## Week One

## Three-Letter Blends

Three-letter blends are made up of three consonants that are not separated by any vowels. When sounding out these blends, it is important to think of the sound of each letter before putting them all

Example Words
split
scram
strand
squash together.

## Week Two

Words with /j/, /k/, and /kw/
There are multiple ways to spell the sounds $/ \mathrm{j} / \mathrm{s} / \mathrm{k} /$, and $/ \mathrm{kw} /$. These spellings can be found below:

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\begin{gathered}
/ \mathrm{j} / \rightarrow \mathrm{ge}, \mathrm{dge} \\
/ \mathrm{k} / \rightarrow \mathrm{c} \\
/ \mathrm{kw} / \rightarrow \mathrm{qu}
\end{gathered}
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Example Words
/j/ germ, judge /k/ cake, coach
/kw/ quack, quote

Silent Letters
Consonant digraphs are combinations of two consonants that make one sound. Some consonant digraphs include silent letters. These include:
kn-, wr-, gn-, -mb, and -rh

## Example Words

knot
wrap
gnat
rhyme
limb

