

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

"demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by spelling words with common orthographic patterns and rules, including adding the suffix -ed to base words"

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ME?

We add -ed to a base word to show it already happened.
First I find the base word, then I add -ed to the end.
help becomes helped, and place becomes placed.

THE SPELLING RULE**Adding -ed to a Base Word**

used liked caused helped placed

WHERE THEY APPEAR: "During Franklin's time, lightning strikes often caused serious damage to buildings."

This deck teaches **Adding -ed to a Base Word** across the five RPLD thinking levels: **NOTICE → CHOOSE → SHOW → OWN → DEFEND.**

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

NOTICE

"I can notice the -ed ending."

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Notice the ending.

Find the base word and the -ed ending.

helped = help + ed

I CAN I can notice when -ed is added to a base word.



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CHOOSE

"I can choose the correct -ed spelling."

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Choose the correct spelling.

Which one adds -ed to place correctly?

placed • placeed • plased

I CAN I can choose the word that adds -ed correctly.



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SHOW

"I can show the rule with a passage word."

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Show the rule.

Add -ed to this base word from the reading.

help + ed = _ _ _ _ _

I CAN I can spell a passage word by adding -ed.



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OWN

"I can own the rule with a new word."

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Own the rule.

Add -ed to this new base word on your own.

jump + ed = _ _ _ _ _

I CAN I can spell a new word by adding -ed.



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DEFEND

"I can explain and transfer the rule."

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Explain and transfer.

Explain why helped ends in -ed, then spell one -ed word of your own.

"This invention helped protect homes, barns, and churches from fires caused by lightning."

I CAN I can explain the -ed rule and use it in my own writing.



Your turn to spell.

On your tracking sheet, add -ed to each base word, then use one in a sentence about the reading.

jump → _____ walk → _____ rest → _____ mix → _____ plant → _____

I CAN I can add -ed to base words on my own.

Answers, across the five thinking levels.

NOTICE helped = help + ed. The base word is help.

CHOOSE placed is correct. place already ends in e, so we add only d.

SHOW help + ed = helped.

OWN jump + ed = jumped.

DEFEND helped ends in -ed because it already happened; a correct student word might be walked, mixed, or planted.

YOUR TURN jumped, walked, rested, mixed, planted

SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW • Test-Style Question

TEKS (3.2)(B) • ADDING -ED TO A BASE WORD

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READ THIS SENTENCE.

Lightning often _____ serious damage to buildings.

Which word correctly completes the sentence?

A caused

B cauld

C causeed

D caust

The answer is **A**.

- A caused** · Correct. Cause ends in e, so we add only d.
- B causd** · Leaves out the e that cause needs.
- C causeed** · Adds an extra e that this word does not need.
- D caust** · Spells it the way it sounds, but the base word is cause plus d.