

SYLLABLES

What are Syllables?

Syllables are parts of words. Each part of a word has one vowel sound in it. Be careful! You may see more than one vowel letter, but still hear only one vowel sound.

Here are some words with only **one syllable**: cat, dog, boy, blue, green, hide, quick

Now look at these words that have **two syllables**: popcorn, behave, under, teacher.

You
vow

Here

Loo
Tap

Now
hibe

Loo
hi-b
Tap



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Try this!

How many syllables in **stop**? _____

How many syllables in **slipper**? _____

How many syllables in **unhappy**? _____

How many syllables in **January**? _____

How many syllables in **refrigerator**? _____