



# IXL Skill Alignment

2nd grade alignment for Spectrum Word Study and Phonics



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# Word Study & Phonics

Textbook section	IXL skills
Review: Beginning and ending sounds	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Which letter does the word start with? J9Y</li> <li>2. Which letter does the word end with? NVG</li> <li>3. Which two words start with the same sound? LYQ</li> <li>4. Which two words end with the same sound? J9W</li> </ol>
Short and long vowels	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sort short and long vowel words DJL</li> <li>2. Match the short a and long a words to pictures V6Y</li> <li>3. Match the short e and long e words to pictures SX7</li> <li>4. Choose the short i or long i word that matches the picture 9FE</li> <li>5. Choose the short o or long o word that matches the picture 2ZV</li> <li>6. Choose the short u or long u word that matches the picture QQD</li> </ol>
Hard and soft c and g	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sort soft and hard g words and soft and hard c words 9SE</li> <li>2. Pick the soft g or soft c word that matches the picture PBY</li> <li>3. Choose the soft g or soft c sentence that matches the picture TDM</li> </ol>
Initial consonant blends	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the word with the correct initial consonant blend 6Q9</li> </ol>
Final consonant blends	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the word with the correct final consonant blend DTJ</li> </ol>
Three-letter consonant blends	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the word with a three-letter consonant blend D2B</li> <li>2. Complete the sentence with a three-letter consonant blend word JCB</li> </ol>
Silent consonants	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the words with silent letters GLU</li> </ol>

## Vowel pairs (vowel teams)

1. Choose the picture that matches the vowel team word L2Z
2. Choose the vowel team sentence that matches the picture TF8
3. Which word has a different vowel sound? 9KV

## Consonant pairs

1. Complete the word with the correct digraph: ch, sh, th 2KN

## Vowels with r

1. Choose the r-control word that matches the picture N67
2. Complete the word with the correct r-controlled vowel: ar, er, ir, or, ur 5K6
3. Complete the word with the correct r-controlled vowel: er, ir, ur 8ZJ
4. Choose the r-control sentence that matches the picture QKE

## Vowel pairs (diphthongs)

1. Choose the diphthong word that matches the picture 7U5
2. Complete the word with the correct diphthong: oi, oy, ou, ow PHM
3. Choose the diphthong sentence that matches the picture 9SX