

Valentine's Day Activities

Hink Pinks

Hink Pinks are pairs of rhyming words. Next to the clues below, the number of syllables in each word in the answer is shown in parentheses. The first one is done for you.

1. vital-organ store (1, 1) heart mart
2. blemished valentine (1, 1) _____
3. fine sweets (2, 2) _____
4. dumb matchmaker (2, 2) _____
5. hilarious sweetheart (2, 2) _____
6. romantic-music procession (3, 2) _____



“Valentine” Words

Use the letters in the word “Valentine” to make words consisting of two or more letters each. Place the words in the appropriate columns. Then add your total scores. (You may use the letters only as often as they appear in the word “Valentine.” For example, *a* may be used only once in each word.) Do not use abbreviations or proper nouns.

2 letters (1 point)	3 letters (2 points)	4 letters (3 points)	5+ letters (4 points)

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1. heart mart
2. marred (or scarred) card
3. dandy candy
4. stupid Cupid
5. funny honey
6. serenade parade

“Valentine” Words

Accept reasonable answers. Possibilities include the following:

2-letter words: an, at, in, it

3-letter words: ail, ale, ant, eat, eel, eve, inn, lea, let, lit, net, nit, tan, tea, tee, tie, tin, van, vat, vie, etc.

4-letter words: late, lent, lint, live, neat, tail, tale, teal, tine, vale, veal, vent, vile, vine, etc.

5-letter words: alien, alive, entail, invent, linen, liven, valet, vital, etc.