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ck words



Name _____ Date _____

I can read words with ck, like duck.

1 Say each word. Listen for /ck/.


duck


sock


rock


lock


clock


truck


brick


rocket

2 How to say it

Ck makes the /k/ sound at the end of a short word, right after a short vowel: duck, sock, back. The c and the k work together as one sound.

3 More ck words

Read them to a grown-up.

back pack sack neck deck kick pick

sick rock sock duck luck

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Which sound do you hear?

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Say the picture name. Circle the sound you hear.



ch sh ck



ch sh ck



sh ck ch



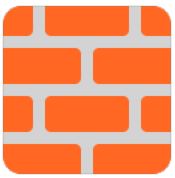
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Match the picture to the word

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Draw a line from each picture to its word.



clock



lock



duck



truck



sock



rock

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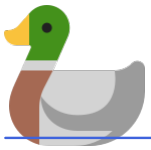
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Fill in the missing letters

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Write the missing letters in the box. Then write the whole word.

ck



du ☐



so ☐



ro ☐



lo ☐



clo ☐



tru ☐



bri ☐



ro ☐ et

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Sort the words

Name _____ Date _____

Read each word. Write it in the box where it belongs.

1 Word bank

black rock tuck sack lock pack sock
pick dock lick duck luck kick truck
back sick

-ack	-ick	-ock	-uck

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Read, trace and find

Name _____ Date _____

Read each word aloud, then trace it.

back	back	pack	pack
sack	sack	neck	neck
deck	deck	kick	kick
pick	pick	sick	sick
rock	rock	sock	sock
duck	duck	luck	luck

2 Read each sentence. Circle the ck words.

1. The duck is on a rock.
2. Pack a sock in the bag.
3. Jack has a black truck.

How did I do? ☆ ☆ ☆

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FOR TEACHERS AND PARENTS

Answer key: ck words

1 Which sound do you hear? / Fill in the missing letters

duck (ck), sock (ck), rock (ck), lock (ck), clock (ck), truck (ck), brick (ck), rocket (ck)

2 Match the picture

1. duck 2. sock 3. rock 4. lock 5. clock 6. truck

3 Sort the words

-ack back, pack, sack, black
-ick kick, pick, sick, lick
-ock dock, sock, lock, rock
-uck duck, luck, tuck, truck

4 Circle the words

1. duck, rock
2. Pack, sock
3. Jack, black, truck

5 Teaching tip 💡

Ck makes the /k/ sound at the end of a short word, right after a short vowel: duck, sock, back. The c and the k work together as one sound.

Watch for: Writing only k or c at the end, as in "duk" or "soc". A simple rule: after a short vowel in a one-syllable word, use ck.

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