

# World Cup Syllables

If you are able to split words into syllables it can help you to spell new words correctly.

It is sometimes easier to remember chunks of a word (or syllables) rather than the whole word.



Sound out the syllables in words you are learning to spell.

For example:

S w i t z e r l a n d  
Switz / er / land

Notice that each syllable contains a vowel sound.

## Syllables tip

- Put your hand under your chin
- Say the word slowly
- To find the number of syllables count how many times your jaw drops



Divide each of these words into syllables. (Some only have one!)

commentator	Lampard	Denmark
Crouch	Paraguay	tackle
England	penalty	Cole
Ferdinand	Portugal	Thierry
Germany	referee	Rustenburg
goalpost	Rio	Ashley
Japan	Ronaldinho	trophy
linesman	Durban	Johannesburg
Netherlands	Rooney	Nigeria
goalkeeper	Capello	Fabio