

K-pop industry vocabulary worksheet

Word list

#	Hangul	Romanization	Meaning
1	아이돌	aidol	idol (K-pop singer)
2	연습생	yeonseupsaeng	trainee
3	오디션	odisyeon	audition
4	연습	yeonseup	practice
5	데뷔	debwi	debut
6	신인	sinin	rookie
7	그룹	geurup	group
8	활동		The promotion period after a release
9	컴백		A return with a new release
10	재계약 / 해체		A renewed contract, or the end of the group
11	멤버	membeo	member
12	리더	rideo	leader
13	메인보컬	meinbokeol	main vocalist
14	래퍼	raepeo	rapper
15	막내	mangnae	the youngest member (often spelled maknae in K-pop)
16	센터	senteo	center
17	비주얼	bijueol	visual
18	앨범	aelbeom	album
19	정규 앨범	jeonggyu aelbeom	full-length album
20	미니 앨범	mini aelbeom	mini album
21	싱글	singgeul	single
22	타이틀곡	taiteulgok	title track
23	수록곡	surokgok	album track
24	음원	eumwon	digital music release

More words: see the full list at learn-korean-hangul.com/vocabulary/culture/kpop/idol-industry/

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Matching

Name: _____ Date: _____

Hangul	Meaning
1. 아이돌 _____	A. debut
2. 연습생 _____	B. rookie
3. 오디션 _____	C. idol (K-pop singer)
4. 연습 _____	D. A return with a new release
5. 데뷔 _____	E. audition
6. 신인 _____	F. group
7. 그룹 _____	G. practice
8. 활동 _____	H. leader
9. 컴백 _____	I. A renewed contract, or the end of the group
10. 재계약 / 해체 _____	J. member
11. 멤버 _____	K. The promotion period after a release
12. 리더 _____	L. trainee

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Writing practice

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신	인	신	인	신	인				
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그	룹	그	룹	그	룹				
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활	동	활	동	활	동				
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Fill in the blank

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. 저는 _____을 좋아해요.

I like idols.

2. 그는 _____이에요.

He is a trainee.

3. _____에 합격했어요.

I passed the audition.

4. 매일 노래를 _____해요.

I practise singing every day.

5. 그 가수는 작년에 _____했어요.

That singer debuted last year.

6. 올해 _____그룹이 많아요.

There are many rookie groups this year.

7. 그 _____은 멤버가 다섯 명이에요.

That group has five members.

8. _____들이 무대에 올라가요.

The members go up on stage.

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Answer key

1. C — 아이돌 — idol (K-pop singer)
2. L — 연습생 — trainee
3. E — 오디션 — audition
4. G — 연습 — practice
5. A — 데뷔 — debut
6. B — 신인 — rookie
7. F — 그룹 — group
8. K — 활동 — The promotion period after a release
9. D — 컴백 — A return with a new release
10. I — 재계약 / 해체 — A renewed contract, or the end of the group
11. J — 멤버 — member
12. H — 리더 — leader

Fill in the blank

1. 아이돌
2. 연습생
3. 오디션
4. 연습
5. 데뷔
6. 신인
7. 그룹
8. 멤버