

## Spelling list: Some more *ar* words

Let's continue exploring the *ar* spelling pattern with some 2-syllable words. Can you spot the /ar/ sound in each example? Click the speaker at the start of some words to listen for the /ar/ vowel sound as you read along.

In English, *ar* often appears in the middle of a word, like in *garden* , *carpet* , and *harvest* , though it can appear elsewhere, too. As you go through each word, pay attention to where the /ar/ sound falls, and try out different spelling activities and games.

army	My brother joined the <b>army</b> this year.
artist	My friend Pete is an amazing <b>artist</b> .
barber	The <b>barber</b> cut Tim's hair really short.
carpet	There was blue <b>carpet</b> on the floor.
carton	Would you like a <b>carton</b> of orange juice?
darken	The solar eclipse made the sky <b>darken</b> .
farmer	The <b>farmer</b> complained about the bad weather.
garden	There are nine trees in my <b>garden</b> .
garlic	I do not like <b>garlic</b> .
harvest	The wheat is ready for <b>harvest</b> .
market	The bus stops very near the <b>market</b> .
partner	My <b>partner</b> does all the cooking.
party	Will Jeff invite us to his <b>party</b> ?
scarlet	The gorgeous dress was <b>scarlet</b> and gold.
target	He shot the <b>target</b> with great accuracy.
varnish	He painted <b>varnish</b> on the wooden gate.