

Spelling list: *er* - longer words

These words use the letters *er* to spell the sound /er/.

alert	The driver was struggling to stay alert .
expert	She was an expert in the field.
external	The house had three external walls.
conserve	We need to conserve our energy for the hike.
conversation	They were deep in conversation .
dessert	What would you like for dessert ?
divert	The police started to divert the traffic.
deter	Good locks can deter vehicle theft.
deserve	Linda thought that he did not deserve the sweets.
fertile	Volcanic soil is very fertile .
permanent	I'm hoping my job will be made permanent .
reserve	Can we reserve our seats on this flight?
refer	I will refer your complaint to my boss.
universe	There are still many mysteries to the universe .
university	She was awarded a degree at university .
terminal	She has a terminal illness.
terminate	Her contract will terminate after six months.