

Spelling list: Other ways of spelling the *ar* sound

The letters *a/* can sometimes spell the *ar* sound. In some places the letter *a* has the *ar* sound, for example in the south of England.

calm	Don't panic, stay calm .
palm	The palm tree swayed in the wind.
calf	One of our cows has just had a calf .
half	Noah ate half the cake.
father	My father is called Andrew.
rather	It's rather rude to swear.
bath	She had a long soak in the bath .
path	The path was rough and rocky.
craft	Thatching is an ancient craft .
ask	I want to ask Nina to my party.
basket	The basket was full of edible treats.
plant	My cactus is my favourite plant .
class	We are studying angles in our geometry class .
glass	Be careful not to break that glass .
chance	I have very little chance of winning.
dance	My favourite dance is the waltz.
advance	They planned their trip well in advance .
blast	There was a large blast in the quarry.
last	Did you receive my last letter?

castle

The old **castle** has a moat.