

Spring 2 Spelling Patterns



Here are the patterns your child will be learning each week in class. You can practice these at home on the Spelling Shed app.

Team 2

Adding '-ing' to words of one syllable. The last letter is doubled to keep the short vowel sound.	Adding '-ed' to words of one syllable. The last letter is doubled to keep the short vowel sound.	The 'or' sound spelled 'a' before ll and ll	The short vowel sound 'o.'	Challenge Words
patting humming dropping running hopping clapping sitting flipping wrapping slipping	patted hummed dropped clapped clipped wrapped napped ripped drummed dragged	all ball call walk talk always fall small also bald	other mother brother nothing cover money some dozen wonder done	last past father class grass pass plant path bath hour

Team 3

The /l/ sound spelled '-le' at the end of words.	Adding the suffix '-ly' when the root word ends in '-le' then the '-le' is changed to '-ly.'	Adding the suffix '-ally' which is used instead of '-ly' when the root word ends in '-ic.'	Adding the suffix '-ly. Words which do not follow the rules.	Challenge Words
battle article struggle possible capable settle humble terrible example adjustable	gently simply humbly nobly durably terribly incredibly responsibly wrinkly possibly	basically frantically dramatically historically nationally emotionally accidentally automatically traditionally specifically	truly duly publicly daily slyly shyly fully wholly coyly happily	address arrive certain experience history mention occasionally probably reign sentence

Team 4

The suffix '-ion' when the root word ends in 't' or 'te' then the suffix becomes '-tion'.	The suffix '-ion' becomes '-ssion' when the root word ends in 'ss' or 'mit.'	The suffix '-cian' used instead of '-sion' when the root word ends in 'c' or 'cs'	Adding '-ly' to create adverbs of manner. These adverbs describe how the verb is occurring.	Challenge Words
invention injection action hesitation completion stagnation nomination migration conservation selection	expression discussion confession permission admission impression obsession procession omission concussion	musician magician electrician politician mathematician technician optician beautician physician dietician	reluctantly quickly generously unexpectedly gently curiously furiously seriously victoriously courteously	group height particular potatoes separate surprise through various though woman

Team 5

Words with the 'ee' sound spelled ei after c. The 'i before e except after c' rule applies to words where the sound spelled by ei is /ee/ However there are exceptions like those in the spellings.	Words containing the letter string 'ough' where the sound is /aw/.	Words containing the letter string 'ough' where the sound is /o/ as in boat or 'ow' as in cow.	Adverbs of possibility. These words show the possibility that something has of occurring.	Challenge Words
deceive conceive receive perceive receipt protein caffeine seize either neither	bought fought thought ought sought nought brought wrought afterthought thoughtfulness	though although dough doughnut rough enough tough plough bough toughen	definitely possibly probably frequently infrequently occasionally rarely certainly obviously often	accompany communicate conscience desperate disastrous interfere nuisance queue restaurant rhythm

Team 6

Words with origins in other countries	Words with unstressed vowel sounds.	Words with endings /shuhl/ after a vowel letter	Words with endings /shuhl/ after a consonant letter.	Words with the common letter string 'acc' at the beginning of words.
hoist easel restaurant pyjamas bungalow veranda ballet blizzard gymkhana origin	explanatory environment secretary jewellery poisonous company desperate definitely reference temperature	antisocial official superficial special artificial social racial crucial facial beneficial	influential martial spatial partial confidential essential substantial potential sequential torrential	accompany accommodate access accuse accost accrue accuracy accomplish accumulate accentuate