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3-4 Syllables

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2-3 Syllables

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4-5 Syllables

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CHOPPING MOTION

pencil pen - cil
gentle gen - tle
laughter laugh - ter
flower flow - er
center cen - ter
kindness kind - ness
member mem - ber
discover dis - cov - er
suddenly sud - den - ly
studio stu - de - o

CHOPPING MOTION

marble mar - ble
master mas - ter
turkey tur - key
gymnastics gym - nas - tics
dentist den - tist
almost al - most
morning morn - ing
money mon - ey
fantastic fan - tas - tic
magazine mag - u - zeen

CHOPPING MOTION

doctor doc - tor
sequence se - quence
after af - ter
present pres - ent
tablet tab - let
rabbit rab - bit
slowly slow - ly
party par - ty
candle can - dle
president pres - i - dent

CHOPPING MOTION

napkin nap - kin
blister blis - ter
mountain moun - tain
children chil - dren
basket bas - kit
insect in - sect
sister sis - ter
candy can - dy
afraid a - fraid
eagle ea - gle

CHOPPING MOTION

winter
number
always
before
super
recess
athletic
answer
table
teacher

win - ter
num - ber
al - ways
be - fore
su - per
re - cess
ath - let - ic
an - swer
ta - ble
tea - cher

CHOPPING MOTION

pedaling
obedient
vacation
visitor
magical
wondering
trustworthy
together
connection
freezer

ped - al - ing
o - be - de - ent
va - ca - tion
vis - i - tor
maj - i - cal
won - der - ing
trust - wor - thy
to- geth - er
con - ec - tion
free - zer

CHOPPING MOTION

favorite
simplify
garage
geometry
pretzel
cooperate
deleted
expected
disappear
however

fa- vor - it
sim - pli - fy
gar - bij
ge - o - mi - tree
pret - zel
co - op - er - ate
de - lete - ed
ex - pec - ted
dis - a - pear
how - ev - er

CHOPPING MOTION

children
digital
uniform
September
phoneme
separate
comprehend
sparkle
hexagon
gardener

chil - dren
dij - i - tal
u - ni - form
Sep - tem - ber
pho - neme
sep -er - ate
com - pre - hend
spar - kle
hex - a - gon
gar - den - er

CHOPPING MOTION

wonderful
construction
habitat
cucumber
remember
department
projector
bilingual
invention
memorize

won - der - ful
con - struc - tion
hab - i - tat
cu - cum - ber
re - mem - ber
de - part - ment
pro - jec - ter
bi - lin - gual
in - ven - tion
mem - er - ize

CHOPPING MOTION

beneath
enjoyment
recover
motivate
inventor
tornado
applause

be - neath
en - joy - ment
re - cu - ver
mo - ti - vate
in - ven - ter
tor - na - do
u - plause

CHOPPING MOTION

honestly
famous
volunteer
planet
respectful
forever
nonfiction
lemon
important
excitement

on - est - ly
fa - mous
vol - un - teer
plan - et
re - spect - ful
for - ev - er
non - fic - tion
lem - in
im - por - tent
ex - cite - ment

CHOPPING MOTION

concert
platform
deserve
method
forgiven
creation
celebrate

con - cert
plat - form
de - serve
meth - id
for - giv - en
cre - a - tion
cel - e - brate

CHOPPING MOTION

display
estimate
decrease
translate
modify
mermaid
between

dis - play
est - i - mate
de - crease
trans - late
mod - i - fy
mer - maid
be - tween

CHOPPING MOTION

director
graphic
dendrites
massive
kindness
encode
within

dir - ec - ter
graph - ic
den - drites
mass - ive
kind - ness
en - code
with - in

CHOPPING MOTION

payment
decode
magnetic
dislike
passion
unreal
stable

pay - ment
de - code
mag - net - ic
dis - like
pass - in
un - real
sta - ble

CHOPPING MOTION

recognize
discounted
investment
committee
reservation
imagine
vertical

rec - og - nize
dis - count - ed
in - vest - ment
com - mit - tee
res - er - va - tion
i - maj - ine
ver - ti - cal

CHOPPING MOTION

concentrate con - cen - trate
reducing re - duc - ing
grocery gro - cere
frequently fre quent - ly
celery cel - er - e
different dif - fer - ent
monument mon - u - ment

CHOPPING MOTION

hurricane hurr - i - cane
artistic ar - ti - stic
recycle re - cy - cle
discussion dis - cus - sion
provided pro - vi - ded
yesterday yes - ter - day
slippery slip - per - e

CHOPPING MOTION

calendar cal - en - dar
deserted de - sert - ed
multiply mul - ti - ply
vitamins vi - tu - mins
increasing in - creas - ing
monitor mon - i - tor
diploma di - plo - ma

CHOPPING MOTION

umbrella um - brel - lu
contrasting con - trast - ing
similar sim - i - lar
destiny des - tin - y
segmented seg - ment - ed
exciting ex - cit - ing
mineral min - er - al

CHOPPING MOTION

capital
pelican
benefit
introduce
different
September
intelligent
pillowcase
continent

cap - i - tal
pel - i - can
ben - e - fit
in - tro - duce
dif - fer - ent
Sep - tem - ber
in - tel - li - gent
pil - low - case
con - ti - nent

CHOPPING MOTION

centimeter
video
expensive
enormous
honestly
tornado
suddenly
detective
yesterday

cen - ti - me - ter
vid - e - o
ex - pen - sive
e - nor - mous
hon - est - ly
tor - na - do
sud - den - ly
de - tec - tive
yes - ter - day

CHOPPING MOTION

principal
respectful
operate
important
victory
photograph
president
carnival
discovery

prin - ci - pal
re - spect - ful
op - er - ate
im - por - tant
vic - tor - e
pho - to - graph
pres - i - dent
car - ni - val
dis - cov - er - e

CHOPPING MOTION

beginning
excellent
fantastic
gasoline
wonderful
anteater
separate
promising
Titanic

be - gin - ing
ex - cel - lent
fan - tas - tic
gas - o - line
won - der - ful
ant - eat - er
sep - a - rate
prom - is - ing
Ti - tan - ic

CHOPPING MOTION

trampoline
skyscraper
deliver
somebody
investment
vacation
identify
responsible
dinnertime

tram - po - line
sky - scrap - er
de - liv - er
some - bod - e
in - vest - ment
va - ca - tion
i - den - ti - fy
re - spon - si - ble
din - ner - time

CHOPPING MOTION

reflected
elevator
particular
historic
normally
dismissal
rehearsal

re - flec - ted
el - e - va - tor
par - ti - cu - lar
his - tor - ic
nor - mal - ly
dis - miss - al
re - her - sal

CHOPPING MOTION

protection
impressive
membership
unpleasant
wondering
dedicate
alligator

pro - tec - tion
im - pres - sive
mem - ber - ship
un - pleas - ant
won - der - ing
ded - i - cate
al - li - ga - tor

CHOPPING MOTION

mystery
activate
popular
icicle
forever
habitat
canopy

mys - ter - y
ac - ti - vate
pop - u - lar
i - ci - cle
for - ev - er
hab - i - tat
can - o - py

CHOPPING MOTION

migrating
certificate
however
terminate
delighted
element
magnify

mi - grat - ing
cer - ti - fi - cate
how - ev - er
ter - mi - nate
de - light - ed
el - e - ment
mag - ni - fy

CHOPPING MOTION

donation
relative
cylinder
universal
beautiful
incredible
envelope

CHOPPING MOTION

confusing
evacuate
autograph
gigantic
spaghetti
magnetic
company
tornado

con - fus - ing
e - vac - u - ate
au - to - graph
gi - gan - tic
spu - ghet - te
mag - net - ic
com - pan - e
tor - na - do

CHOPPING MOTION

permitted
outrageous
volcano
delivery
computer
divided
equipment
reporter

per - mit - ted
out - ra - geous
vol - ca - no
de - liv - er - y
com - pu - ter
di - vi - ded
e - quip - ment
re - port - er

CHOPPING MOTION

November
performance
electricity
related
hamburger
intelligence
introduce
personal

No - vem - ber
per - for - mance
e - lec - tri - cit - e
re - late - ed
ham - bur - ger
in - tel - i - gence
in - tro - duce
per - son - al

CHOPPING MOTION

subtraction
companion
substitute
cantaloupe
important
electric
education
telescope

sub - trac - tion
com - pan - ion
sub - sti - tute
can - ta - lope
im -por - tant
e - lec - tric
ed - u - ca - tion
tel - e - scope

CHOPPING MOTION

discover
advertise
simplify
uniform
operate
alphabet
magazine
hospital

dis - cov - er
ad - ver - tise
sim - pli - fy
u - ni - form
op - er - ate
al - pha - bet
mag - u - zine
hos - pi - tal

CHOPPING MOTION

video
October
reporter
addition
misbehave
activity
curious
committee
beginner

vid - e - o
Oc - to - ber
re - por - ter
ad - di - tion
mis - be - have
ac - tiv - i - ty
cur - e - ous
com - mit - tee
be - gin - ner

CHOPPING MOTION

calendar
understand
sunflower
octopus
rectangle
bicycle
December
introduce
difference

cal - en - dar
un - der - stand
sun - flow - er
oc - to - pus
rec - tan - gle
bi - cy - cle
De - cem - ber
in - tro- duce
dif - fer - ence

CHOPPING MOTION

wintertime
paperback
listener
sailboating
lifesaver
chimpanzee
recovery
disappoint
remember

win - ter - time
pa - per - back
lis - en - er
sail - boat - ing
life - sav - er
chim - pan - zee
re - cov - er - e
dis - a - point
re - mem - ber

CHOPPING MOTION

forgotten
delivery
athletic
turbulence
incredible
centipede
pentagon
ladybug
gymnastics

for - got - en
de - liv - er - y
ath - let - ic
tur - bu - lance
in - cred - i - ble
cent - i - pede
pent - a - gon
la - dy - bug
gym - nas - tics

CHOPPING MOTION

amazing
invisible
octagon
elephant
patio
revising
internal
vacation
magical

u - maz - ing
in - vis - i - ble
oct - a - gon
ele - e - phant
pat - e - o
re - vis - ing
in - ter - nal
va - ca - tion
mag - i - cal