

# MODULE 6

## Week One

### Vowel + /r/ Sounds

In a word, if the letter r follows a vowel sound, the vowel sound will be affected! This is the case for all vowels. When you see a vowel followed by the letter r, you can call it an r-controlled vowel.

### Example Words

park  
burn  
firm  
teacher  
forest

## Week Two

### Vowel + /r/ Sounds: er, ir, ur, or

We will continue to explore words that have a vowel followed by the letter r but focus on **er**, **ir**, **ur**, and **or** when it follows a **w (wor)**. Each of these make the same sound as you hear from the **ur** in nurse.

### Example Words

burn  
firm  
teacher  
work  
jerk

## Week Three

### Vowel + /r/ Sounds in air and fear

This week, we are focusing on words with vowel + /r/ spelling patterns as they are in the words air and fear.

Spellings as in air → air, are, ear, ere  
Spellings as in fear → ear, ere, eer, eir, ier

### Example Words

fair  
pear  
where  
pier  
weird  
mere