# Syllable Types

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet - Challenge Me

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open + closed + r-controlled

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closed + closed + r-controlled

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