



Words with 'u' and 'ou' in

This page is all about words spelt with a 'u' or 'ou'. See how you get on with the questions...

1. Circle the words that are spelt incorrectly.

Then write the correct spelling of each incorrect word in the box.

armur crunch much pompus
 jurnal boundle thunder curious
 duble tuch muddle focus

armour

2. These words are spelt incorrectly. Write the corrections on the lines.

turbine → encurage →
 camouflage → ouncle →
 surgeon → walrous →

3. Six of the words in the passage below are incorrect.

Circle the incorrect words, and write the correct words in the box below.

I heard a rumur that if someone is feeling groupy, you shuld feed them courgettes to cheer them up. Coustard flavured with cabbage is said to work wonders — even if it's a bit loumpy. Give it a try, and see what happens!

How were these words with the 'u' sound? Are you up to speed, or do you need further practice? Tick a box.



'ei' and 'ie' words

You can use this chart-topping rhyme to help with 'ei' and 'ie' words:

'i' before 'e' except after 'c', if the vowel sound rhymes with bee.'

1. Write the ei and ie words into the correct parts of the table below.

	rhymes with bee	doesn't rhyme with bee
after c		
not after c	retrieve	

~~retrieve~~ ancient
 ceiling freight
 deceive thief
 sufficient height
 grief vein

2. Finish each word by adding either ei or ie.

sh.....ld sl.....gh conc.....ve sc.....nce
 misch.....f br.....fly w.....gh perc.....ve

Choose one of the words from above and use it in a sentence.

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3. Choose the correct spellings from the box to complete these sentences.

The for losing is wearing pyjamas to school.

Will was so to find his lost cat, Sir Sleepalot.

Tamara is very in the mornings.

I the prize for the most stuck-out belly button.

relieved forfeit
 forfeit efficient
 releived recieved
 received efficeint

'ei' and 'ie' words are no match for a Spellasaurus. Tick one of the boxes to show how you're getting on.

