R-Controlled Vowels

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

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wi te er

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lantern cartoon surface

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

lantern ribbon cartoon

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or ar er

7. Which spelling is correct for the word that means "the color you get by mixing red and blue"?

parple purple pirple

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

fe er ec

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

circus orbit garden

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rabbit orbit person

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