

Hello students!!
Please practice these words at home twice a week for 15 minutes!! - Mrs. Mick



Initial R Word List

*Practice saying words alone and then make up sentences with them.

Nouns

raft
rail
rain
rake
rash
rat
rib
rice
ring
roach
robe
rock
room
rope
rose
wreath
wrist

2+ Syllable

rabbit
raccoon
racket
radish
rainbow
rattle
relish
reptile
ribbon
robin
robot
rocket
radio
rattlesnake
rectangle
rolling pin

Verbs

race
rain
raise
reach
read
rest
ride/rode
rinse
rip
roast
rock
root
row
rub
ruin
run/ran
rush
wrap
wreck
write

2+ Syllable

react
realize
rebuild
receive
recite
recycle
refill
refuse
relax
remind
remove
repeat
replace
rescue
wreck

wrestle
wrinkle

Adjectives

raw
real
red
rich
right
rough
round
rude

2+ Syllable

rainy
rapid
recycled
red hot
relaxed
relieved
rested
restless
ridiculous
right-handed
rinsed
ripped
risky
rocky
rosy
rotten
rowdy
royal
ruby red
ruffly
ruined
rusty
wrapped
wrecked
wrinkled

Jobs

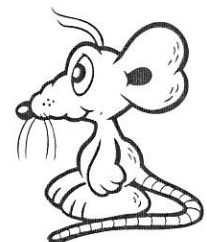
racing champ
racquetball champ
radio disc jockey
rocket man
rookie
runway guide
wrestling coach

Expressions

Ready
Really
Respect
Riddle me this
Ridiculous
Right on
Rock on
Get real
Wrap it up

Places

(skating) rink
recital hall
ranch
Redwoods
road (side)
Rocky Mountains
rodeo
room
rummage sale
wrestling ring



R and R-Blends

Task A: Word Level

Repeat or read each of these words.

R: Initial – Single Syllable

raft	rim
rag	ring
rack	rink
ram	rinse
ramp	rip
ran	risk
rank	wrist
rant	rich
ranch	ride
rap	rhyme

wrapped	rind
rash	ripe
rat	rice
ray	right
raid	rod
rake	rock
rail	wrong
rain	rot
race	row
rate	robe

rave	road
raise	roll
raw	roam
red	roast
ref	wrote
wreck	rose
wren	rude
rent	roof
wrench	rule
rest	room

read	route
reef	round
real	rub
wreath	rough
reach	rug
rib	run
rid	rung
ridge	rust
rig	rush
Rick	rut

R: Initial – Multisyllable

rabbit	republic
radish	receipt
raffle	recess
racket	recycle
raccoon	review
rally	reason
Randy	ribbon
rapid	riddle
rascal	ridiculous
rattlesnake	Ricky

rabies	ripple
radio	wrinkle
railing	wristwatch
rainy	riches
rainbow	right hand
racing	writing
rating	robin
raisin	rocky
ready	rotten
reckless	robot

relative	rowboat
reptile	rodent
rescue	roll call
react	romance
reading	roaming
region	roasting
rejoice	Rosa
refill	rosebush
reflect	roofing
refund	roommate

recall	root beer
relay	royal
relax	rowdy
really	roundup
religion	rubbish
remind	ruffle
remove	rugged
renew	runway
repeat	rusty
reply	Russia

Final R Word List

Nouns

bear
car
chair
deer
door
ear
floor
fur
gear
hair
hour
jar
mare
oar
pear
star
tar
tear
tire
wire

2+ Syllable

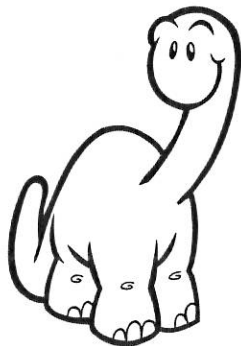
apple core
candy bar
dinosaur
downpour
eclair
guitar
jaguar
meteor
nightmare
software
souvenir

Verbs

bore
cheer
dare
glare
hear
hire
pour
purr
scare
score
share
smear
soar
stare
steer
tear
wear

2+ Syllable

admire
adore
appear
compare
disappear
explore
ignore
volunteer



Adjectives

clear
dear
fair
far
near
poor
pure
sore
spare
square
wire

2+ Syllable

amateur
bizarre
outdoor
sapphire
secure
sincere
unfair



Jobs

billionaire
cashier
engineer
matador
millionaire
pioneer
umpire
volunteer

Expressions

All clear
Beware
Fire
Fore
Happy New Year
Here
More
No fair
Sir
Sure
Where

Places

bookstore
campfire
choir
fair
pier
salad bar
seashore
snack bar
stair

Final R Word List

Nouns

alligator
anteater
apple cider
beaver
blister
bulldozer
butter
calendar
collar
computer
cougar
cucumber
diaper
dinner
dishwasher
dollar
feather
finger
flipper
flower
gopher
hammer
hamster
hanger
ladder
laser
lawn mower
letter
liver
lobster
locker
monster
neighbor
otter
oyster
peanut butter
pepper

picture
poster
saltshaker
spider
supper
tiger
toaster
treasure
vanilla wafer
water
woodpecker
zipper

Verbs

answer
capture
chatter
color
conquer
discover
gather
glitter
lather
measure
offer
scatter
shiver
shower
slobber
snicker
splatter
whisper

Adjectives

better
bigger
bitter
cleaner
clever
closer
cooler
eager
faster
flatter
hotter
lavender
leather
longer
louder
luckier
miniature
muscular
nicer
older
popular
rougher
safer
silver
slower
smaller
taller
tender
whiter



Jobs

baby sitter
baker
butcher
catcher
chauffeur
dancer
golfer
ice skater
janitor
mayor
officer
pitcher
plumber
teacher
waiter

Expressions

Danger
Faster
Higher
Lower
Super
Timber
Whatever

Places

bleachers
cellar
diner
elevator
flying saucer
gutter
pasture
sewer
shower
theater

R and R-Blends

Task A: Word Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each of these words.

R: Final – Single Syllable

air	tear
bear	cheer
blare	year
dare	fire
fair	choir
glare	liar
hair	tire
care	wire
Claire	or
pair	door

scare	four
spare	your
stair	lure
swear	pure
there	sure
wear	core
are	more
bar	sore
jar	score
car	tore

scar	chore
star	wore
deer	our
fear	sour
gear	burr
hear	blur
clear	fur
near	her
peer	purr
spear	whir

R: Final – Multisyllable

affair	frontier
compare	cashier
nightmare	reindeer
repair	root beer
software	mirror
unfair	nearer
guitar	wrangler
salad bar	wrapper
appear	razor
engineer	reader

register	campfire
regular	umpire
wrecker	adore
remainder	before
remember	bookstore
receiver	dinosaur
writer	explore
ruler	outdoor
runner	sophomore
entire	half-hour

R: Medial

aerobics	garage
area	giraffe
around	gorilla
arrange	hayride
arrest	hearing
arrive	hurricane
barrel	Ireland
berry	kangaroo
burro	macaroni
cafeteria	Missouri

camera	narrow
caramel	operation
caring	orange
carrot	parachute
cherry	parade
century	parent
cereal	pirate
chorus	plural
coloring	quarrel
coral	sharing

correct	siren
dairy	sorry
diary	squirrel
direction	storage
erase	surround
errand	therapy
every	tomorrow
fairy	tourist
Florida	wiring
flurry	zero

Medial R Word List

Nouns

arrow
barrel
bathrobe
battery
berry
camera
canary
carriage
carrot
celery
cereal
cherry
clarinet
coral
diary
dictionary
earring
Ferris wheel
fire engine
giraffe
gorilla
kangaroo
macaroni
orange
orangutan
parachute
parakeet
parrot
pyramid
siren
squirrel
storybook
syrup
tambourine
tarantula
wheelbarrow

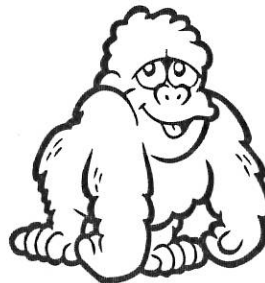
Verbs

arrange
arrest
arrive
borrow
carry
correct
decorate
direct
embarrass
encourage
erase
interrupt
irritate
marry
memorize
operate
parachute
separate
surround
worry



Adjectives

boring
caramel
caring
cheery
correct
courageous
daring
eerie
emerald
foreign
furious
furry
horrible
imaginary
irritating
irresistible
luxurious
narrow
natural
necessary
nervous
orange
original
perfect
scary
serious
sparkling
starry
terrible
terrific
thorough
worried



Jobs

teacher (chorus)
ballerina
florist
General
hero
marine
parent
pirate
sheriff
tooth fairy
tourist
Zorro

Expressions

Correct
Courage
Hurray
Hurry
Sorry
Spirit
Terrific
Tomorrow
Very good
Victory
Zero

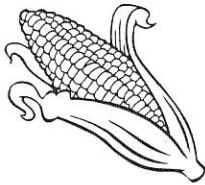
Places

aerobics class
arena
auditorium
bathroom
cafeteria
corral
forest
garage
parade

Medial R Word List

Nouns

arm
beard
bird
cork
corn
fork
girl
heart
horn
horse
pearl
purse
shark
shirt
worm



2+ Syllable

airplane
butterfly
carpet
cartoon
dessert
doorbell
eyebrow
garbage
hairbrush
leopard
lizard
marshmallow
mattress
motorcycle
mustard
ostrich
popcorn
porpoise
skateboard

Verbs

bark
charge
disturb
earn
learn
march
mark
search
serve
snarl
squirt
turn
twirl
warn
work

2+ Syllable

agree
appreciate
approve
argue
barbecue
celebrate
daydream
disagree
entertain
exaggerate
gargle
improve
interrupt
leapfrog
sharpen
somersault
subscribe
subtract

Adjectives

bored
dark
fierce
firm
hurt
large
sharp
short
smart
third
warm
weird
worn

2+ Syllable

afraid
allergic
angry
barefoot
careful
cheerful
colorful
curly
dangerous
dirty
early
electric
enormous
favorite
gorgeous
hungry
interesting
miserable
normal
purple
slippery
unfriendly

Jobs

acrobat
actress
artist
astronaut
firefighter
fisherman
lifeguard
motorcycle cop
nurse
waitress
wizard

Expressions

Charge
Charming
Congratulations
First
Incredible
March
Of course
Outrageous
Superb
Timber
Urgent
On your marks

Places

barn
bedroom
carnival
desert
farm
garden
golf course
market
park

R and R-Blends

Task B: Phrase and Sentence Level

Repeat or read each phrase and sentence containing the **R** sound.

Initial

1. The rose is red.
2. Reach for the rope.
3. Rain fell on the roof.
4. Read the report.
5. The roast beef is rare.
6. The room is ready.
7. He rides in the rodeo.
8. Raisins are wrinkled.
9. Put the ribbon on your wrist.
10. I'll race you down the road.
11. Is it a real ruby?
12. Are you ready for roll call?
13. Wring out the wet rag.
14. Reheat the rest of the rolls.
15. Little Red Riding Hood ran home.
16. Is it ripe or rotten?
17. Row, row, row the boat.
18. Robin Hood robbed the rich.
19. They play rock and roll on the radio.
20. The rescue squad raced to the wreck.

Final

1. See you later.
2. Wear and tear
3. The door is over there.
4. Is the water pure?
5. Sure, I'll take more.
6. Is he older or younger?
7. This sweater is bigger.
8. Color either dinosaur.
9. The car is faster.
10. I can't figure out the answer.
11. We have one more year.
12. The tiger is clever.
13. She is a cashier at the drug store.
14. Is he four or five?
15. Mr. Star sings tenor in the choir.
16. Where is your sister?
17. Here is your spare tire.
18. Their father and mother are here.
19. A computer is faster than a typewriter.
20. Let's eat dinner at the other diner.

R and R-Blends

Task B: Phrase and Sentence Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each sentence containing the **R** sound.

Medial

1. The squirrel buried nuts.
2. I'm sorry we had a quarrel.
3. The band is marching in the parade.
4. Tomorrow I'm going to Florida.
5. I'll have a cherry Slurpee®.
6. The turpentine is in the garage.
7. We barbecue with charcoal.
8. A parakeet is a small parrot.
9. The jury has the verdict.
10. Hurry with your errands.
11. The birthday party is on Saturday.
12. Is the arithmetic correct?
13. Kangaroos and giraffes don't live in the forest.
14. Karen married Harold.
15. My favorite cereal is Cheerios®.
16. The ceremony is about to start.
17. I'm very worried about the hurricane.
18. May I borrow some detergent?
19. The cafeteria is serving macaroni on Thursday.
20. The storm battered the Florida coast.

Mixed

1. The poster is wrinkled.
2. Ring the doorbell.
3. Cheer for every player.
4. The horse never leaves the ranch.
5. Put a rubber band around the wrappers.
6. The car swerved off the road.
7. Peter Rabbit ate the carrots.
8. Don't interrupt the speaker.
9. Wear a pair of sneakers.
10. Just rip off the wrapping paper.
11. Pour me a glass of root beer.
12. Ring the bell before you enter.
13. I like to relax in my rocking chair.
14. My roommate forgot to pay the rent.
15. Is it real butter or margarine?
16. Is orange a color of the rainbow?
17. The explorer followed the North Star.
18. Checkers are round and red.
19. Our kindergarten teacher read us a story.
20. The roller coaster loops around in a circle.

R and R-Blends

Task E: Paragraph Level

Read or paraphrase these paragraphs using the **R** sound.

1. My sister Alice's favorite color is red. She has a big, red car. Alice also has long, red fingernails and lots of red clothing, but she has beautiful, blue eyes.
2. May I borrow a rake? I don't know where I put mine when I finished with it. Our yard is such a mess. There are leaves everywhere. I want to get them cleaned up before it begins to rain. Thank you so much!
3. I'm sad that it rained on our parade day. I was looking forward to wearing our new uniforms. Let's hope that it will be sunny tomorrow. Then, we can let everyone see how nice we look!
4. That red rose is so beautiful. Is it a real flower or an artificial one? It looks so lifelike, it is hard to tell. It looks like it just came out of your garden. Will you tell me the answer or must I guess?
5. I have been called for jury duty. I must be in the courtroom every day this week. I hope we have an interesting case. I also hope that I can be fair. It is an important job. Everyone should take this job seriously.
6. My little sister loves to watch Barney. Every day around four o'clock she sits by the television. When Barney comes on, she cheers and hollers his name. She loves that big, purple dinosaur.
7. My new car is so dirty. There is a lot of mud on the roof and on all of the doors. I'm going to take it to the car wash. It's easier to wash it there and the water is much hotter than it is at home.
8. Will you help me wrap this package? Get out some colorful paper and the ribbon. Now, where did I put the tape? Oh, it's right here. I hope this piece of wrapping paper is big enough to go around this box.
9. What's wrong with this computer? I can't get the cursor to move. I must finish this letter by tomorrow. If I can't get it moving, I will never get done on time. I should have used a typewriter. It would have been much quicker!

Initial R Blends Word List

Nouns

braid
brain
brakes
branch
brush
crab
crib
crown
dress
drum
frog
fruit
grapes
grass
gravy
prize
prune
shrimp
strings
thread
throne
train

2+ Syllable

bracket
cricket
crocodile
dragon
freckle
frisbee
groundhog
pretzel
tricycle
trampoline

Verbs

break
breathe
bring
broil
cry
cross
drag
draw
dream
drink
freeze
fry
grab
grin
growl
press
print
prowl
shrink
scrape
spray
spread
stretch
trace
train

2+ Syllable

practice
predict
promise
produce
protect
scramble
scribble
sprinkle

Adjectives

brave
bright
brown
cracked
crisp
dry
free
fried
fresh
gray
great
green
proud
straight
strange
straw
strict
striped
strong

2+ Syllable

brainy
breakable
broiled
crazy
creepy
droopy
freaky
friendly
pretty
prickly
tricky
greasy
grouchy
scratchy
stretchy

Jobs

crossing guard
drama coach
president
prince
principal
track coach
traffic cop
trash man
tribal chief

Expressions

Bravo
Drop kick
Oh brother
Freeze
Groan
Gross
No problem
Presto
Strike
True

Places

bridge
brook
crater
creek
crosswalk
grove
stream
street
track
thrift shop



R and R-Blends

Task A: Word Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each of these words.

R-Blends: Initial – Single Syllable

BR

brag
branch
brass
brat
brake
brace
brave
bread
breath
breeze

bridge
brick
bring
bride
broad
brought
bruise
brow
brown
brush

DR

drab
draft
drag
drank
drain
drape
draw
dread
dress
dream

drill
drip
dry
drop
drove
drew
drool
droop
drown
drum

FR

Frank
frame
friend
fresh
free
freeze
fried
frog
fruit
from

GR

grab
grand
grass
gray
grade
grape
grace
great
grave
grease

greet
grin
gripe
grow
gross
grew
group
ground
grub
gruff

KR

crab
crack
crash
crane
crate
crest
creak
cream
creep
crib

crisp
cried
crime
crock
crop
crow
crew
crumb
crust
crush

PR

prank
prance
pray
press
preach
print
prize
prom
pro
prune

TR

track
trap
trash
tray
trade
train
tree
treat
trick
trim

trip
try
tribe
tried
true
troop
truth
truck
trunk
trust

SKR

scram
scrap
scratch
scrape
scream
screen
screech
scroll
screw
scrub

SPR

sprang
spray
spread
spree
spring
sprint
sprite
spruce
sprout
sprung

STR

strap
stray
straight
straw
stretch
stream
street
string
stripe
strong

THR

thread
three
thrift
thrill
thrive
throw
throne
throat
through
thrust

R and R-Blends

Task A: Word Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each of these words.

R-Blends: Initial – Multisyllable

BR

brand-new
brainy
bracelet
breakfast
breaststroke
breezy
brilliant
brittle
briar
bridesmaid

brighten
broccoli
bronco
bravo
broken
broomstick
broiler
brownie
brussels sprouts
brother

DR

drafty
dragon
drama
drawing
dreadful
dresser
dreamer
driveway
drugstore
drummer

FR

fragile
fraction
fracture
fragrance
freckle

friendship
French fries
freedom
freestyle
freeway

frisky
frizzy
Friday
frying pan
frolic
frosty
frozen
fruit salad
frontier
front page

GR

grandma
grasshopper
grade school
gravy
greetings
gritty
grimy
groceries
groundhog
grumble

KR

cracker
crayon
crazy
credit
creepy
cricket
crispy
crisscross
croquet
crummy

PR

practice
prairie
pressure
precious
pretzel
president
prehistoric
prescription
pretend
preserve

princess
printed
prisoner
private
problem
profit
program
pronounce
propeller
protein

TR

traffic
tractor
trash can
travel
trading
tree house
tricky
triangle
tricycle
trouble

SKR

Scrabble®
scramble
scrapbook
scratchy
scraper

screening
scribble
screwdriver
scruple
scrub brush

SPR

sprayer
spreader
springer
springing
springboard
springtime
sprinkle
sprinkler
sprinter
sprouted

STR

stranger
strawberry
strengthen
stretcher
streamer
string beans
strike out
stroller
stronger
struggle

THR

threading
threaten
threshold
thrifty
thrift shop
thriller
thriving
throwing
throughout
thruway

R and R-Blends

Task A: Word Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each of these words.

R-Blends: Medial

BR

Abraham
celebrate
celebrity
daybreak
eyebrow
fabric
Gabriel
gingerbread
hairbrush
Labrador

library
Nebraska
paintbrushes
sea breeze
sombbrero
thoroughbred
umbrella
underbrush
vibrate
zebra

DR

address
bedroom
daydream
fire drill
gumdrop
hair dryer
hundred
laundry
salad dressing
soft drink

FR

afraid
Africa
Alfred
antifreeze
boyfriend

bullfrog
carefree
cold front
confront
defrost

deep freeze
fish fry
girlfriend
grapefruit
Jeffrey
leapfrog
refrain
refreshments
unafraid
waterfront

GR

agree
angry
congress
diagram
fairground
hungry
photograph
program
progress
underground

KR

acrobat
aircraft
concrete
crisscross
ice cream
increase
microwave
scarecrow
secret
spacecraft

PR

approach
apricot
April
blueprint
express
fingerprint
footprint
improve
shipwreck
surprise

TR

actress
betray
control
country
detract
electricity
entrance
extra
field trip
fire truck

mattress
neutral
orchestra
pantry
patrol
poultry
subtract
tantrum
untrue
waitress

SKR

corkscrew
describe
ice cream
inscribe
manuscript

prescribe
prescription
skyscraper
subscribe
unscrew

SPR

bean sprouts
bedspread
blue spruce
bug spray
hair spray
handspring
hot springs
Jack Spratt
offspring
shopping spree

STR

airstrip
astronaut
backstroke
construct
destroy
distress
downstream
nostril
ostrich
shoestring

THR

arthritis
bathrobe
bathroom
drive-through
follow through
free throw
overthrow
sore throat
walk-through
wood thrush

R and R-Blends

Task B: Phrase and Sentence Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each sentence containing **R-blends**.

BR

1. We need an umbrella.
2. Here comes the bride.
3. Use a broom to sweep up the broken glass.
4. I brought some brownies.
5. I have a brand new briefcase.
6. He's Brian's brother.
7. The branches swayed in the breeze.
8. Debra lives in Brooklyn.
9. Who broke my bracelet?
10. There's banana bread for breakfast.

PR

1. Open your present!
2. You're probably right.
3. Pass the pretzels.
4. It's ready to print.
5. He won first prize.
6. The apron is waterproof.
7. The princess is pretty.
8. Preschool children like to pretend.
9. Prancer is prompt.
10. Do you promise to practice?

TR

1. That trick got him in trouble.
2. Citrus fruit grows on trees.
3. The truck traveled far.
4. Here's an extra treat!
5. I try to tell the truth.
6. The ski trail goes cross country.
7. The train stopped on the track.
8. Trace the triangles.

9. Don't try to trade it.
10. Never trust a troll.

DR

1. I dropped the drum.
2. Look in the drawer for a coughdrop.
3. Is my dress dry?
4. The hairdryer is in the dresser.
5. I dreamed I met a dragon.
6. Put the wet laundry in the dryer.
7. Can you draw a dragonfly?
8. The children are dressed.
9. This drink tastes dreadful.
10. I withdrew one hundred dollars.

GR

1. Put away the groceries.
2. Why is Grandpa grinning?
3. Greg looks angry.
4. Stop grabbing all the grapes!
5. We're growing hungry!
6. The grass is green.
7. I got a telegram from Mr. Grant.
8. There's grease on the ground.
9. This program is great!
10. Second graders are the greatest.

KR

1. It's very crowded!
2. The crow flew over the creek.
3. Jump over the cracks.
4. The crate is full of cranberries.
5. The crab crawled away.

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Task B: Phrase and Sentence Level, *continued*

Repeat or read each sentence containing **R-blends**.

KR, *continued*

6. The baby cries in his crib.
7. The crickets are driving me crazy!
8. The crackers are crumbly.
9. Christy has many crayons.
10. The chicken was crispy and crunchy.
3. There's a hole in the screen.
4. Scrape the plates.
5. Scrooge was stingy.
6. Hand me the screwdriver.
7. The skyscraper is tall.

FR

1. Did you see the front page?
2. Don't frown or fret!
3. The fruit is fresh.
4. The refreshments are free.
5. Do you fry French toast?
6. Frank is my friend.
7. The grapefruit are in the refrigerator.
8. Francis looks frightened.
9. Did you freeze the fruitcake?
10. Jack Frost likes frigid weather.
8. Wool is scratchy.
9. The doctor wrote a prescription.
10. Who scribbled in my scrapbook?

STR

SPR

1. Turn on the sprinkler.
2. Spread out the blanket.
3. I like brussels sprouts.
4. Spray the water.
5. Can you do a handspring?
6. I sprained my wrist.
7. Fold up the bedspread.
8. Sprinkle the sugar on the cookies.
9. The hairspray is sticky.
10. Spring has sprung.
1. The string beans are hot.
2. Paddle the boat downstream.
3. Let's take a stroll.
4. I like strawberry strudel.
5. Stretch out the string.
6. This comic strip is strange.
7. The streetcar struck a bus.
8. Does this stripe look straight?
9. This strap is strong.
10. An orchestra has stringed instruments.

THR

SKR

1. The crowd screamed.
2. Scramble the eggs.
1. Are you through?
2. I'm thrilled.
3. My throat hurts.
4. Throw it to me.
5. Let's look in the thrift shop.
6. The thread broke.
7. My head is throbbing.
8. I need three tickets.
9. The woodthrush flew from the tree.
10. The queen sat on her throne.

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Task E: Paragraph Level, *continued*

Read or paraphrase these paragraphs using **R-blends**.

BR

Brenda has beautiful, long, brown hair. Each morning, Brenda brings a brush to her mom. Her mom brushes Brenda's hair and then braids it. Then, she ties a bright ribbon on the end of each braid.

DR

Last night, Andrew dreamt he was a gumdrop. The children kept him in the candy drawer along with one hundred other gumdrops. One day a dragon opened the drawer. He was just about to eat Andrew when he awoke.

FR

Let's make fruit salad for lunch. There's fresh fruit in the bowl. You'll find frozen berries in the freezer, near the front. They'll need to defrost. Add a grapefruit from the refrigerator.

GR

On Groundhog Day, the groundhog came out of his hole. A group of people greeted him. He looked at the gray sky above and felt the cold ground. Someone took his photograph. The groundhog grunted and went back underground for six more weeks.

KR

Chris tried to jump his bike across the creek. He almost made it, but he crashed on the other side. The bike's fenders were crushed and crumpled. The handlebars were crooked. Chris was in worse shape. He cracked a rib and broke his leg. He has to use crutches and buy a new bike.

PR

April entered her leaf prints in an art contest. She was pretty sure she'd win a prize. April thought she'd probably win second or third prize. She was very surprised when she was presented with the first prize.

TR

When Patrick traveled home last night, traffic was heavy. He tried a shortcut. When he got to the train tracks, he ran into trouble. His truck stalled on the tracks, but he got it started again. What a near catastrophe!

SPR/STR

Last spring, I sprained my ankle. I was doing handsprings on the lawn. My shoestring got caught in a sprinkler. I felt a strange pain in my leg. I sprawled on the ground. Luckily, the sprain wasn't too bad. Soon my ankle was stronger and I could at least stroll across the lawn again.