

**/er/ as in her***In the middle or at the end of a word.***1** Circle the words with er. 

big

river

fern

winter

cat

sister

butter

sun

finger

her

pin

top

**2** Read each word. Say the er sound clearly.

her

fern

mother

water

sister

**3** Trace the er. Say /er/ as you write.

er

er

er

er

er

er

er

er

er

er

**FOR THE GROWN-UP**

The /er/ sound spelled “er.” Same sound as ur and ir — her, turn, and bird all rhyme. English just has three spellings for this one sound.