

# spr Blend Activities



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## spr Blends/Cluster List

sprain

sprinkler\*

sprang

sprint

sprawl

sprout

spray

spruce

spread

sprung

spring

spry

sprinkle

# Springtime Sings!

Cherry Carl

The world is green as green can be,  
or so it seems to be to me!

I hear and smell the **s**pringtime grow,  
and see it in each new rainbow.

Bumblebees hum to butterflies,  
while grasshoppers jump up to the skies.

Bluebirds build their nests above  
and lay their eggs with Mother's love.

Anthills rise above the ground  
and ladybugs fly around and around.

The sunshine turns to skies of gray  
as a gentle rainstorm comes our way.

Splash in the puddles left from the rain!

**S**pringtime sings her song again!



# Spread, Sprinkle, Sprout

(Tune: She'll Be Comin' Round the Mtn)

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Build a garden when the **spring** is in the air.

Plant the seeds and **spread** the dirt out everywhere.

**Sprinkle** water every morning.

Watch for weeds that give no warning.

Just be sure to give your garden lots of care.

Soon you'll see the tiny plants begin to **sprout**.

Take a spade and dig those **spreading** weeds right out!

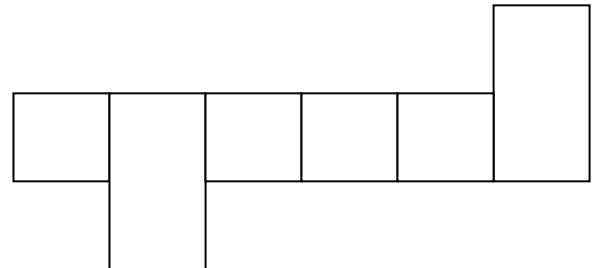
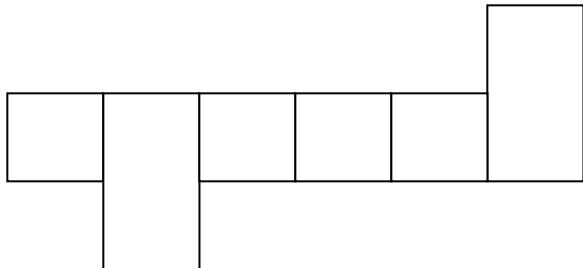
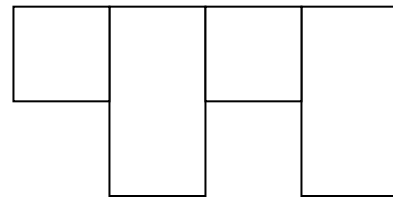
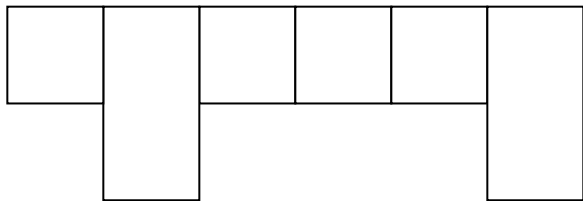
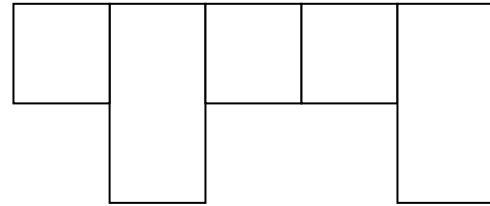
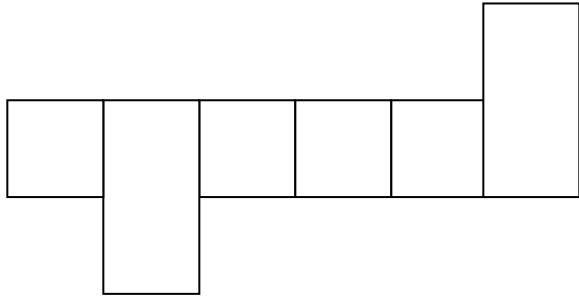
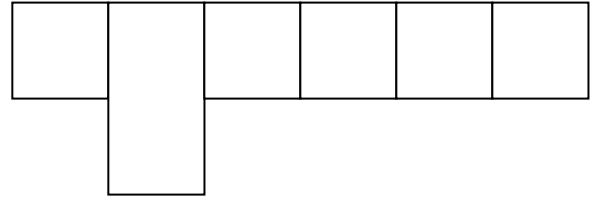
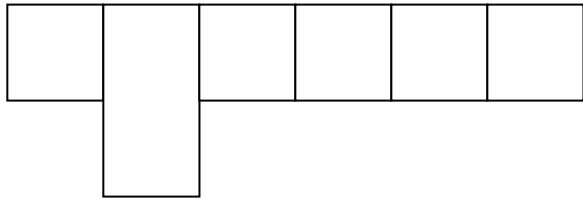
**Spray** some water on each row.

Now stand back and watch them grow,

And you'll have a flower garden, there's no doubt!



# Configuration Station: spr



## Word Bank

sprint	spread	sprout	spruce
spring	spray	sprain	spry



# spr Blends: Cloze the Gap!



Read the following sentences, saying the word "sprinkler" when you come to a blank space. Use words from the spr blends word bank to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices! One word is used three times!

1. It's hard to \_\_\_\_\_ peanut butter on soft bread.
2. I wonder when the seeds I planted will begin to \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Dad used \_\_\_\_\_ paint on my bicycle.
4. My sister and I ran through the \_\_\_\_\_ to get wet.
5. The tennis player had a \_\_\_\_\_ in his wrist.
6. Mom likes to \_\_\_\_\_ sugar on the cookies.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ comes between winter and summer.
8. It's starting to \_\_\_\_\_ and I'm getting wet!
9. My big sister uses too much hair \_\_\_\_\_ on her hair!
10. A \_\_\_\_\_ tree has pine cones and needles.
11. An eagle has a very wide wing \_\_\_\_\_.
12. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a very short, fast race.

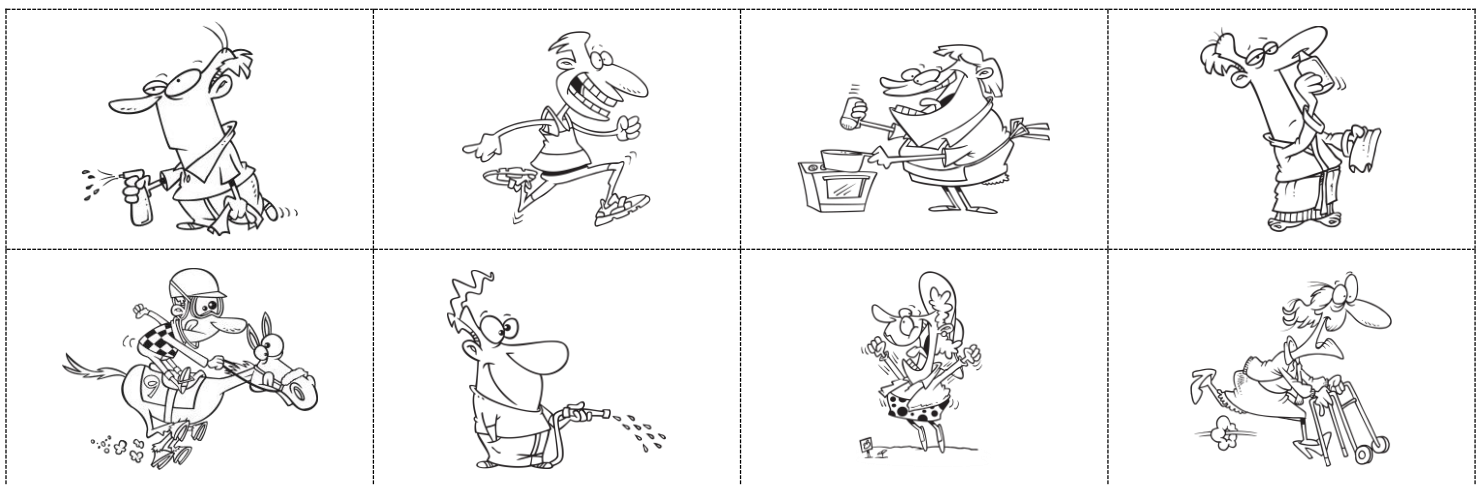
## Word Bank

sprinkler    sprain    sprinkle    spruce    spread    sprint  
spring    spray    sprout    spread    sprinkle    spray

# Cut and Paste: spr



sprinkle		spray	
sprint		sprout	
spry		sprinkle	
spray		sprint	



# Score With Scrabble!

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# Order in the Court!

Place the words below in alphabetical order.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. \_\_\_\_\_  
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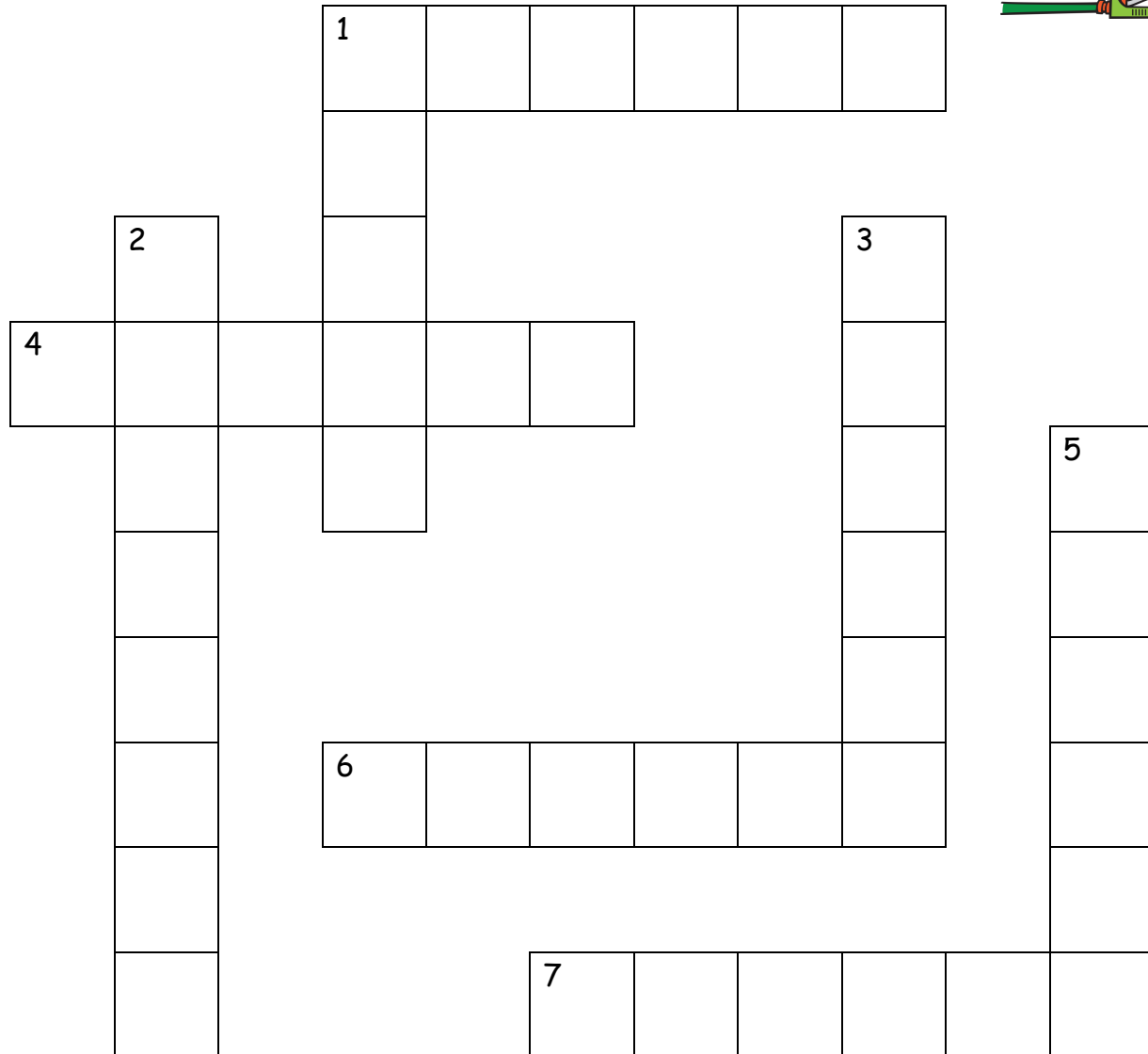
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# Crossword Puzzle: spr



## Across

1. smear on, daub
4. strain, twist or pull (ex. ankle)
6. season between winter and summer
7. bud, new growth

## Down

1. mist; squirt
2. scatter; shake over
3. past tense of spring
5. short, fast race; dash away

## Word Bank

sprout	sprain	sprint	spray
spread	sprinkle	spring	sprung

# Word Search: spr



v	j	s	p	r	e	a	d	z	b
z	s	p	r	i	n	k	l	e	r
s	p	r	f	b	s	z	v	j	h
p	r	a	z	s	p	r	u	c	e
r	i	i	v	j	r	b	s	z	s
a	n	n	b	z	i	j	p	f	p
y	g	z	j	f	n	v	r	b	r
z	f	b	v	h	k	q	i	j	o
s	p	r	a	w	l	z	n	v	u
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spray  
sprinkler

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# spr Word Slide

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## spr Blends Word Slide (Sound Blending)

Print on vellum, cut, and laminate for durability. Cut the top and bottom slits to the right of the blend for the slide. Model proper use for students: blending to form and say new words.

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springs



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sprinkle





sprinkler



sprout



# spr Words and Pictures for Sorts

spr Words and Pictures



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# sprinkle



My spr Book



My spr Book

# spr Stationery



sprain, sprawl, spray, spread, spree, sprig, spring, sprinkle, sprint, spritz, sprout, spruce, spry

Write sentences or a story with *spr* words of your choice.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of five sets of horizontal lines. Each set includes a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line.