R-Controlled Vowels

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer, or write the answer on the line.

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

turtle winter orchestra thirty

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

morning planet purple birthday

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