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Counting Syllables Worksheet

A syllable is a unit of spoken language made up of a single uninterrupted sound formed by a vowel.

Directions: Read each word below. Write how many syllables make up each word.

Example A: reply

Answer: 2

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| 1. square- | 15. fight- |
| 2. pen- | 16. half- |
| 3. yet- | 17. idea- |
| 4. pair- | 18. hundred- |
| 5. plenty- | 19. January- |
| 6. moment- | 20. plain- |
| 7. taken- | 21. January- |
| 8. themselves- | 22. Monday- |
| 9. single- | 23. David- |
| 10. map- | 24. token- |
| 11. month- | 25. ninja- |
| 12. librarian- | 26. hypothesis- |
| 13. island- | 27. running- |
| 14. iron- | 28. value- |