

ch, gn and ill

By the end, you will recognise ch, gn and ill in common words and avoid reading them letter by letter.

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ch → often /ʃ/; gn → /ɲ/; ill → often /j/ in words like fille, with exceptions to learn.

Exercices

1. Study the sentence and choose the form that follows this lesson's rule exactly.

chat / cat / shat / tchat

2. Sort each item using the exact criterion from this lesson.

chat ; ligne ; famille ; chemin

3. Complete the answer using the rule and the examples above.

4. Match each item with the form or category it belongs to.

chat ↔ ____ ; montagne ↔ ____ ; fille ↔ ____ ; ville ↔ ____

5. Put the items in order to make a correct sentence.

habite | Ma | à | famille | Lyon

6. Choose the only correct answer. Compare every detail before checking.

ligne / line / ligue / lignie

7. Type the expected form, then proofread it before checking.

8. Choose the only correct answer. Compare every detail before checking.

famille / famile / famie / phamille

9. Type the expected form, then proofread it before checking.

10. Choose the only correct answer. Compare every detail before checking.

ville / vile / vije / viye

11. Type the expected form, then proofread it before checking.

12. Choose the only correct answer. Compare every detail before checking.

chemin / cemin / shemin / kemin

13. Type the expected form, then proofread it before checking.

Corrigé / Answers

1. chat
2. chat → ch ; ligne → gn ; famille → ill ; chemin → ch
3. montagne
4. chat → ch ; montagne → gn ; fille → ill ; ville → exception pour ill
5. Ma famille habite à Lyon
6. ligne
7. fille
8. famille
9. champagne
10. ville
11. chat
12. chemin
13. montagne