



CLASS 3 HINDI · 2026-27

संयुक्त अक्षर - joined letters

Sanyukt akshar

46

QUESTIONS

20

MINUTES

4

EXERCISES

This belongs to _____ Date _____

WHAT YOU'LL GET GOOD AT

- Breaks a joined letter back into the two consonants it is made of
- Builds a joined letter from two given consonants
- Reads a word containing a sanyukt akshar without stopping

Take your time, and have a go at every one. If you get stuck, look at the orange box — Ollie has already done one for you.

संयुक्त अक्षर - joined letters

Sanyukt akshar · 46 questions · tick each box as you finish

Exercise 1 of 4 · 12 questions संयुक्त अक्षर को तोड़िए - break the joined letter into two.



WRITE THE ANSWER

HERE'S ONE DONE FOR YOU

क्ष -> क् + ष. The small slanting mark under the first letter is the हलन्त, and it means that letter has lost its अ sound. So क् is 'k' with no vowel, joined to ष. Show your child the हलन्त once and most of these become readable.

1) क्ष

2) त्र

3) ज्ञ

4) श्र

5) द्व

6) क्त

7) प्र

8) स्त

9) न्न

10) छ्र

11) ष्ट

12) ग्र

Exercise 2 of 4 · 12 questions दो अक्षरों को जोड़िए - join the two letters.

WRITE THE ANSWER

HERE'S ONE DONE FOR YOU

प् + र -> प्र. When र joins after a half letter it becomes a small slanting stroke at the foot, not a full र. This one shape appears in a very large number of Hindi words, so it is worth practising until it is automatic.

1) प् + र

2) स् + व

3) न् + न

4) म् + म

5) त् + व

6) ग् + र

7) क् + र

8) ट् + ट

9) द् + द

10) श् + व

11) स् + थ

12) च् + छ

Exercise 3 of 4 · 12 questions शब्द पढ़िए और संयुक्त अक्षर पर गोला लगाइए - read and circle the joined letter. ☐

CIRCLE THE ANSWER

HERE'S ONE DONE FOR YOU

शिक्षक -> the joined letter is क्ष. Read the word slowly: शि - क्ष - क. A child who has learned to break क्ष into क् + ष can now read it rather than guessing from the shape, which is what most children do until this is taught.

1) शिक्षक

2) पत्र

3) विद्या

4) प्रश्न

5) स्कूल

6) मित्र

7) सप्ताह

8) अच्छा

9) पुस्तक

10) उत्तर

11) बच्चा

12) स्वच्छ

Exercise 4 of 4 · 10 questions सही संयुक्त अक्षर भरिए - fill in the missing joined letter.

WRITE THE ANSWER

HERE'S ONE DONE FOR YOU

पु__क -> स्त, giving पुस्तक. Read what is already there aloud: पु ... क. The sound missing in the middle is 'st', which is written स्त. Saying the word aloud first works better than guessing the shape, which is what children do when they have not been taught to break these letters.

1) पु__क (book)

2) शि__क (teacher)

3) उ__र (answer)

4) मि__ (friend)

5) __श्च (question)

6) अ__ (grain)

7) स__ (truth)

8) यु__ (war)

9) वृ__ (tree)

10) स्व__ (healthy)

**All done? How did that feel?**

Colour in a star. Three stars means you could teach it to someone else.



Tricky · Getting there · Easy now



Answer key

For grown-ups

संयुक्त अक्षर - joined letters · keep this page back until your child has finished.

1. संयुक्त अक्षर को तोड़िए - break the joined letter into two.

- 1) क् + ष
- 2) त् + र
- 3) ज् + ज
- 4) श् + र
- 5) द् + व
- 6) क् + त
- 7) प् + र
- 8) स् + त
- 9) न् + न
- 10) द् + ध
- 11) ष् + ट
- 12) ग् + र

2. दो अक्षरों को जोड़िए - join the two letters.

- 1) प्र
- 2) स्व
- 3) न्न
- 4) म्म
- 5) त्व
- 6) ग्र
- 7) क्र
- 8) ट्ट
- 9) द्द
- 10) श्व
- 11) स्थ
- 12) च्छ

3. शब्द पढ़िए और संयुक्त अक्षर पर गोला लगाइए - read and circle the joined letter.

- 1) क्ष
- 2) त्र
- 3) छ
- 4) श्र (and प्र)
- 5) स्क
- 6) त्र
- 7) प्त
- 8) च्छ
- 9) स्त
- 10) त्त
- 11) च्च
- 12) स्व (and च्छ)

4. सही संयुक्त अक्षर भरिए - fill in the missing joined letter.

- 1) स्त - पुस्तक
- 2) क्ष - शिक्षक
- 3) त्त - उत्तर
- 4) त्र - मित्र
- 5) प्र - प्रश्न
- 6) त्र - अन्न
- 7) त्य - सत्य
- 8) छ - युद्ध
- 9) क्ष - वृक्ष
- 10) स्थ - स्वस्थ

WHILE YOUR CHILD WORKS

- Teach the हलंत once, explicitly. Everything in this sheet follows from knowing that the mark means 'no vowel here'.
- प्रश्न has two joined letters, so a child circling either is right. The answer key notes this.
- If your child reads Hindi aloud fluently but stops at these words, this sheet is exactly the gap - it is not a reading problem.



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