



Independent Practice Activities

Independent Practice Activities are intended for students to complete on their own to apply what they have learned. Preview activity directions before students begin. Provide students with a key after they complete the activities for self-checking.

Make one copy of the **Independent Practice** student pages for each student.

Make Words

Have students make words by choosing a letter for the beginning, middle, and end of the word. Letter options are provided for each part of the word.

Word Sort

Have students sort the words by pattern, using the guide word provided for each pattern.

ADDITIONAL PRACTICE Unit 9 Independent Practice
 Target Skills: *cl, fl, gl, br, cr, dr, fr, gr, sp, sl, sn, st, tw* | Name: _____

Make Words How many real words can you make?

1. Make four-letter words.
2. Pick a letter or letters for the beginning, middle, and end.
3. Write the word in a box.
4. When you have filled in the boxes, check your words against the key.
5. If you find one of your words on the key list, tick it (add a check mark).

Beginning	Middle	End
cl fl cr dr gr pl sl sp	a e i o u	b d g m n p t

spin	fled	drop	grin	slid
flat	drag	club	slim	clam
grip	clap	sped	plot	flag
spot	slip	drum	flip	crop
sled	drip	flap	plan	

Check the List

1. Check your words with the list of real words.
2. Cross off words on your list that are not on the list of real words.
3. Then count the number of real words you have and record that number.

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 Target Skills: *cl, fl, gl, br, cr, dr, fr, gr, sp, sl, sn, st, tw* | Name: _____

Word Sort Read the words. Write each word in the list that it belongs to.

Word List		
flip drop sled trip snip sped stop slip Fred skip drip		

1 grip	2 fled	3 crop
flip snip skip	sled Fred sped	drop stop

Check the List

1. Check your words with the key.
2. Cross off words on your list that do not match the key.
3. Then count the number of words you sorted correctly and record that number.

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spin				

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Make Words Answer Key

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Word Sort Answer Key

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