R-Controlled Vowels

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer.

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ur ir or

2. Which spelling is correct for the word that means "the early part of the day"?

marning morning merning

3. Which two letters make the vowel-and-r sound in "purple"?

pu le ur

4. Which word has the same vowel-and-r sound as "perfect"?

sharpen disturb popcorn

5. Which word does NOT have a vowel followed by r?

turtle kitten return

6. Which letters fill the empty boxes? The word means "a round shape like a ring".



ir ar ur

7. Which spelling is correct for the word that means "a large farm bird with a fan of tail feathers"?

torkey turkey terkey

8. Which two letters make the vowel-and-r sound in "garden"?

de rd ar

9. Which word has the same vowel-and-r sound as "thirty"?

return orchestra market

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purpose confirm picnic

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