHANGE IT! WORDS: kept, bench, bulk, silk, such, rung, hung, hunk, sunk, honk, pong, wrong

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /ō/ /ng/ /z/ (songs)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ō/ /k/ /b/ /n/ What's the word if you take away the /b/ and /k/? (on)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /s/ /ng/ (song, sung)

SPELL IT! tongs, honk, lung, punk, rung, long, gong, gunk

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NOTE: The consonant digraphs are color-coded *blue*.

15. Sounds: Voiced /th/_ **Spelling:** th_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: hulk, honk, hung, lunch, much, punt, punk, long, this, then, them, that

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /th/ /ē/ /m/ (them)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/t/ /th/ /ā/ (that) What's the word if you take away the /th/? (at)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/th/ /ē/ (then)

SPELL IT! them, that, then, this, than, that's, lung, honk

16. Sounds: /Unvoiced /th/ **Spellings:** th_, _th

CHANGE IT! WORDS: this, that, them, with, path, moth, thin, thud

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /m/ /ā/ /th/ (math)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/n/ /th/ /ī/ What's the word if you take away the /th/? (in)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/ī/ /th/ (with)

SPELL IT! thin, that's, thus, thick, with, bath, tenth, moth

17. Sounds: /sh/ **Spellings:** sh

CHANGE IT! WORDS: moth, thin, gosh, shop, shot, shut, shut, dash, wish

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /sh/ /ō/ /k/ (shock)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/ā/ /g/ /sh/ (cash) What's the word if you take away the /g/? (ash)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/ī/ /sh/ (dish, fish) **SPELL IT!** shin, fish, shed, shun, dash, shush, lush, dish

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NOTE: The past tense is usually formed with the “ed” suffix. The “e” is *not* pronounced unless preceded by a “t” or “d.” The latter pronunciation includes the short /ĕ/, and the “ed” is a separate syllable.

18. **Sounds:** Ending /t/ **Spellings:** _shed, _ped, _ked
Sounds: Ending /d/ **Spellings:** _bbed, _ffed, _nned

CHANGE IT! WORDS: shin, rush, mashed, canned, nicked, cuffed, shipped, fibbed

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /f/ /i/ /sh/ /t/ (fished)
What's the word if you take away the /t/? (fish)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:
/b/ /ð/ /d/ /r/ (robbed) What's the word if you take away the /d/? (rob), /n/ /p/ /ŭ/ /k/ /t/ (punked)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/p/ /k/ /t/ (packed, pact, picked),

SPELL IT! gushed, shucked, rapped, muffed, mobbed, pinned, linked

CCVC Patterns

19. **Sounds:** /wh/, /ch/ **Spellings:** wh_, ch_, _tch

CHANGE IT! WORDS: napped, chinned, whiffed, fibbed, wished, when, whip, which, chip, hitch, fetch, checked

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /wh/ /i/ /ch/ (which),
/th/ /ă/ /ch/ (thatch—dried grass)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:
/wh/ /s/ /f/ /i/ (whiffs) What's the word if you take away the /wh/ and /s/? (if)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/ch/ /mp/ /s/ (champs, chimps, chomps, chumps)

SPELL IT! whacked, chopped, hatch, pitch, penned, ribbed, picked, ditch

20. **Sounds:** /f/ /l/, /s/ /l/, /b/ /l/, /c/ /l/, /g/ /l/, /p/ /l/ **Spellings:** fl_, sl_, bl_, cl_, gl_, pl_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: chant, which, club, flush, slosh, clash, glass, bland, plant

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /k/ /l/ /ŭ/ /ch/ (clutch)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:
/ă/ /l/ /b/ /k/ What's the word if you take away the /b/? (lack)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/s/ /l/ /k/ (slack, slick)

SPELL IT! flag, slip, blog, class, gloss, pluck, flops, slack

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21. **Sounds:** /s/m/, /s/n/, /s/p/, /s/t/, /s//k/ **Spellings:** sm_, sn_, sp_, st_, sk_, sc_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: whim, snitch, chest, match, spam, slim, flint, black, clot, plot, glum, stun, scum, skin

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /m/ /ð/ /k/ (smock), /s/ /p/ /ɛ/ /k/ (speck) What's the word if you take away the /s/? (peck)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /t/ /s/ /ă/ /p/ /m/ (stamp) What's the word if you take away the /m/ and /t/? (sap-the fluid from a plant or tree), /s/ /g/ /ũ/ /n/ (snug)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /s/ /k/ /m/ (scam, skim, scum)

SPELL IT! smack, snuck, spun, stitch, skunk, scan, smell, snags

22. **Sounds:** /b//r/, /k//r/, /d//r/, /f//r/, /g//r/, /p//r/ **Spellings:** br_, cr_, dr_, fr_, gr_, pr_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: brisk, crisp, drift, frost, grass, press, speck, snack, stand, spent, scant, skit

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /b/ /r/ /ĩ/ /m/ (brim) What's the word if you take away the /b/? (rim)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ă/ /sh/ /r/ /k/ (crash) What's the word if you take away the /k/? (rash)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /p/ /ě/ /s/ /t/ (pressed)

SPELL IT! brisk, crust, draft, fresh, grasp, primp, breath, crisp

23. **Sounds:** /sh//r/, /th//r/, /s//t//r/, /s//p//r/, /s//k//r/

Spellings: shr_, thr_, str_, spr_, scr_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: brush, fresh, drift, print, grunt, crush, scam, scrimp, sprint, shrub, strap, thread, spread, strum

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/sh/ /r/ /ũ/ /n/ /k/ (shrunk) What's the word if you take away the /sh/ and /k/? (run)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /th/ /r/ /t/ /ě/ (threat)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /s/ /k/ /ă/ /ch/ (scratch)

SPELL IT! shred, thrash, strum, sprint, script, shrink, sprig, stress

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24. **Sounds:** /s//w/, /t//r/, /t//w/, /s//p//l/, /s//qu/ **Spellings:** sw_, tr_, tw_, spl_, squ_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: shrunk, threat, strip, spread, script, swift, track, twin, splash, squish
SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /w/ /i/ /f/ /t/ (swift)
SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/l/ /ā/ /s/ /p/ /t/ (splat) What's the word if you take away the /l/ and /s/? (pat), /i/ /k/ /r/ /t/ (trick)
What's the word if you take away the /r/? (tick)
WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/t/ /r/ /ā/ (trash)
SPELL IT! sweat, tread, squint, twist, split, splint, swish, tracks

CVVC, CVCe, CCVCC Patterns

NOTES: The long vowels and vowel digraphs are color-coded *red*.

The CVCe pattern utilizes a separate final silent “e” card to play the games. Teachers should emphasize that the “e” is part of the vowel spelling as in “a_e,” “i_e,” “o_e,” and “u_e.”

25. **Sound:** /ā/ **Spellings:** a, _ay, a_e, ai_, ei[gh]

CHANGE IT! WORDS: swish, squish, splash, rate, trade, train, sprain, spray, sleigh, rein, twin, rain, sway
SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /t/ /r/ /ā/ /s/ (trace)
What's the word if you take away the /t/? (race)
SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/r/ /k/ /ā/ /n/ (crain, crane), /r/ /ā/ /d/ /n/ (drain)
WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/t/ /ā/ /d/ (stayed)
SPELL IT! play, trace, gain, eight, stray, plate, stained, veil

26. **Sound:** /ē/ **Spellings:** e, _ee, ea, _ie_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: brake, eight, rain, rays, cranes, screen, teen, mean, team, grief, tier
SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /t/ /r/ /ē/ /t/ (street)
What's the word if you take away the /r/ and /t/? (seat)
SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/m/ /ē/ /r/ /s/ /k/ What's the word if you take away the /r/ and /k/? (seam, seem)
WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/b/ /ē/ /s/ (beast)
SPELL IT! spray, braid, flee, meat, brief, seat, spleen, glee

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27. **Sound:** /ī/ **Spellings:** i, _igh, i_e, _y, _ie

CHANGE IT! WORDS: cheat, tree, chief, high, night, flight, site, pile, lie, cried, try, dry

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /t/ /r/ /ī/ /k/ /s/ (trikes)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/l/ /s/ /t/ /ī/ (flight) What's the word if you take away the /l/? (fight)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/l/ /z/ (lies), /f/ /ī/ (file, fine, fire, fight).

SPELL IT! greed, leads, fright, piles, pry, sly, pie, sigh

28. **Sound:** /ō/ **Spellings:** o, o_e, _oe, oa_, ow

CHANGE IT! WORDS: die, lied, light, sigh, spry, try, tribe, ride, rode, road, toad, towed, owned, lone, toe, poem

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /t/ /ō/ /n/ (stone),

/th/ /r/ /ō/ (throw) What's the word if you take away the /th/? (row)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/ō/ /r/ /g/ /n/ What's the word if you take away the /n/? (grow), /l/ /p/ /ō/ /s/ (slope)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/g/ /l/ /ō/ (globe)

SPELL IT! tight, files, bones, doe (female deer), poem, most, roast, blown

29. **Sound:** /ū/ **Spellings:** u_e, _ew, _ue

CHANGE IT! WORDS: groaned, toed, code, cued, chew, mew, fume, fuel, cube

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /f/ /ū/ /m/ /z/ (fumes)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/ū/ /d/ /ch/ (chewed), /t/ /ū/ /k/ (cute)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/l/ /ō/ /t/ /s/ (bloats, floats, gloats) What's the word if you take away the /l/? (boats, coats, goats, notes, totes)

SPELL IT! moats, owns, mute, mule, cue, huge, cute, used

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CVVC, CVCe, CCVCC, CCVCC+ Patterns

NOTES: The games now begin using multi-syllabic words. The next five slides review long vowels and vowel digraphs in this context.

The suffix “ed” following “d” and “t” pronounces the short /ĕ/ vowel.

30. Sound: /ā/ **Spellings:** a, _ay, a_e, ai_, ei[gh]

CHANGE IT! WORDS: fume, few, cued, raiding, rated, faded, aided, waited, relate, laying, eighty

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /d/ /ē/ /t/ /ā/ /l/ (detail) What's the word if you take away the /d/ and /ē/? (tail)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around: /r/ /k/ /ā/ /t/ (crate) What's the word if you take away the /k/? (rate)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /l/ /ē/ /r/ (relay) **SPELL IT!** fuels, mules, delay, mew, weight, female, retail, flaming

31. Sound: /ē/ **Spellings:** e, _ee, ea, [c]ei, _ie_, e_e, _y, _ey

CHANGE IT! WORDS: relieved, received, eating, deeded, greeted, greedy, leaky, keyed, delete, ceiling

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /d/ /ē/ /s/ /ē/ /v/ (deceive)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around: /r/ /ē/ /d/ ing (reading) What's the word if you take away the ing? (read)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /r/ /ē/ /l/ /v/ (relieve)

SPELL IT! seedy, deplete, deceit, leading, receive, keying, Greek, grieve

32. Sound: /ī/ **Spellings:** i, _igh, i_e, _y, _ie

CHANGE IT! WORDS: ideal, tighten, tide, trying, dying, untied, cried, right

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /d/ /ē/ /n/ /ī/ (deny)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around: /ī/ /r/ /ū/ /t/ /n/ /d/ (untried) What's the word if you take away the /ū/ /n/ /r/ /d/? (tie)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /l/ /ī/ /e/ /d/ (lighted)

SPELL IT! brighten, sighing, byline, slighted, denied, driest, rely, reply

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33. **Sound:** /ō/ **Spellings:** o, o_e, _oe, oa_, ow

CHANGE IT! WORDS: rodent, lonely, slowly, vetoed

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /g/ /r/ /ō/ /n/ (grown)
What's the word if you take away the /g/ and /n/? (row)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/s/ /t/ /ō/ /m/ /ē/ /l/ (mostly) What's the word if you take away the /l/ and /ē/? (most)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/ō/ /n/ /l/ (only)

SPELL IT! noted, gloated, token, growing, meadow, rowboat, toed, stove

34. **Sound:** /ū/ **Spellings:** u, u_e, _ew, _ue

CHANGE IT! WORDS: music, dispute, venue, rescue, nephew, chewy

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /k/ /ū/ /ī/ /d/ (Cupid)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/ū/ /x/ /z/ /ē/ /k/ (excuse) What's the word if you take away the /x/ and /z/? (use)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/k/ /ū/ /ā/ /t/ (mutate)

SPELL IT! cued, chewed, music, muted, pews, mules, miscue, impute (to attribute to)

r-controlled Vowels

NOTE: The *r*-controlled vowels are color-coded *gold*.

35. **Sound:** /ar/ **Spelling:** ar

CHANGE IT! WORDS: Arctic, artist, started, charcoal, charmed, sonar, subpar

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/m/ /ar/ /ch/ /d/ (marched)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/ch/ /ā/ /r/ /m/ What's the word if you take away the /ch/ and /r/? (am)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/ch/ /ar/ /t/ /ē/ (charted)

SPELL IT! argue, charted, started, depart, carpet, barn, darts, armpit

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36. **Sound:** /or/ **Spellings:** or, ore

CHANGE IT! WORDS: armor, story, orbit, forearm, onshore, before, boring, forbid

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /s/ /p/ /or/ /t/ (sport)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/t/ /ě/ /g/ /or/ /f/ (forget) What's the word if you take away the /g/, /ě/, and /t/? (for)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/h/ /ar/ /or/ (harbor)

SPELL IT! target, arbor, minor, forty, sorely, ordeal, stormy, gory

37. **Sound:** /er/ **Spelling:** er

CHANGE IT! WORDS: explore, border, transfer, hunger, perplex, artery

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /b/ /ar/ /t/ /er/ (barter)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/er/ /s/ /r/ /t/ /ō/ /g/ /n/ (stronger) What's the word if you take away the /t/, /r/, and /er/? (song)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/s/ /or/ /er/ (sorter)

SPELL IT! unborn, boxer, rapper, order, starter, starry, garter, garner (to gather)

38. **Sound:** /er/ **Spelling:** ir

CHANGE IT! WORDS: redbird, whirl, thirsty, stir, dirty, direct, birthday

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /sh/ /ir/ /t/ /l/ (shirt)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/s/ /t/ /r/ /qu/ /d/ /ir/ (squirted)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/r/ /ē/ /ir/ /th/ (rebirth) What's the word if you take away the /r/ and /ē/? (birth)

SPELL IT! sir, virtue, squirm, whirlybird, squirt, third, thirst, birder (a birdwatcher)

39. **Sound:** /er/ **Spellings:** ur

CHANGE IT! murder, surfer, urgent, burnt, suburb, slurp, blurted, burger, nursing

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/d/ /er/ /r/ /ē/ /ng/ (during)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/t/ /n/ /ē/ /er/ /r/ (return), /er/ /j/ /s/ /ng/ /ē/ (surging) What's the word if you take away the /s/? (urging)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/b/ /er/ /er/ (burner)

SPELL IT! firm, burn, hurling, surfing, sulfur, hurt, burst

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Diphthongs

NOTE: The diphthongs are color-coded *purple*.

40. Sounds: /ow/ **Spellings:** _ow, ou_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: urgent, disturb, tower, owlsh, scowling, down, town, outfield, outbound, founder

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/ch/ /ow/ /d/ /er/ (chowder)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:

/l/ /d/ /k/ /ow/ (cloud) What’s the word if you take away the /k/? (loud)

WHAT’S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what’s missing:

/r/ /ow/ /d/ (round)

SPELL IT! flower, counted, rebound, shower, ground, shouted, brow, crouch

41. Sounds: /oo/ **Spellings:** oo, _ue, _ui, u_e, _ew, u, _eu

CHANGE IT! WORDS: down, round, crude, truth, threw, sleuth, suit, duty, drool

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /t/ /oo/ /th/ (tooth)

What’s the word if you take away the /th/ (too)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:

/l/ /oo/ /k/ (clue)

WHAT’S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what’s missing:

/k/ /oo/ (cool)

SPELL IT! roost, dew, rule, cruel, fruit, screw, duly, neutron

42. Sounds: /oo/ **Spellings:** oo, _u_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: fool, fruit, rudely, newer, neuter, blue, duty, footer, wool, loop, put, push

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /w/ /oo/ /d/ (wood)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change ‘em around:

/oo/ /er/ /f/ /t/ (footer)

WHAT’S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what’s missing:

/w/ /i/ /sh/ /f/ /l/ (wishful) What’s the word if you take away the /f/, /oo/, and /l/? (wish)

SPELL IT! took, stood, woofer, looked, foot, pulse, bush, pusher

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43. **Sounds:** /oi/ **Spellings:** oi_, _oy

CHANGE IT! WORDS: roof, bush, pointed, ointment, oily, soil, tabloid, coyly, enjoy

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /b/ /oi/ /l/ /er/ (boiler)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/er/ /s/ /oi/ /p/ /l/ (spoiler) What's the word if you take away the /s/, /p/, and er/? (oil)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/j/ /oi/ /n/ /t/ /l/ (jointly)

SPELL IT! joyful, toil, boy, employment, broiler, noisy, coiled, joist (wood or steel used to support a floor or roof)

44. **Sounds:** /aw/ **Spellings:** aw, au, a[l], a[ll], augh[t]

CHANGE IT! WORDS: toying, foil, crawl, hauling, daughter, alter, almost, falling, fraud

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /aw/ /l/ /s/ /ō/ (also),

/aw/ /n/ /t/ (auntie—some dialects feature the /ă/

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/n/ /h/ /t/ /aw/ /s/ (haunts)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/d/ /r/ /l/ (drawl—a slow southern accent) What's the word if you take away the /l/? (draw)

SPELL IT! law, slaughter, royal, drawn, mauling, stall, saw, caught

Syllable Juncture

45. **Sound:** /j/ **Spellings:** g(e), g(i)_, g(y), _ge, _dge

CHANGE IT! WORDS: fawn, faulty, gents, giant, energy, merge, fidget, badge, sage (a wise person)

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/d/ /ī/ /j/ /ē/ /s/ /t/ (digest) What's the word if you take away the /d/, /ī/, and /s/? (jet)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/j/ /d/ /ē/ /ē/ /n/ /l/ (legend) What's the word if you take away the /j/ and /ē/? (lend)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/r/ /ī/ /j/ /l/ /n/ (ridgeline)

SPELL IT! edgy, gifted, ledger, badger, fridge, stage, bridge, stingy (cheap; not generous)

Change It! Sounds Challenge! Sound Jumbles! What's Missing? Spell It!

46. **Sounds:** /s/, /k/ **Spellings:** c[e,i,y], _c, _ck

CHANGE IT! WORDS: ridges, gin, binge, edgy, mercy, cistern, center, sicken, back, basic, panic

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/p/ /l/ /ă/ /s/ /t/ /ĩ/ /k/ (plastic) What's the word if you take away the /p/, /ĩ/ /k/? (last)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/n/ /s/ /er/ /t/ /ē/ /ē/ (century) What's the word if you take away the /er/ and /ē/ (cent)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/p/ /g/ /er/ (pager)

SPELL IT! stricken, Cindy, lacy, tricky, black, cents, current, capture

47. **Sound:** /ĩ/ **Spellings:** _y

CHANGE IT! WORDS: dancer, fancy, citrus, lucky, epic, encrypt, lyric, physics, syrup

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/g/ /ĩ/ /m/ /n/ /ă/ /s/ /t/ /ĩ/ /k/ /s/ (gymnastics)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/m/ /ĩ/ /t/ /k/ /ĩ/ /s/ (mystic) What's the word if you take away the /m/ and first /ĩ/? (stick)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/m/ /ĩ/ /s/ /t/ /er/ (mystery)

SPELL IT! background, music, crystal, hymnal, oxygen, lyrical, physical, mystical

NOTE: The schwa sounds are color-coded *gray*.

48. **Sounds:** Schwa /ə/ /ũ/ /l/ **Spellings:** _le

CHANGE IT! WORDS: lyric, uncle, mantle, table, staple, pickle, bungle, ladle (a large long-handled spoon), trifle (of little value)

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/s/ /ĩ/ /m/ /p/ /le/ (simple)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/le/ /r/ /ĩ/ /f/ /t/ (trifle—a small amount) What's the word if you take away the /t/? (rifle)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/f/ /b/ /le/ (fable—a short story that teaches a lesson)

SPELL IT! grumble, fickle, bugle, tremble, castle, idle (lazy), fickle (changing often), stifle (to hold back)

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49. **Sounds:** Schwa /ə/ /ʊ/, /ɪ/ **Spellings:** a, _ai_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: candle, able, usable, about, atlas, certain, bargain, mountain

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/b/ /ar/ /n/ /ə/ /k/ /le/ (barnacle—a small sea creature that attaches to something)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/k/ /n/ /ur/ /t/ /ə/ (curtain) What's the word if you take away the /t/ and /ə/? (curt—to cut short)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/ə/ /ow/ /n/ /d/ (around)

SPELL IT! fountain, aloud, Cuba, Santa, captain, alarm, afar, aground

50. **Sound:** Schwa /ə/ /ɪ/ **Spelling:** e

CHANGE IT! WORDS: captain, coma, totem, kitten, gravel, problem, comet

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/m/ /ɪ/ /t/ /t/ /ə/ /n/ (mitten)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/k/ /n/ /ə/ /t/ /ō/ (token), /m/ /d/ /ă/ /ə/ /t/ /n/ (tandem) What's the word if you take away the

/d/, /ə/, and /m/? (tan)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/m/ /ō/ /d/ /ə/ (model)

SPELL IT! panel, emblem, elect, rebel, planet, open, molten, enigma (puzzling)

51. **Sounds:** Schwa /ə/ /ʊ/, /ɪ/ **Spelling:** i

CHANGE IT! WORDS: camel, select, edible, pencil, tonsil, animate, estimate, president

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/ă/ /n/ /ə/ /m/ /ə/ (animal)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:

/n/ /s/ /t/ /ə/ /s/ /ē/ /l/ (stencil), /l/ /s/ /ō/ /ə/ /t/ /n/ (tonsil) What's the word if you take away the

/t/, /ə/, and /l/? (on)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:

/m/ /d/ /ə/ /k/ /ə/ /l/? (medical)

SPELL IT! lentil, promise, resident, visible, basil (an herb used to flavor food),

evident (clearly understood), replicate (to repeat), credible (believable)

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52. **Sounds:** Schwa /ə/ /ʊ/, /ɪ/ **Spellings:** o, _io_, ou_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: lentil, ransom, atom, onion, prison, ominous, command

CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /k/ /ə/ /z/ /ɪ/ /n/ (cousin)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /ā/ /r/ /n/ /ə/ /m/ /d/ (random) What's the word if you take away the /d/, /ə/, and /m/? (ran)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /ē/ /m/ /ə/ /n/ (lemon)

SPELL IT! seldom, commend, commit, common, woman, wisdom, companion, canon (a general rule or collection)

Greek and Latin Influences

53a. **Sound:** /sh/ **Spellings:** _ci_, _si_, _ti_

CHANGE IT! WORDS: confer, cautious, vicious, vision, version, fiction, notion

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds:

/d/ /ē/ /s/ /ɪ/ /zh/ /ə/ /n/ (decision)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /s/ /ē/ /l/ /ɪ/ /sh/, /ə/, and /d/ (delicious)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /ē/ /j/ /ē/ /k/ /t/ /ə/ /n/ (ejection) What's the word if you take away the /sh/, /ə/, and /n/ (eject)

SPELL IT! ferocious, erosion, lotion, election, eviction, devotion, convection (transfer from one place to another), lesion (a bodily wound)

53b. **Sounds:** /f/, /k/, /n/ **Spellings:** ph, ch_, gn

CHANGE IT! WORDS: phantom, graph, chorus, chemist, sign

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /ph/ /ō/ /n/ (phone)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around: /r/ /ch/ /m/ /ō/ (chrome) What's the word if you take away the /ch/? (Rome)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing: /ā/ /n/ /ch/ (anchor)

SPELL IT! chaos, ache, chord, echo, gnat, gnome, phrase, chasm (a deep crack in the earth)

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Consonant-Final e Patterns

54. **Sounds:** Consonant-Final e

Spellings: _/z/e, _arge, _ate, _ile, _ite, _ce, _se, y_e, _ve, _k_, _ine, _ute

CHANGE IT! WORDS: senate, granite, mobile, notice, rose, glove, marine, large, byte

SOUNDS CHALLENGE! Drag the cards down as you say these sounds: /tɪ/ /ē/ /z/ (tease)

SOUND JUMBLES! Drag the cards down as you say the sounds; then change 'em around:
/v/ /b/ /ə/ /ə/ (above), /l/ /v/ /ə/ /g/ (glove) What's the word if you take away the /g/? (love)

WHAT'S MISSING? Drag the cards down as you say the sounds, and add what's missing:
/l/ /ə/ /t/ /r/ /n/ (latrine—a toilet)

SPELL IT! ease, sterile, pose, style, nerve, crevice (a narrow opening in a rock),
novice (a beginner), latrine (an outdoor toilet)