



-um Word Family List

bum

chum

drum

glum

gum*

hum

mum

plum

strum

sum

yum

eardrum

humdrum

Why So Glum, Chum?

Cherry Carl

Why are you looking so glum, chum?

I'm having trouble finding the sum!

Why are you looking so glum, chum?

I can't get rid of this bubble gum!

Why aren't you looking glum, chum?

I know how to play the drum!

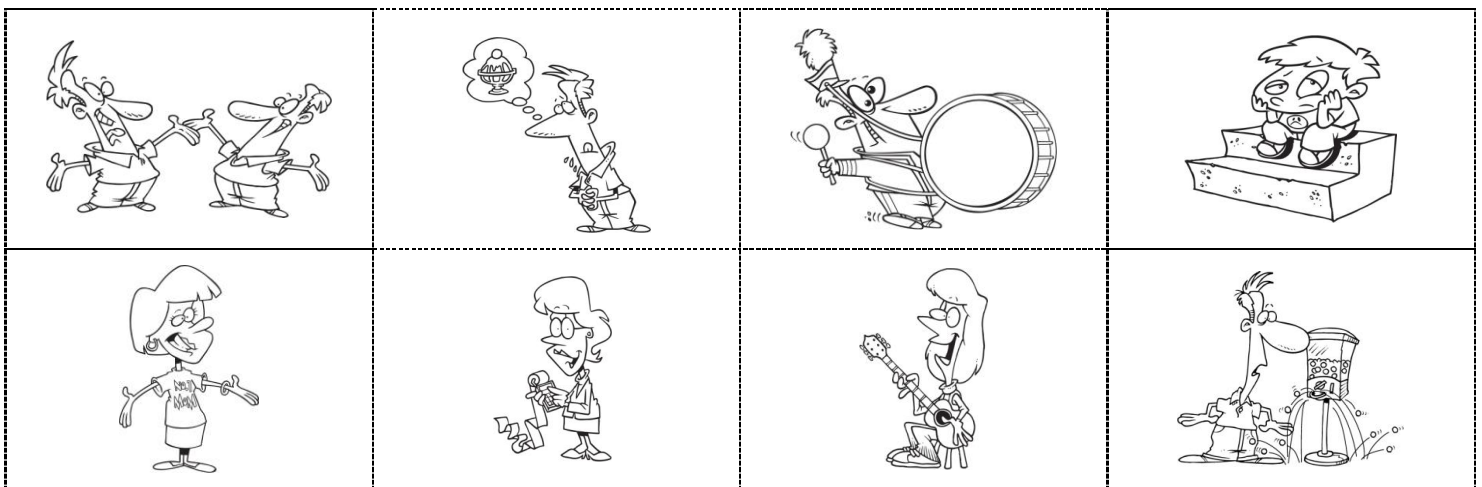
Why aren't you looking glum, chum?

I have some ice cream! Yum! Yum! Yum!

Cut and Paste: um



drum		sum	
gum		yum	
mum		chum	
strum		glum	



Cloze the Gap! (um)



Read the following sentences, saying the word "gum" when you come to a blank space. Use words from the *um* family to fill in the blanks and make sense. One word is used twice. Reread your sentences to double check your choices! You may need to use your dictionary.

1. Mom, I have bubble _____ stuck in my hair!
2. Some kids call their mother _____.
3. When I don't know the words to a song, I just _____ along.
4. A _____ is the same thing as a pal or best friend.
5. My brother plays the _____ in the school band.
6. When you add two numbers together the answer is the _____.
7. If a person is sad, you could say that they are _____.
8. Chocolate ice cream always makes me say, "_____!"
9. I like to _____ my guitar in my room after school.
10. A _____ is a soft, juicy, purple fruit.
11. The word *some* sounds the same as the word _____.

Word Bank

hum

drum

yum

mum

sum

gum

cluck

gum

plum

glum

Word Search: um



g	l	u	m	a	s	t	r	u	m
u	b	v	i	w	u	x	z	f	e
m	u	m	z	o	m	t	k	b	a
a	e	f	n	y	z	p	q	i	v
b	i	o	k	a	r	l	f	z	w
z	d	v	t	c	e	u	n	o	k
w	r	k	i	h	u	m	b	a	f
f	u	a	z	u	w	i	v	e	z
i	m	b	e	m	f	a	y	u	m

chum

glum

strum

mum

plum

sum

hum



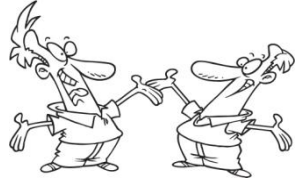


gum

drum

yum

See, Say, Spell and Write



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