

## Missing Letters

Add the letters **-dge** or **kn-** to these words.

smu\_\_d

\_\_ight

\_\_ock

ba\_\_r

\_\_owle\_\_

\_\_uckle

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At the end of a word, the /j/ sound is spelt **-dge** straight after a short vowel sound.

**badge**   **bridge**   **porridge**

The /j/ sound in the middle of a word is also sometimes spelt **-dge**.

**judgement**   **dodgem**   **trudged**

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**know**   **kneel**   **knit**

## Explanation and Examples

## Word Search

Find 5 **-dge** and **kn-** words in the grid, then write them down below.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| t | s | j | g | t | c | e | h | y | l | h |
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| x | j | b | p | d | x | q | j | o | w | t |
| c | z | k | u | q | j | o | h | j | e | g |
| p | z | f | n | j | e | c | q | g | b | m |
| p | m | r | n | e | v | k | d | f | k | f |
| u | t | f | x | g | e | u | n | u | n | p |
| e | o | k | p | o | b | c | y | d | o | z |
| s | o | k | n | o | w | n | a | d | t | l |
| k | j | b | f | v | b | u | b | p | p | o |

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ceiling

reliable

material

protein

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badger

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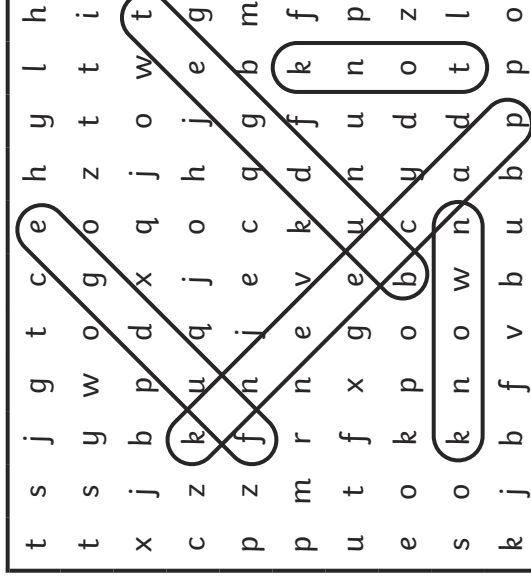
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