R-Controlled Vowels

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer.

1. Which letters fill the empty boxes? The word means "a large farm bird with a fan of tail feathers".



ur ar er

2. Which spelling is correct for the word that means "a place where flowers and vegetables grow"?

garden gurden gorden

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

ty ir hi

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

circle popcorn harvest

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

sunset orbit circus

6. Which letters fill the empty boxes? The word means "the coldest season of the year".



or er ir

7. Which spelling is correct for the word that means "a place where people buy food"?

morket market merket

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

ay bi ir

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

garbage normal return

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

harvest circle ribbon

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