

At the Zoo: Sounding Out Silent Letters

Time: 5–10 minutes

Number of players: 1

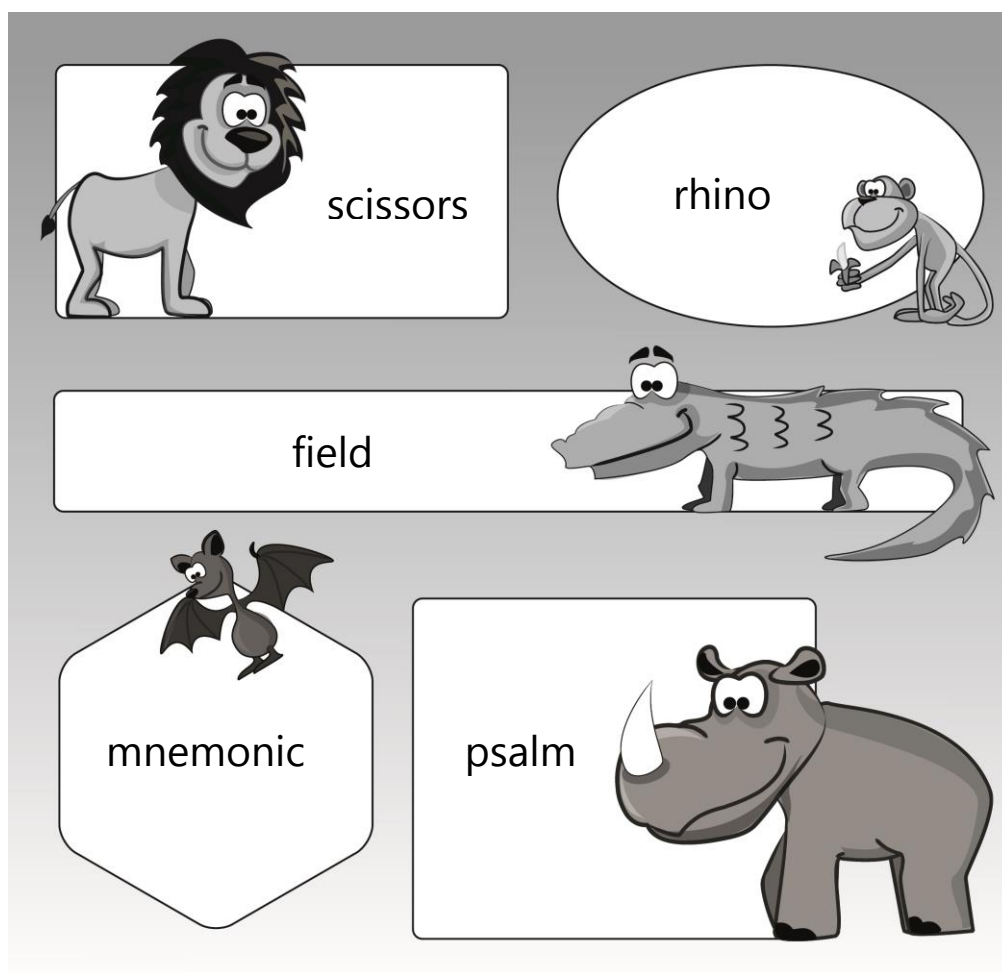
Sometimes, when you're 'sounding out' new words, you'll find there are extra (silent) letters that shouldn't be said out loud.

Get to grips with silent letters by playing detective ... at the zoo!



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Read each of the words below and find which of their letters are silent. You'll be left with 5 individual letters, which you can use to find the answer to the joke on the next page.



Use the 5 silent letters you found to spell out the answer to the joke.

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Q: What did the zookeeper need when the lion escaped?

A: A bargaining _ _ _ _ _