

Spellings That Belong to the Same Family of Words



This week, we are looking at spellings that belong to the same family of words.

Many words share the same **origin** or root word.



The word 'origin' means where something came from or where it began.



The particular root word that we are going to look at this week is...

mit

'mit' comes from the Latin word that means 'to send'.

In many words, it can also mean 'to miss'.

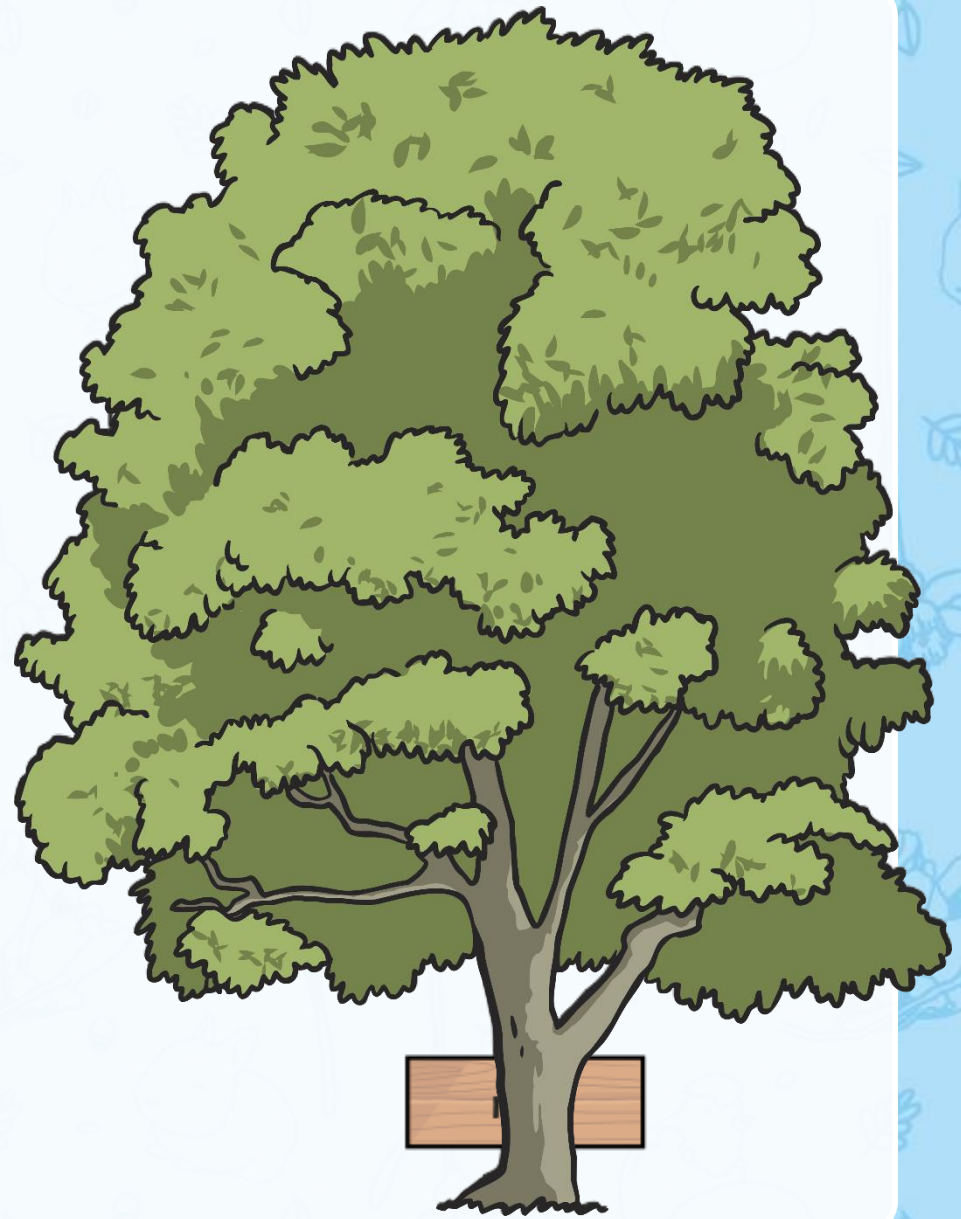
Working with a partner, how many words containing
'mit' can you think of in the next five minutes?



Which '**mit**' words did you find?

Do you know what all your words mean?

Look at your 'mit' spelling words for this week...



Work with a partner.

Which of the words do you think fits in this sentence?

During the meeting, the _____ members voted against the plans to knock down the local library.

committee

How many times can you speed write this word in one minute?

Time's up!

Work with a partner.

Which of the words do you think fits in this sentence?

Miss Jones was furious to see a parking ticket on her windscreen after leaving her car on a street without the correct _____.

permit

How many times can you speed write this word in one minute?

Time's up!

Work with a partner.

Which of the words do you think fits in this sentence?

The _____ buzzing of the broken burglar alarm
was driving Mr Johnson up the wall!

unremitting

How many times can you speed write this word in one minute?

Time's up!

Work with a partner.

Which of the words do you think fits in this sentence?

After the two chemicals came into contact, the strange
potion began to _____ a toxic gas.

emit

How many times can you speed write this word in one minute?

Time's up!

Work with a partner.

Which of the words do you think fits in this sentence?

Tom's _____ to his piano practise was demonstrated
when he passed his exam

commitment

How many times can you speed write this word in one minute?

Time's up!

Here are your spelling words for this week.

Week 4

Word families based on common words, showing how words are related in form and meaning

commit

committee

transmit

submit

commitment

emit

permit

intermittent

omit

unremitting

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Work hard to practise these 'mit' word family spellings.



