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**Syllables Worksheet** [ELA-Literacy.RF.3.3c](#)

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*

1. square- \_\_\_\_\_

11. insect- \_\_\_\_\_

2. pen- \_\_\_\_\_

12. island- \_\_\_\_\_

3. yet- \_\_\_\_\_

13. iron- \_\_\_\_\_

4. pair- \_\_\_\_\_

14. fight- \_\_\_\_\_

5. plenty- \_\_\_\_\_

15. half- \_\_\_\_\_

6. moment- \_\_\_\_\_

16. idea- \_\_\_\_\_

7. taken- \_\_\_\_\_

17. hundred- \_\_\_\_\_

8. themselves- \_\_\_\_\_

18. January- \_\_\_\_\_

9. single- \_\_\_\_\_

19. plain- \_\_\_\_\_

10. map- \_\_\_\_\_

20. twenty- \_\_\_\_\_