# word search puzzles 



Enjoy these Christmas-themed word search puzzles with your learners. Each puzzle includes 12 words specific to a syllable type pattern.

You'll find a puzzle for closed syllables (p.3), open syllables (p. 4), CVCe syllables (p. 5), r-controlled syllables (p. 6), vowel team syllables ( $p .7$ ), and final stable syllables (p. 8). The answer keys start on p. 9.

At the bottom of the puzzle are Christmasthemed pictures. The pictures may relate to winter, various "Christmas Around the World" traditions, or the nativity story. Three helps are given. First, the number of letters in the word is indicated by the number beside the picture. Second, if the answer has two words like "ice skate" on page 5, two blanks are provided with the number of letters in each word under the blanks. Lastly, the word is hidden in the puzzle.

Note: In order to get enough words for each puzzle, there may be some that are unknown to your learners. I recommend going over them ahead of time. For example, "nutmeg" on p. 3 or "cloves" on p. 5 may be tricky

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Write the closed syllable words on each blank. Then find them in the puzzle above
Hint: The number tells you how many letters are in each word.
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word search puzzle


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| Y | C | A | N | W | E | S | I | M | E | N | H | B | A |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| E | U | D | K | E | T | A | R | O | C | E | D | A | F |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| L | P | E | R | S | I | S | E | S | K | A | T | K | E |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| E | C | C | Y | U | L | E | L | O | G | E | A | C | I |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| L | A | R | B | U | N | V | G | C | A | B | A | K | W |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| O | K | O | R | A | L | F | E | I | R | L | O | E | I |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| G | E | A | C | I | T | L | S | O | P | V | G | K | S |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N | A | T | L | G | F | H | H | E | V | E | C | A | E |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M | G | P | N | O | V | M | E | T | A | I | W | O | K | T | O | B | V | C | E |
| I | C | Y | E | B | F | C | A | T | E | C | B | S | E | E | U | K | W |  |  |
| F | I | E | R | P | L | A | S | G | L | O | V | E | S |  |  |  |  |  |  |


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Write the CVCe syllable words on each blank．Then find them in the puzzle above． Hint：The number tells you how many letters are in each word．
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 Hint: The number tells you how many letters are in each word.
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Write the vowel team syllable words on each blank. Then find them in the puzzle above Hint: The number tells you how many letters are in each word.
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| C | S | J | S | C | I | C | I | C | L | E | S | J | S |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | T | W | I | L | A | D | U | A | K | B | T | I | L |
| E | L | T | N | A | M | N | B | N | P | U | A | N | L |
| D | A | N | T | I | G | E | D | D | B | P | B | E | E |
| E | L | P | W | E | B | E | L | L | E | D | L | L | B |
| E | B | N | P | E | L | L | C | E | S | K | B | E | E |
| L | S | A | N | I | A | N | T | I | N | L | M | L | L |
| B | T | I | J | D | C | G | W | E | C | L | N | N | N |
| A | J | W | B | E | L | T | K | T | K | I | D | I | I |
| T | I | C | I | C | K | E | I | W | T | C | A | R | J |
| T | K | T | A | N | G | L | E | I | U | I | L | P | I |


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Write the final stable syllable words on each blank. Then find them in the puzzle above. Hint: The number tells you how many letters are in each word.

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| A | V | N | $\bigcirc$ | B | B | I | R | y | L | L | 0 | H | y |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| E | D | L | K | E | N | E | L | S | K | E | C | E | F |
| T | L | V | L | S | A | G | G | A | N | G | R | V | L |
| N | U | L | E | T | B | N | C | N | E | G | A | D | E |
| E | s | R | V | E | I | R | K | V | T | N | K | N | S |
| V | P | A | L | K | S | L | D | R | I | 0 | E | U | A |
| D | G | S | C | G | P | A | L | N | M | G | R | T | R |
| A | G | 0 | K | K | U | R | N | A | I | R | S | M | I |
| V | T | E | G | N | 0 | G | E | T | A | K | T | E | B |
| S | 0 | K | B | E | L | L | S | S | A | N | 0 | G | O |
| T | P | S | A | K | C | E | R | S | E | S | E | T | N |
| S | A | T | A | V | M | I | T | T | E | N | L | L | S |
| V | N | D | H | 0 | L | y | N | 0 | T | M | T | H | V |


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| A | V | N | O | B | B | I | R | - | L | L | 0 | H | y |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| E | 0 | L | N | E | Z | 0 | R | F | K | E | M | E | F |
| T | L | V | L | S | A | R | G | A | N | G | U | V | L |
| N | A | L | E | R | U | N | C | R | E | G | s | y | E |
| E | H | R | A | D | I | R | K | 0 | T | N | I | G | S |
| V | P | 0 | 0 | P | S | L | D | S | I | 0 | C | N | 0 |
| D | G | L | C | G | R | A | L | $y$ | M | G | R | I | P |
| A | P | 0 | K | E | U | 0 | N | A | S | R | S | T | E |
| H | T | E | G | N | 0 | G | N | U | A | K | T | A | N |
| S | 0 | K | P | E | L | S | S | S | A | N | 0 | K | 0 |
| H | 0 | H | 0 | H | 0 | E | R | s | E | S | E | S | N |
| S | A | T | A | V | $\checkmark$ | 0 | S | E | P | H | L | L | S |
| V | T | N | E | L | I | S | E | 0 | $\checkmark$ | E | S | H | V |



Write the open syllable words on each blank. Then find them in the puzzle above. Hint: The number tells you how many letters are in each word.

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FIREPLACE


DECORATE


GNOME
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| M | A | C | P | T | S | H | P | 0 | P | C | 0 | R | N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C | R | A | M | E | c | S | $\checkmark$ | I | N | J | E | R | M |
| T | G | R | A | R | L | R | C | S | T | U | D | E | E |
| K | U | R | R | E | P | E | A | S | C | R | A | T | R |
| E | G | 0 | T | 1 | E | K | R | $y$ | K | A | E | E | R |
| C | A | T | E | P | P | C | C | T | P | 0 | R | L | y |
| A | E | T | N | E | M | A | N | R | 0 | R | B | F | y |
| R | C | M | I | N | R | R | E | U | P | N | R | M | E |
| 0 | P | E | R | D | A | C | S | H | C | A | E | E | K |
| L | 0 | M | R | U | H | S | $y$ | A | R | y | G | R | R |
| y | P | E | P | P | E | R | M | I | N | T | N | U | U |
| M | A | R | S | H | A | A | C | A | L | M | I | R | T |
| T | I | R | K | M | R | M | y | 0 | R | N | G | E | L |

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ORNAMENT
$\qquad$ POPCORN $\qquad$
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$\qquad$ Hint：The number tells you how many letters are in each word．

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word search puzzle

| C | W | R | E | A | I | T | T | E | S | N | I | 0 | P |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | I | N | D | P | T | P | C | S | E | E | R | T | I |
| K | N | T | S | 0 | R | R | 0 | 0 | N | C | 0 | A | L |
| I | D | $y$ | N | y | E | A | A | N | K | W | T | R | E |
| E | O | 0 | A | N | I | I | M | I | s | I | 0 | E | C |
| T | W | S | M | S | N | N | C | A | N | N | y | 0 | W |
| C | A | I | W | C | D | D | 0 | H | N | D | 0 | T | 0 |
| H | R | N | 0 | W | E | E | W | T | E | K | S | D | c |
| R | T | C | N | U | E | A | T | A | I | y | N | U | 0 |
| E | 0 | W | S | T | R | R | 0 | E | A | I | 0 | I | A |
| A | N | R | A | I | U | y | S | R | W | S | N | 0 | K |
| S | A | 0 | W | R | S | N | 0 | W | S | U | I | T | $\bigcirc$ |
| E | C | T | R | E | E | T | H | K | 0 | A | T | W | U |

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| C | S | J | S | C | I | C | I | C | L | E | S | J | S |  |  |  |
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| A | T | W | I | L | A | D | U | A | K | B | T | I | L |  |  |  |
| E | L | T | N | A | M | N | B | N | P | U | A | N | L |  |  |  |
| D | A | N | T | I | G | E | D | D | B | P | B | E | E |  |  |  |
| L | L | P | W | N | E | P | E | L | E | L | C | L | E | E | S | K |
| E | L | B | E | B |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| L | L | U | M | K | N | T | E | K | N | L | M | L | L |  |  |  |
| B | T | I | J | D | N | C | G | W | E | U | E | A | K | G |  |  |
| A | J | W | B | E | L | T | K | T | K | I | D | I | I |  |  |  |
| T | I | C | I | C | K | E | I | W | T | C | A | R | J |  |  |  |
| S | K | T | A | N | G | L | E | I | U | I | L | P | I |  |  |  |
| T | L | J | K | E | L | K | C | U | B | A | T | S | N |  |  |  |


$\qquad$ SPRINKLE BUCKLE

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