Phonics 9: ear air er ir: Worksheet

Watch the video first, then try these on your own!

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

1 Write the letter team

Write ear, air, er or ir.

 _____	 ch _____	 b _____ d	 g _____ l	 teach _____

2 Blend and write the word

1. n · ear → _____
2. f · air → _____
3. h · er → _____
4. sh · ir · t → _____
5. p · air → _____

3 Match the team to the word

1. ear	●	● **a. her**
2. air	●	● **b. hair**
3. er	●	● **c. hear**
4. ir	●	● **d. first**
5. air	●	● **e. pair**

4 Circle the correct word

1. h · air: hear · hair · her
2. b · ir · d: bird · bed · bad
3. n · ear: now · near · nor

5 Activity: Team Sorting Cards

You need:

- paper cards
- a pencil

Steps:

1. Write 8 words on cards.
2. Sort into ear, air, er/ir piles.
3. Read each pile aloud.

6 Test yourself

1. Which word has air?
   (a) chair (b) ear (c) bird
2. Blend: n · ear
   (a) now (b) nor (c) near

Answer key (for parents and tutors)

1. ear, chair, bird, girl, teacher.

2. near, fair, her, shirt, pair.

3. ear–hear, air–hair/pair, er–her, ir–first.

4. hair; bird; near.

5. Answers will vary.

6. chair; near.

Watch the video lesson on the Param Tuition Bureau YouTube channel.