

## Spelling list: Other ways of spelling the *ar* sound

The letters *a/* can sometimes spell the *ar* sound. In some places the letter *a* has the *ar* sound, for example in the south of England.

calm	Don't panic, stay <b>calm</b> .
palm	The <b>palm</b> tree swayed in the wind.
calf	One of our cows has just had a <b>calf</b> .
half	Noah ate <b>half</b> the cake.
father	My <b>father</b> is called Andrew.
rather	It's <b>rather</b> rude to swear.
bath	She had a long soak in the <b>bath</b> .
path	The <b>path</b> was rough and rocky.
craft	Thatching is an ancient <b>craft</b> .
ask	I want to <b>ask</b> Nina to my party.
basket	The <b>basket</b> was full of edible treats.
plant	My cactus is my favourite <b>plant</b> .
class	We are studying angles in our geometry <b>class</b> .
glass	Be careful not to break that <b>glass</b> .
chance	I have very little <b>chance</b> of winning.
dance	My favourite <b>dance</b> is the waltz.
advance	They planned their trip well in <b>advance</b> .
blast	There was a large <b>blast</b> in the quarry.
last	Did you receive my <b>last</b> letter?

castle

The old **castle** has a moat.