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Episode 413: The -ture Ending and Main Idea

Book: A Seed is Sleepy by Diana Huts Astin

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Read It

When we see **t-u-r-e** at the end of a word with more than one syllable, it sounds like /chur/.

This syllable is usually less strong than the other syllables in the word, so we call this an **unaccented syllable**.

We usually say **unaccented syllables** more quickly and more softly than other syllables in a word.

Try It

Listen for the **unaccented syllable** as you read each word. Use the rules for **dividing syllables** on the words below.

future

— —

creature

— —

mixture

— —

Draw It

Draw a picture to go with the sentence.

The creature from the future created a secret mixture..

Dividing Syllables

- Every syllable has one vowel or vowel team.

-Place a dot under each vowel.

-Underline any vowel teams.

-Divide syllables between a consonant and a vowel, between two consonants, or between two vowels.

-Keep digraphs or consonant blends together.

-Remember the vowels are a, e, i, o, u and sometimes y.

-This helps us make sure our syllables only have one vowel sound!

-Two or more letters, usually vowels, sometimes work together to make 1 vowel sound, like ee.

-Consonant blends usually stay together. Consonant blends are two consonants that make one sound, like ch-, or two consonants that slide together, like bl-.