Spelling list: Short a words

There is only one way to spell the short /a/ sound: with the letter a.

absent William was **absent** during class today.

active He was **active** in the field of science.

actor The **actor** got his cue to go on stage.

album The band released their latest **album** to much praise.

animal I heard the roar of a wild **animal**.

atlas When I drive I occasionally use an **atlas**.

bandit He was the most infamous **bandit** in the county.

camel We rode to the pyramids by **camel** .

dagger The pirate pulled a **dagger** from his belt.

factory A consignment of goods was sent from the **factory**.

hammer The sculptor worked with a **hammer** and a chisel.

ladder A broken **ladder** caused the accident.

magnify If the print is to small you can **magnify** it.

panic There was **panic** when the ship started to sink.

rabbit Would your **rabbit** like a carrot?

saddle There was a **saddle** on the horse.

January It is colder in **January** than June.