

Word Study Pattern, Week of February 1st-5th

Pattern: The letter "g" can make a hard ("g") or soft ("j") sound. If the "g" is in front of the vowels "a," "o," or "u," it will usually make the hard (g) sound. If the "g" is in front of "e," "i," or "y," it will usually make the soft (j) sound. (Notice, this is like the "c" pattern!)

Examples: **game** → **hard g** (sounds like g) because it is before an "a"
gym → **soft g** (sounds like j) because it is before a "y"
large → **soft g** (sounds like j) because it is before an "e"
giant → **soft g** (sounds like j) because it is before an "i"

Pattern Word List:

gone
genius
gossip
giant
gentle
golden
gallon
large
gain
garage*

Frequently-Used Word List:

square
another
angle
enough
probably

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Words in Words

Directions: Write each word study word. Next to each word, write two additional words that can be spelled using the letters in the word. Example: the word pickle can be used to make the words lick, pick, like, and lip. I did the first one for you.

Spelling Word	Word within the spelling word #1	Word within the spelling word # 2
1. <i>gone</i>	<i>no</i>	<i>nog</i>
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
9.		
10.		
11.		
12.		
13.		
14.		
15.		

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Absolutely Opposite

Instructions: For each word, write a word from the list that means the opposite.

1. loss _____

2. rough _____

3. dwarf _____

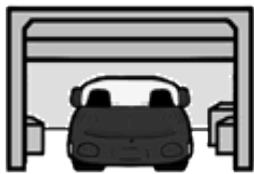
4. small _____

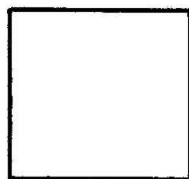
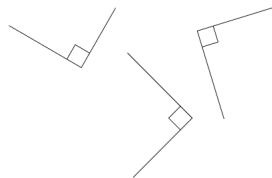
5. stupid _____

6. polite _____

7. unlikely _____

Directions: Write the spelling word under each picture below.





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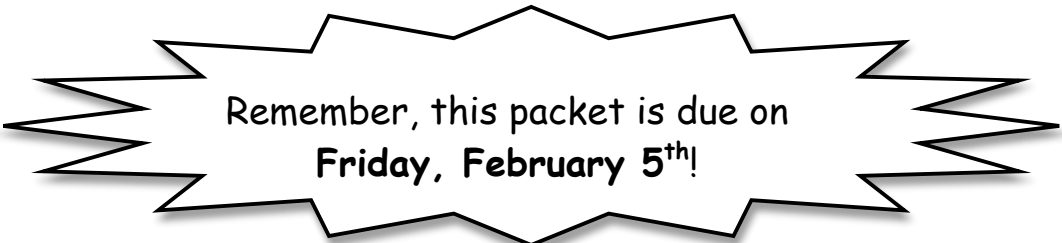
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Weekly Edit

Directions: There are some mistakes in the paragraph below in **capitalization** and **punctuation**. Some sentences may have no mistakes. There are no mistakes in spelling.

Read the paragraph and find the mistakes. Draw a line through each mistake in the paragraph. Then write the correction above it.

I can't wait until april for my birthday. On my birthday, my uncle Joe is going to come visit us in texas He is an astronaut and I haven't seen him for two years. I'm sure he'll bring me a great present. He once gave me special space ice cream, which was delicious. It was dry until I put it in my Mouth. then it became wet like ice cream. Yum!



Remember, this packet is due on
Friday, February 5th!