

Silent letters

Speed spell

Write the **Speed spell** words.

a _____ b _____ c _____
 d _____ e _____ f _____

Circle any errors. Write the corrected spellings in your Log Book.

Spelling zone



1 Read the information with your partner.

Letters that cannot be heard when we say a word are called silent letters. We only know they are there when we spell and see the word.

2 Take turns to read the words below. Circle the silent letter or letters in each word.

calm autumn climb guest talk
 half guilt knee lamb know
 gnome doubt whistle solemn



Vocabulary check

Synonyms for the word **solemn** are **serious** and **grave**.

3 Complete each sentence using the correct words from the box above.

- a** It was a windy _____ day. Outside, Gran's favourite garden _____ looked very sad and _____ after he was blown over and had broken in _____.
- b** I hurt my _____ when I tried to _____ up the tree but I didn't panic – I just kept _____.
- c** I've always wanted to feed a newborn _____ so I asked a farmer that I _____ and he said, "Be my _____!"