

Fundations Grade 3 Choice Board

Choose 3 pairs of sound alike words from the list below. Write what each word means and draw a picture to illustrate.

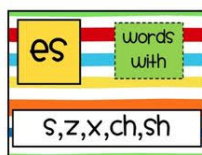
Homophones



Make a list of words that are closed syllable exceptions. See if you can find closed syllable exception words in your books! Add those words to the list.

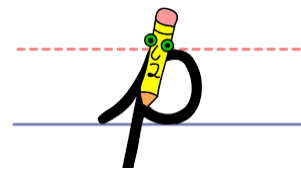


Write these words in your notebook. Change them to be plural.



boss, block, lunch, witch, bug, car, dish, snack, box, buzz

Practice writing the letters i, j, p, r and s in cursive. Get creative and use markers, shaving cream or sidewalk chalk!



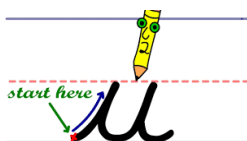
Write these words in your notebook. Underline the baseword. Circle the suffix. Read the word. Use the word in a sentence.

pinkish quicken
active dusty sixty
shipment fondness
costly bendable

Using the words below and the suffixes "s", "es", "ing", "ed", "er", "est", "ful", "less", "ish", "ive", "y", "ly", "ty", "ness", "able", "en", and "ment" make as many words as you can.

bend act lunch bold
cold send old chill
boss wild tall raft
jump fluff luck quick
brush crush crunch

Practice writing the letters t, u, w, c and a in cursive. Get creative and use markers, shaving cream or sidewalk chalk!



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Write the following words in your notebook. Circle the words that follow the 1:1:1 rule.

1-1-1-RULE!

One syllable word
One final consonant
One middle short vowel

Double the final consonant before a suffix starting with a vowel.

Word	Final Consonant	Middle Vowel	Spell
run	n	ū	running
bat	t	ā	batted
big	g	ī	bigger

map shut loud jog
milk keep zip step pat
mop chip flop hop
feed mist bake

Use the words you circled from the box next door.



Follow the 1:1:1 rule and make the words plural by adding "ing" or "ed". Don't forget to put a star above the double letter.

Example:
map ----> mapping

Explain to a friend or family member what schwa is. Look for examples of words that contain schwa in your books. Make a list of the words!

What is a Schwa?

When our mouths get lazy with the vowel in a word, they make the sound /u/ or /i/.

salad travel mitten wagon

Schwa happens in the syllable that is NOT accented. You can find the accented syllable by tapping your finger on the table as you say the word. Whatever syllable your finger lands on is the accented syllable. It is a little louder and longer. That syllable will not be a schwa. The other unaccented one will be.

When you can't remember what the real vowel is in a word and you think it is a schwa, use a spell checker or a dictionary to help you.

Write these words in your notebook. Underline the baseword. **Circle** the suffix. Read the word. Choose three words and write them in a sentence.

brushes printing rented
spilled splashed colder
coldest thankful
thankless

Suffixes

ful (Full of)

less (without)

A suffix is added to the end of a word to make a new word.

Choose 3 pairs of sound alike words from the list below. Make a video to teach a friend/family member what each word means.

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pair pear

Write these words in your notebook. Divide these multisyllabic words. Mark your syllables. (see the syllable division chart below if you forgot the rules!)

submit publish
athlete entire costume
consist
reptile concrete advise

Count the syllables.

ba na na
wa ter mel on

Practice writing the letters o, d, g, q and n in cursive. Get creative and use markers, shaving cream or sidewalk chalk!

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Have an adult or older sibling quiz you on **spelling** the review trick words (see list below). Make index cards for the ones that stumped you!

the to me her were their
I no was have little Mr could
go into they so when ooked
he she are some what as the show; etc

Choose 3 pairs of sound alike words from the attached list. Use each word in a sentence that helps others know what the word means.

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Prefixes change the meaning of words. Write a sentence for each word. Explain to a friend or family member how the prefix changes the meaning of the word.

respect/disrespect
print/reprint
plug/unplug
like/dislike
kind/unkind
wash/prewash

Practice writing the letters m, v, y, x, and z in cursive. Get creative and use markers, shaving cream or sidewalk chalk!

Look through your books. Find words with y as a vowel. Sort the words based on what vowel sound the "y" is making.

SOUNDS OF "Y"

The "y" steals the sounds of "i" and "e"

In a one syllable word "y" says "i"
fly cry

In a two syllable word "y" says "e"
happy sorry

Sound Alike Words

know, no which, which son, sun some, sum banned, band guest, guessed missed, mist plain, plane mail, male

mind, mined find, fined weather, whether father, farther hi, high by, buy, bye oh, owe flour, flower thrown, throne

Review Trick Words:

should, have, again, from, Mr., both, school, something, brother, carry, animal, many

Syllable Division Rules	
<p>VCCV</p> <p>basket</p> <p>Divide between two middle consonants.</p>	<p>VCV</p> <p>cabin</p> <p>Divide after the consonant when the 1st vowel has a short sound.</p>
<p>VCV</p> <p>basic</p> <p>Divide before the consonant when the 1st vowel is long.</p>	<p>C•LE</p> <p>candle</p> <p>Divide before consonant -le</p>
<p>VCCCV</p> <p>complex</p> <p>With 3 consonants between vowels, usually split after 1st consonant (but keep digraphs and blends together).</p>	<p>VCCCV</p> <p>instruct</p> <p>With 4 consonants between vowels, usually split after 1st consonant.</p>
<p>windmill</p> <p>Divide compound words between the two words.</p>	<p>unkindly</p> <p>Divide syllables before a suffix and after a prefix.</p>