

SYLLABLE TYPES

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

“demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by spelling multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables”

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ME?

When I find chron, I know the word relates to time.

The suffix tells me how the word uses the idea of time.

When I combine the root with its parts, I understand the word.

THIS WEEK'S FOCUS

Root chrono

from “A Difficult Compromise”

This week we study the root chrono (meaning time) using words connected to "A Difficult Compromise."

This deck teaches **the root chrono (time)** across the five RPLD thinking levels:

NOTICE → CHOOSE → SHOW → OWN → DEFEND.



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TODAY'S THINKING JOB

NOTICE

“I can notice a word with the root chrono.”

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Notice the word with the root chrono.

Read this sentence from the passage. Find the bold word and the root chrono and its meaning (time).

**“Events at the Constitutional Convention can be arranged in
chronological order.”**

I CAN

I can notice a word with the root chrono and name the root chrono and its meaning (time).



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CHOOSE

“I can choose a word with the root chrono.”

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Choose the word with the root chrono.

Read the sentence. Which word is a word with the root chrono? Use the rule.

“A **chronicle** of the debates was kept as a written record.”

A debates • **B** record • **C** chronicle

I CAN

I can choose the word with the root chrono and explain how I know.



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SHOW

“I can show how a word with the root chrono works.”

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Show the word with the root chrono.

Read the sentence. In the bold word, name the root chrono and its meaning (time).

“The delegates tried to **synchronize** their efforts to reach agreement.”

I CAN | I can show the root chrono and its meaning (time).



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OWN

“I can use chrono to figure out a word's meaning.”

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Own it. Read the longer word.

Split the word into its parts. Name the root chrono and its meaning (time).

chronology
chro / nol / o / gy

I CAN | I can use chrono to figure out a word's meaning.



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TODAY'S THINKING JOB

DEFEND

"I can prove that a word has the root chrono."

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Defend the rule.

Prove the bold word follows the rule. Name the root chrono and its meaning (time).

"The **chronic** disagreement over representation lasted for weeks."

I CAN | I can prove that a word has the root chrono.



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Find a word with the root chrono on your own.

Go back to the passage. Find one word with the root chrono. Copy the sentence and name the root chrono and its meaning (time).

Go back to the reading.

Find one word with the root chrono.

Copy the exact sentence. Then name the root chrono and its meaning (time).

I CAN | I can find a word with the root chrono and prove it.



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Answers, across the five thinking levels.

NOTICE chronological. Chrono means time. Log means word or study. -Ical means relating to. Chronological means arranged in time order.

CHOOSE C. chronicle. Chron means time. A chronicle is a record of events arranged by time. Debates and record do not contain chron.

SHOW synchronize. Syn- means together. Chron means time. -Ize means to make. Synchronize means to make things happen at the same time.

OWN chro / nol / o / gy. Chrono means time. -Logy means the study of. Chronology is the study of events in time order.

DEFEND chronic. Chron means time. -Ic means relating to. Chronic means lasting a long time or happening again and again over time.

YOUR TURN anachronism. Ana- means against or backward. Chron means time. -Ism means a condition. An anachronism is something out of its proper time.



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READ THIS PASSAGE EXCERPT.

“Events can be arranged in chronological order. ... A chronicle of the debates was kept. ... The chronic disagreement lasted for weeks.”

In which word does the root chron mean time?

A compromise

B chronological

C convention

D disagreement



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The answer is B.

- A** **compromise**
Compromise does not contain the root chron.
- B** **chronological** **Correct.**
Chrono means time. Chronological means arranged in time order.
- C** **convention**
Convention does not contain the root chron.
- D** **disagreement**
Disagreement does not contain the root chron.

