

The Long and Short of It!

Name _____

Configuration Station

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dean

red
read

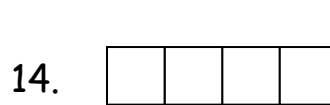
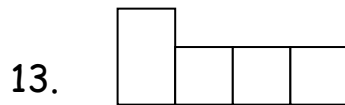
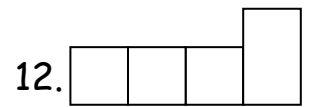
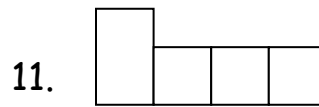
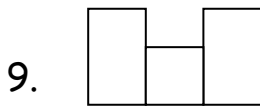
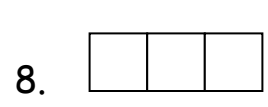
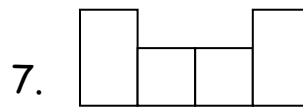
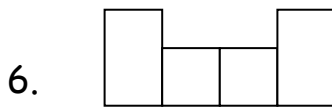
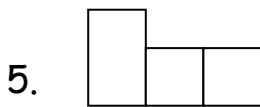
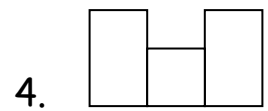
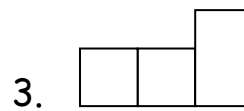
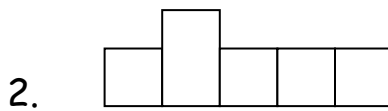
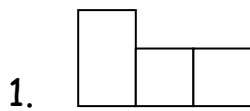
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stem
steam

Ben
bean

bed
bead



Circle the correct word. Write the missing word on the lines.

1. My friend is wearing a pretty _____ dress.
red read

2. Bears spend the winter sleeping in a warm _____.
dean den

3. What do you _____ by that?
men mean

4. Mother Duck likes to _____ her ducklings to the pond.
led lead

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Long e sound as in 3		Short e sound as in 10	

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Fill in the bubble under the word that is spelled correctly.

1. rede read
 ☐ ☐

2. mean mene
 ☐ ☐

3. lead leid
 ☐ ☐

4. dene dean
 ☐ ☐

5. steame steam
 ☐ ☐

6. bead bede
 ☐ ☐

7. bean bene
 ☐ ☐

8. red rud
 ☐ ☐

Unscramble and write the vowel team words.

1. tasme _____

2. nema _____

3. drea _____

4. neab _____

5. edna _____

6. daeb _____

Write a sentence for each of the words below.

1. bead

_____.

2. bed

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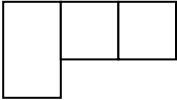
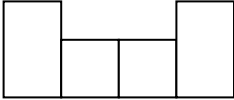
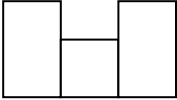
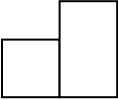
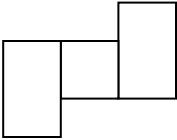
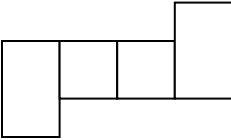
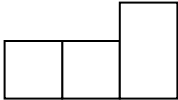
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pail	bait	aid	main	pain	rain	aim

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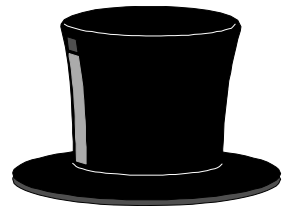
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1. A bucket is also called a _____.
pal pail

2. A fisherman uses _____ to catch fish.
bat bait

3. Teachers ask us to find the _____ idea of the story.
man main

4. Don't walk in the puddles after the _____.
ran rain



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