



R-Controlled Vowels (Bossy R)

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 1

Part A: Multiple Choice

Circle the best answer for each question.

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- A) cat
- B) can
- C) car
- D) cap

2. Which word uses bossy R, not a short vowel?

- A) pin
- B) pit
- C) pig
- D) purr

3. Which word matches the short-vowel sound in 'hit'?

- A) hurt
- B) her
- C) hip
- D) bird

4. Which pair shows a short vowel AND a bossy-R word?

- A) cat and can
- B) car and star
- C) cat and car
- D) her and bird

Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the correct answer on each line.

1. My pet _____ purrs when I pet her soft fur.
2. A shiny red _____ drove past our house.
3. I put a shiny penny in my piggy _____ at home.
4. Please don't _____ your hand on the hot pan.
5. My baby brother just learned to say the word _____.

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