

Long and short vowels

Fill each gap with the right word. Choose between the long and short vowels.

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I want to get _____ of my bike. I don't want to _____ any more.

I am _____ sure I want to _____ the bike club.

I got _____ when they _____ us wash our bikes every week. Perhaps it's _____ I gave it to my brother _____. Or, if I sold it, I might get a nice big _____. I'm _____ sure what I would do with all that money. I could buy a lion _____ which I would feed with a _____ of sugar, a _____ of ice cream and a _____ of chocolate spread. I would _____ him to _____ my hand but I would not like him to _____ me one little _____.


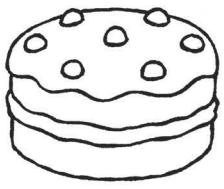
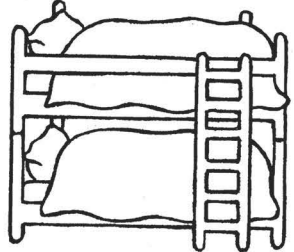

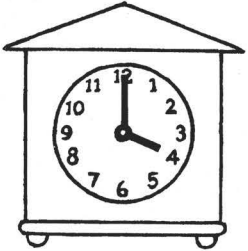
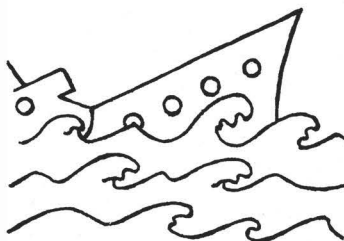
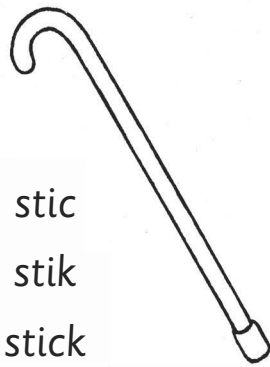

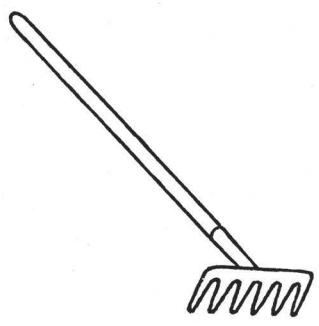
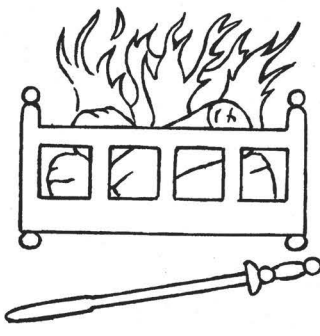

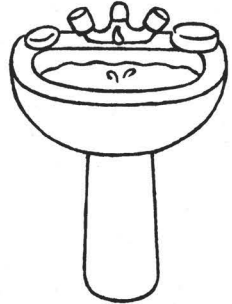
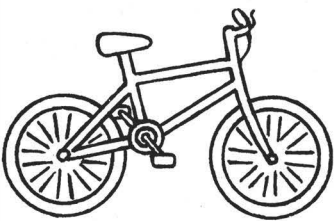
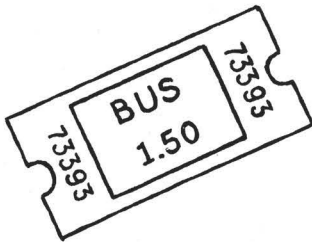
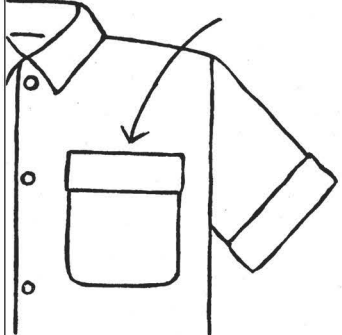
I think I'll keep my bike. It may be safer.



ck or k

Remember that k after a short vowel has to be -ck.

Ring the right spelling in each box.

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| |  <p>blac <u>black</u> blak blakk</p> |  <p>cacke cake cace cack</p> |  <p>bunks buncks buncs bucks</p> |
|  <p>drinck drink</p> |  <p>clockt klok clock</p> |  <p>sunck sunk sunc sunkk</p> |  <p>stic stik stick</p> |
|  <p>inck ink</p> |  <p>racke rake</p> |  <p>pocker poker</p> |  <p>sik sick</p> |
|  <p>sinck sink</p> |  <p>bice bike bicke</p> |  <p>tiket ticket</p> |  <p>pocket poket</p> |

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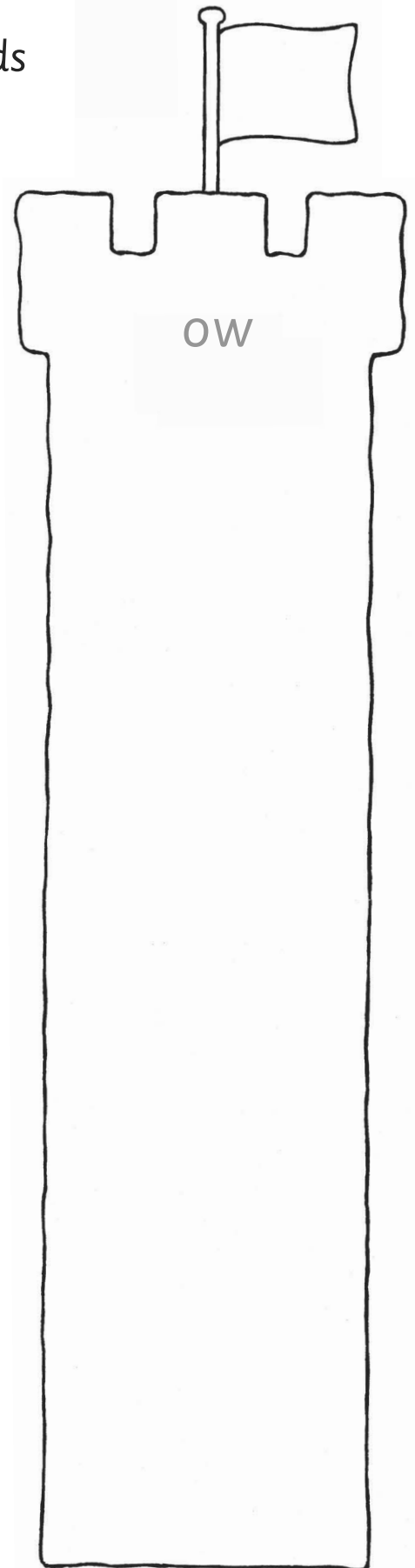
Read the story, and write all the ow words you find in the tower.

On the day the circus came to town, a big crowd gathered to watch the parade. Everyone was happy. There was not a frown to be seen on any face.

A clown came first, leading a brown cow with a garland of flowers round her neck and a gold crown on her brow. Then came the strong man. He towered above the crowd. How powerful he looked and the people cowered before him. Then came the lady acrobats with towels around their necks and powder on their faces.

Next came the lion tamer with his four lions. No one was allowed to come near. Their growls drowned the howls made by the crowd. Last of all came the birdman. You could hardly see him because he was covered with owls and fowls of every kind. Everyone vowed they would see the circus that night.

Suddenly the sky grew dark and the rain came down. This was more than a shower. We ran for cover, afraid that we might drown.

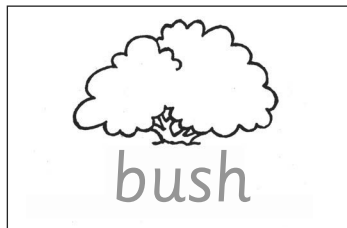


Word sums

Join the two parts to make words of two syllables.

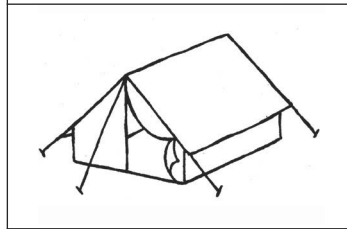
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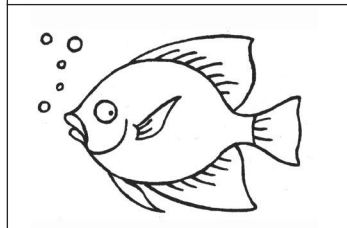
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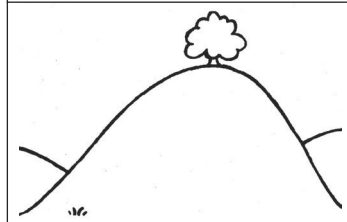
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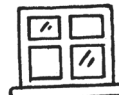
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