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Bossy R: ar and or: Learn and Practice

Hear and spell the ar and or sounds

Read each question. Circle the best answer.

Bossy R: ar and or

- When r comes after a vowel, it changes the vowel sound.
- The letters a and r say ar, like in car. The letters o and r say or, like in fork.
- c + ar: car, f + or + k: fork

1. Which word does NOT have the ar sound?
   A. yarn B. cart C. barn D. sort

2. Which word has the ar sound?
   A. fame B. fun C. farm D. foam

3. Which word has the ar sound, like in car?
   A. stop B. stub C. star D. step

4. Pick the correct spelling: A ___ swims in the sea and has sharp teeth.
   A. sherk B. shark C. shak D. shork

5. Which word rhymes with park?
   A. dock B. duck C. desk D. dark

6. Which word has the or sound, like in fork?
   A. cone B. can C. cub D. corn

7. Pick the correct spelling: We had a big ___ with rain and thunder.
   A. starm B. sturm C. stom D. storm

8. Which word rhymes with horn?
   A. torn B. tin C. ten D. tan

Draw and write! Draw a picture and write one word from today.

ANSWER KEY

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1. Which word does NOT have the ar sound?
A. yarn B. cart C. barn **D. sort**
Sort has the or sound. Cart, barn and yarn all have ar.

2. 🚜 Which word has the ar sound?
A. fame B. fun **C. farm** D. foam
Farm has a r in the middle, which says ar.

3. ⭐ Which word has the ar sound, like in car?
A. stop B. stub **C. star** D. step
Star has a r, which says ar, just like car.

4. 🦈 Pick the correct spelling: A ___ swims in the sea and has sharp teeth.
A. sherk **B. shark** C. shak D. shork
Shark is spelled with a r, just like park and dark.

5. Which word rhymes with park?
A. dock B. duck C. desk **D. dark**
Dark and park both end with a r k, so they rhyme.

6. 🌽 Which word has the or sound, like in fork?
A. cone B. can C. cub **D. corn**
Corn has o r, which says or, just like fork.

7. ⛈️ Pick the correct spelling: We had a big ___ with rain and thunder.
A. starm B. sturm C. stom **D. storm**
Storm is spelled with o r, which makes the or sound.

8. Which word rhymes with horn?
A. torn B. tin C. ten D. tan
Torn and horn both end with o r n, so they rhyme.