

Things to do with spelling words:

1. Break the word into syllables.
2. Identify and graph all the sounds.
3. Look for patterns.
4. Divide compound words.
5. Underline prefixes and suffixes.
6. Look for root words.

Suffixes: -y “having the quality of, state or condition” and -ity “state or quality of” -ant “one who”

Spelling Word	Syllables	Sounds	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1. modesty												
2. vigilant												
3. servant												
4. necessity												
5. civility												
6. honesty												
7. nobility												
8. assistant												
9. immigrant												
10. lucky												
11. messy												
12. agility												
13. rainy												
14. pleasant												
15. hostility												
16. defiant												
17. tasty												
18. resistant												
19. purity												
20. formality												

- Remember silent “e” goes back to make a vowel long ex: outtake
- Remember double consonants help “protect” short vowels ex: metallic
- Check for blended sounds like ar, or, ur, oy, ng, tch, sh, ch, th