

Word Investigation

Investigate



Looking at Tricky Words

How many letters are there in the word?

Soundtalk the word.

How many phonemes are there?

Can you spot any small words inside the word?

Find the vowel sounds. Are they long or short?

Can you clap the syllables in the word? How many are there?

Silly Sounds!

How would your word sound if you said it the way it is written down? Knowing the silly way of saying the word sometimes helps you remember it.

friend
sounds like
fry-end
and
school sounds like
s-c-hool



Is there a mnemonic that can help you remember the letters in your word?



School
Cat
helps
Ollie
Owl
Lovingly