

Consonant Teams

ch ch gh gn gu kn rh sc

The letters *g* and *u* usually combine to form a team when *u*'s only job is to prevent the letter *g* from being followed by the letters *e* or *i*. The consonant letter team *gu* represents the sound /g/: guide.

Draw a dotted underline to indicate when *ch* represents its third sound /sh/: chef.

The letter team *sc* must be followed immediately by *e*, *i*, or *y* to form a team. If the letters *s* and *c* are not immediately followed by *e*, *i*, or *y*, the letters *s* and *c* do not form a team and instead the letters *s* and *c* represent their own individual sounds.

The letter team *kn* may only be used at the beginning of a word: know, knot. The letter team *gn* may be used both at the beginning and end of a word: gnat, sign.

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| 1. | chaperone | guide | ascend | tech |
| 2. | orchid | knack | ghost | chrome |
| 3. | science | Rhodes | schwa | ache |
| 4. | chemist | resign | rogue | choral |
| 5. | rhino | chronic | rescind | machine |
| 6. | design | anchor | leprechaun | knead |
| 7. | brochure | scent | christen | monarchy |
| 8. | kneel | harpsichord | assign | guitar |
| 9. | obscene | ghetto | charlatan | Rhine |