

Programming for Spelling

Level 4 Study Sheets

Steps 31-40

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Level 4 Spelling List: Step 31

Note: All words in *italics* are extension words for those students who can already spell the words on the base lists.

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| Level | Level 4 Step 31 | | | | | |
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| Spelling List | Extension Words | Revision | | | | |
| Trigraph '-ure' manicure pedicure signature structure vulture | manicurist signatory structural | high nigh sigh night sight light right might knight | | | | |
| Tetragraph 'augh' saying /arf/ laugh draught | laughter draughty draughtier draughtiest | brief chief grief sieve field niece shriek belief priest | | | | |

AN INTERESTING WORD for STEP 31

| | Draper | |
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| Level 4 Occupations | Etymology Latin <i>drapus</i> : piece of cloth Old French (13 th century) <i>drapier</i> : clothesseller, clothes-maker. | Meaning A dealer in fabrics and sewing materials. |

Spelling

Spelling Rule 7

When a word ends in a consonant and a 'y', change the 'y' to an 'i' before adding a vowel or a consonant ending, EXCEPT when adding 'ING'.

Example 1 fry + ed = fried cry + ed = cried fry + es = fries cry + es = cries but fry + ing = frying cry + ing = crying

Example 2 marry + ed = married but marry + ing = marryingExample 3 beauty + ful = beautiful happy + ly = happily

Complete this table. (spelling rule: discrimination)

| | Base word | | Suffix | | |
|-----|------------------|---|--------|---|------------|
| | crisp y ∕ | + | -er | = | crisp i er |
| 1. | hurry | + | -ing | = | |
| 2. | funny | + | -er | = | |
| 3. | juicy | + | -est | = | |
| 4. | hurry | + | -ing | = | |
| 5. | lucky | + | -ly | = | |
| 6. | carry | + | -ed | = | |
| 7. | play | + | -ful | = | |
| 8. | pity | + | -less | = | |
| 9. | messy | + | -ness | = | |
| 10. | jolly | + | -est | = | |
| 11. | unify | + | -ed | = | |
| 12. | slimy | + | -er | = | |

Writing Conventions

Grammar - Adverbs

| Manner | Place | Time | Frequency | Sentence | Degree | Interro- gative | Relative |
|--|---|--|---|--|--|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| bravely fast happily hard quickly well loudly slowly | by down here there up upstairs home | now soon still then today yet | always never occasionally often twice sometimes seldom frequently | certainly definitely luckily surely really frankly almost kindly | fairly hardly rather quite too very just | when? where? why? how? | when where why |

Underline the adverb in each sentence.

Write the type of adverb in the second column. (grammar – adverbs: production)

| I'll be arriving <u>soon</u> . | time |
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| We occasionally go camping in the mountains. | |
| I hardly know what to say! | |
| Put your gear upstairs, please. | |
| My daughter completed her homework quickly. | |
| Luckily, we have already packed our gear. | |
| The boys are still waiting for the shops to open. | |
| Grandpa often falls asleep in his chair. | |
| It is too late to start the puzzle now. | |

Word Study

Etymology

Etymology is the study of the history of words. It explains which languages words come from, how words get their meanings, and how words change over time.

| Word List | English | Latin/Greek | European | Modern Meaning | Synonyms |
|-----------|--|--|---------------------------|--|--|
| more | Old English: mara: greater, stronger, mightier | Greek: -moros: great | | a greater or additional amount or degree of | additional, further, extra, longer, better |
| store | Mid 13 th century: storen: to supply or stock | Latin: instaurare: to set up, establish | | a quantity or supply of something kept for use as needed | supply, stock, hoard, save, shop, market |
| fore | Old English: fore: before, in front of | | Germanic: fura: before | situated or placed in front | front, forward, before, ante |
| shore | Old English: scora: shore, coast, headland | | | the land along the edge of a sea, lake or other large body of water | seaside, beach, coast, shoreline |
| omnivore | 1890: omnivorous plant and meat eating | | French: omnivore | an animal or person that eats a variety of food of both plant and animal origin | consumer, all-devouring |
| carnivore | 1839: flesh eating | Latin: <i>carnivorus</i> : flesh-eating | French: carnivore | an animal that feeds on other animals: a person who is not a vegetarian | meat-eater |
| herbivore | 1851: plant- eating animal | Latin: herbivorus; herba: plant | French: herbivore | an animal that feeds on plants | vegetarian, vegan |
| bough | Old English: <i>bog</i> : shoulder, arm | | | a main branch of a tree | branch, limb, twig |
| plough | Middle English: plouz, plouh, ploug | | | a large farming machine which is pulled over soil to turn it over | cultivate, bulldoze, dig, farm, harrow |
| drought | Old English: drugap: dryness | | | a prolonged period of abnormally low rainfall leading to a shortage of water | aridity, dearth, dehydration |

Comprehension

| Across | Down | rough | two | caught |
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| a person's name written in a certain way two words that have the | step a pattern of | rhythm | stair | carnivore |
| same final sound 6. not smooth | sound in music 4. expensive 5. a seat 7 excessive pride in oneself 8. a bird | rhymed | stays | enough |
| 7. an animal that eats meat 10. a number 11. past tense of catch | | dear | chair | conceit |
| 12. remains | 9. sufficient | signature | vulture | |

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Spelling

Spelling Rules - Discrimination

- 1. The One-One-Doubling Rule applied to multisyllabic words.
- 2. When 'c' is followed by 'e', 'i', or 'y' its sound will change from /k/ to /s/.
- 3. 'i' before 'e', except after a 'c' unless the sound in the middle is a long $/\bar{a}/$.
- 4. Adding a Vowel or Consonant ending to a word ending in final 'e'
- 5. When a word ends in a consonant and a 'y', change the 'y' to an 'i' before adding a vowel or a consonant ending, except when adding 'ing'.
- 6. Add '-ly' to base words

Which spelling rule/s is/are operating in each of these words? (spelling rules: discrimination)

| 1. | charities | |
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| 2. | grumpily | |
| 3. | famous | |
| 4. | remedial | |
| 5. | graceful | |
| 6. | cycle | |

Word Study

Draw a line to match the words to their meanings. (word meanings/multiple meanings)

| Words | Meanings |
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| cheque | a way of carrying out a particular task |
| unique | a type of fly which can bite and transmit serious diseases |
| technique | a bat with a round or oval frame, strung with nylon and used in tennis, badminton, and squash |
| antique | a long, narrow container for animals to eat or drink out of |
| racquet | an order to a bank to pay a stated sum from the drawer's account, written on a specially printed form |
| mosquito | to expel air from the lungs with a sudden sharp sound |
| cough | a collectable object that has a high value because of its age and quality |
| trough | being the only one of its kind, unlike anything else |

Written composition

Title: The Chrysalis

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Written composition

CONCLUSION

The purpose of a conclusion is to summarise the **main points** of your writing and reinforce the main idea that you have presented. Your last sentence should be a powerful statement that leaves a lasting impression on your reader.

A conclusion should never bring in new information.

| Summarise the main points of your writing. |
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| Provide a powerful final statement. |
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