Silent letters

Ages 7–10 · Some letters are written but not said. Read each word aloud, cross out the silent letter, then write the word.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Picture	Word	Silent letter	Write it
	knife	___	
	lamb	___	
	comb	___	
	write	___	
	knee	___	
	thumb	___	
	wrist	___	
	knock	___	
	half	___	
	listen	___	
	island	___	
	hour	___	

Patterns to spot: **kn** at the start (k is silent), **wr** at the start (w is silent), **mb** at the end (b is silent). In "hour", the h is silent, so we say "an hour".