

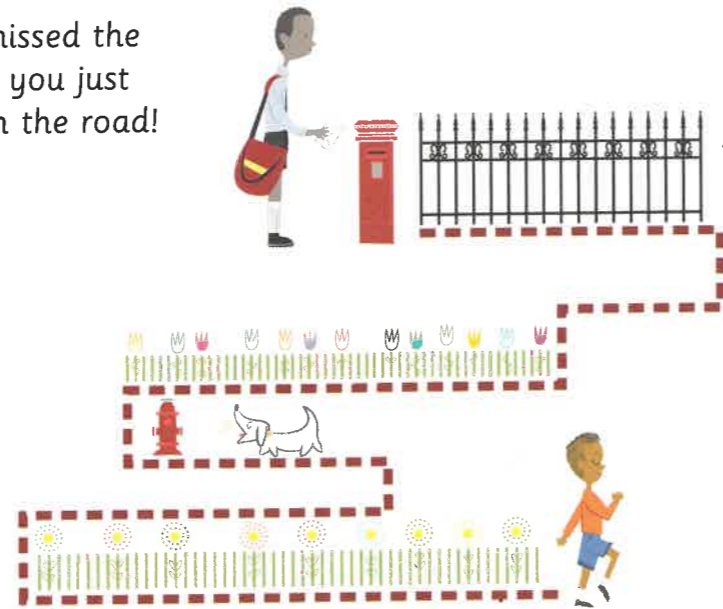
ost  
oll

Key Words

post  
host  
most  
almost

roll  
toll  
stroll  
scroll  
swollen

You **almost** missed the **post** because you just **strolled** down the road!



Focus

**A** Look at these picture clues.  
Write the **ost** or **oll** words in your book.



1 \_\_\_\_\_



2 \_\_\_\_\_



3 \_\_\_\_\_



4 \_\_\_\_\_



5 \_\_\_\_\_



6 \_\_\_\_\_

**B** 1 Write two words that rhyme with **cost**. The first letters will give you a clue.

l \_\_\_\_\_ fr \_\_\_\_\_

2 Write three words that rhyme with **most**.

3 Write four words that rhyme with **stroll**.

Extra

The letter patterns **oll**, **oal** and **ole** usually make the same sound.

Look at the clues and the first letters of these words. Each word needs one of the letter patterns. Write the answers in your book.

- 1 f \_\_\_\_\_ a young horse
- 2 r \_\_\_\_\_ small type of bread
- 3 h \_\_\_\_\_ space left when something is removed
- 4 c \_\_\_\_\_ black lumps of rock that burn
- 5 st \_\_\_\_\_ a gentle walk
- 6 st \_\_\_\_\_ what the thief did
- 7 p \_\_\_\_\_ often has a flag on top
- 8 sh \_\_\_\_\_ large group of fish



Extension

Say these words quietly to yourself:

also almost ball tall

Notice that when the **al** pattern comes at the beginning of a word it is usually spelt with one **l**, but when it comes at the end of a word it is often spelt with two.



Remember, **all right** is always two words!

**A** Add **all** or **al** to make these words. If you are unsure of any, check them in a dictionary.

- 1 \_\_\_so      2 \_\_\_ready      3 sm\_\_\_      4 \_\_\_though
- 5 \_\_\_together      6 \_\_\_ways      7 st\_\_\_      8 \_\_\_mighty

**B** Put the words that you have made in alphabetical order. Remember to look at the third, or the fourth, letter.