

Answers Unit 3-08 blends 3rd Edition

1 Blends - Changing Words

- a. stare b. flower
c. cluster d. spread
e. swim f. split
g. spray h. string
i. frame j. space
k. blind l. stair

2 Blends

- a. split, through, spread, threw, spray, string
b. strip, splat, throat, three, sprout, spring, and so on.

3 Missing Words

- a. We can see the red planet Mars with our naked eye, but it is better to observe it through a telescope.
b. blind flower
c. A young bird will stretch and spread its wings before it takes its first flight from the nest.
Sentence will vary.

4 Compound Words

wildflower
timeframe
undergrowth
spacecraft
breakthrough
swimsuit
stairway

5 Understanding Nouns

Proper nouns bold.

Common nouns underlined.

'Making Muffins

'**Brett** and **Tanya** are going to make some muffins for their friends. The ingredients they need to make muffins are: flour, sugar, butter, milk, egg, banana and spice. They also need a ten-muffin tin, a bowl, a spoon, a brush, a spatula, whisk and an oven.'
Ingredients for a hamburger or a sandwich will vary.

6 Antonyms - Opposites

- a. from
b. split

7 Rhyming Words

- a. spray b. blind
b. split d. space
e. growth f. cluster
g. flower h. swim

8 Synonyms - Similar Meaning Words

- a. stare b. planet
c. promptly e. flower

9 Prefixes & Suffixes

change: changes changed changing
unchanged interchange changeless
exchange changeable
charge: charges charged charging
discharge recharge chargeable

10 Dictionary Skills

space, split, spray, spread, stair, stare, sternly, string, swim

11 Syllables

prompt / ly stern / ly,
clu / ster flow / er
slo / gan plan / et,

Show the syllable breaks.

- b. blind / ness, un / promp / ted,
swimm / ing, un / changed

12 Homophones

- a. He tracked the kangaroo through the bush and threw the spear at the animal.
b. She threw the rock so it bounced across the top of the pool and then it went through the water, to sink to the bottom.