

SYLLABLE TYPES

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

“demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by spelling multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables”

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ME?

When I find the root ject, I know the word relates to throwing.

The prefix tells me the direction of the throw.

When I combine the root with its prefix, I understand the whole word.

THIS WEEK'S FOCUS

Root ject

from “The Garden That Wouldn't Grow”

This week we study the root ject (meaning throw) using words connected to "The Garden That Wouldn't Grow."

This deck teaches **the root ject (throw)** across the five RPLD thinking levels:

NOTICE → CHOOSE → SHOW → OWN → DEFEND.



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TODAY'S THINKING JOB

NOTICE

"I can notice a word with the root ject."

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Notice the word with the root ject.

Read this sentence from the passage. Find the bold word and the root ject and its meaning (throw).

"The garden was Kendrix's favorite **project**."

I CAN

I can notice a word with the root ject and name the root ject and its meaning (throw).



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CHOOSE

"I can choose a word with the root ject."

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Choose the word with the root ject.

Read the sentence. Which word is a word with the root ject? Use the rule.

"Kendrix did not want to **reject** her grandmother's advice, so she tried something new."

A reject • **B** advice • **C** grandmother

I CAN | I can choose the word with the root ject and explain how I know.



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SHOW

“I can show how a word with the root ject works.”

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Show the word with the root ject.

Read the sentence. In the bold word, name the root ject and its meaning (throw).

“The guide said to **inject** nutrients into the soil near the roots.”

I CAN | I can show the root ject and its meaning (throw).



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OWN

“I can use the root ject to figure out a word's meaning.”

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Own it. Read the longer word.

Split the word into its parts. Name the root ject and its meaning (throw).

objection
ob / jec / tion

I CAN | I can use the root ject to figure out a word's meaning.



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DEFEND

"I can prove that a word has the root ject."

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Defend the rule.

Prove the bold word follows the rule. Name the root ject and its meaning (throw).

"The guide showed how to **eject** weeds from the soil without harming the roots."

I CAN | I can prove that a word has the root ject.



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Find a word with the root ject on your own.

Go back to the passage. Find one word with the root ject. Copy the sentence and name the root ject and its meaning (throw).

Go back to the reading.

Find one word with the root ject.

Copy the exact sentence. Then name the root ject and its meaning (throw).

I CAN | I can find a word with the root ject and prove it.



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Answers, across the five thinking levels.

NOTICE project. Pro- means forward. Ject means throw. A project is a plan that is thrown forward, or put out for others to see.

CHOOSE A. reject. Re- means back. Ject means throw. Reject means to throw back, or refuse. Advice and grandmother do not contain the root ject.

SHOW inject. In- means into. Ject means throw. Inject means to throw into, or to put something into something else.

OWN ob / jec / tion. Ob- means against. Ject means throw. -Tion makes it a noun. An objection is something thrown against an idea.

DEFEND eject. E- (ex-) means out. Ject means throw. Eject means to throw out.

YOUR TURN injection. In- means into. Ject means throw. -Ion makes it a noun. An injection is the act of throwing something in.



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READ THIS PASSAGE EXCERPT.

“The garden was Kendrix's favorite project. ... She did not want to reject her grandmother's advice. ... The guide said to inject nutrients.”

In which word does the root ject mean throw?

A garden

B nutrients

C reject

D condition



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The answer is C.

A garden

Garden does not contain the root ject.

B nutrients

Nutrients does not contain the root ject.

C reject Correct.

Re- means back. Ject means throw. Reject means to throw back or refuse.

D condition

Condition does not contain the root ject.

