

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

“demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by spelling multisyllabic words with multiple sound-spelling patterns”

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ME?

Some words follow a special spelling pattern.

Some words use unusual letter teams for their sounds, like eigh and ei.

Study the pattern so you can spell the word from memory.

THE SPELLING RULE

Multiple sound spelling patterns

enough weigh ceiling receive neighbor though
through height believe eight

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WHERE THEY APPEAR: “Our neighbor will weigh enough apples to fill the box.”

This deck teaches **Multiple sound spelling patterns** across the five RPLD thinking levels: **NOTICE** → **CHOOSE** → **SHOW** → **OWN** → **DEFEND**.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

NOTICE

"I can notice the pattern."

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Notice the pattern.

Notice the spelling pattern in the word.

weigh = w + eigh

I CAN I can notice the pattern in a word.

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CHOOSE

"I can choose the correct spelling."

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Choose the correct spelling.

Which spelling is correct?

ceiling • cieling • seiling

I CAN I can choose the correctly spelled word.

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SHOW

"I can show the rule with a word."

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Show the rule.

Build or spell the word.

n + eighbor = _____

I CAN I can build the word correctly.

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OWN

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

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Own the rule.

Build a new word on your own.

rec + eive = _____

I CAN I can spell a new word on my own.

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DEFEND

"I can explain and transfer the rule."

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Explain and transfer.

Explain the pattern, then spell one word of your own.

"I believe our neighbor will weigh the box," she said.

I CAN I can explain the pattern and use a word in my own writing.

Your turn to spell.

Build each word, then use one in a sentence about the reading.

e + nough → _____ w + eigh → _____ c + eiling → _____ rec + eive → _____
n + eighbor → _____

I CAN I can spell these words on my own.

Answers, across the five thinking levels.

NOTICE

weigh = w + eigh.

CHOOSE

ceiling is correct.

SHOW

n + eighbor = neighbor.

OWN

rec + eive = receive.

DEFEND

Answers vary; a correct student word might be weigh, ceiling, or receive.

YOUR TURN

enough, weigh, ceiling, receive, neighbor

READ THIS SENTENCE.

Each choice is one way to spell the same word.

Which word is spelled correctly?

A ceiling

B cieling

C seiling

D cealing

The answer is **A**.

A ceiling · Correct. Use ei after c in ceiling.

B cieling · Uses ie instead of ei.

C seiling · Uses s for the c sound.

D cealing · Uses ea instead of ei.