

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Mixed Spelling Patterns

► Write a Spelling Word to complete each sentence.

1. Ants and flies are \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ that my goggles were missing.
3. The classroom was in \_\_\_\_\_ when the snake escaped.
4. Jennie made a \_\_\_\_\_ pie.
5. I am hungry, and my \_\_\_\_\_ is growing.
6. Let's take a \_\_\_\_\_ instead of the bus.
7. I need \_\_\_\_\_ to tighten the bolt.
8. What good is a bow without an \_\_\_\_\_?
9. Attach the \_\_\_\_\_ to these two trees.

► Write the Spelling Word that fits each clue.

10. to make equal in weight \_\_\_\_\_
11. the winner \_\_\_\_\_
12. one who is dishonest \_\_\_\_\_
13. what you use to be certain everything is done \_\_\_\_\_
14. a chopping tool \_\_\_\_\_
15. to prevent or hold back \_\_\_\_\_
16. a business customer \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the following Spelling Words: *puncture*, *humans*, *famous*, *figure*. Use your best handwriting.

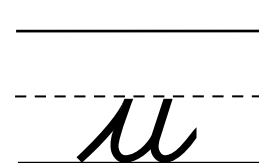
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *noticed*
2. *humans*
3. *balance*
4. *hammock*
5. *arrow*
6. *victor*
7. *insects*
8. *hatchet*
9. *pumpkin*
10. *checklist*
11. *liar*
12. *chaos*
13. *famous*
14. *stomach*
15. *figure*
16. *client*
17. *hinder*
18. *puncture*
19. *taxi*
20. *pliers*

### Handwriting

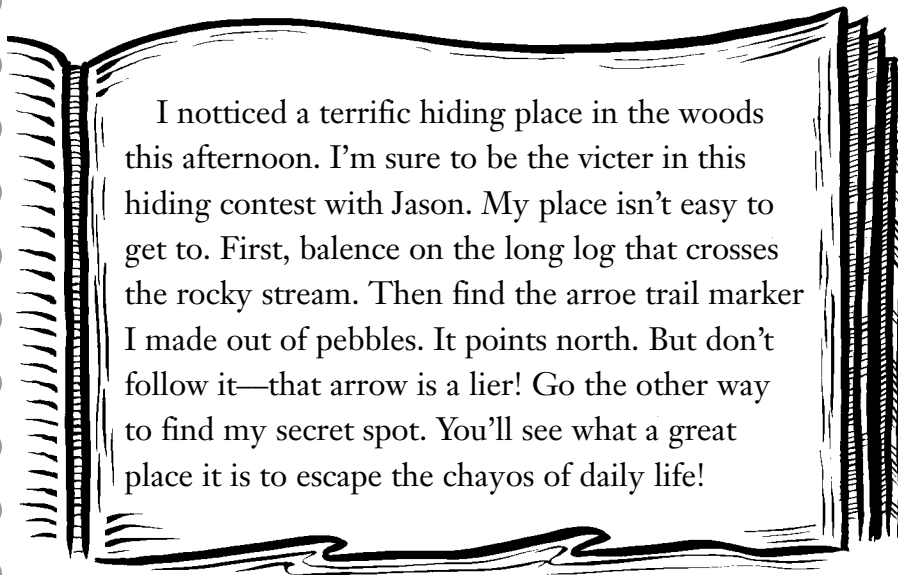
**Tip:** Be sure to begin the letter *u* with an undercurve, or a *u* could look like an *ri*.



**SPELLING WORDS**

1. noticed
2. humans
3. balance
4. hammock
5. arrow
6. victor
7. insects
8. hatchet
9. pumpkin
10. checklist
11. liar
12. chaos
13. famous
14. stomach
15. figure
16. client
17. hinder
18. puncture
19. taxi
20. pliers

► Read the journal entry. Circle the six misspelled words. Then write the words correctly.



- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 6. _____ |

► Write the Spelling Word that best matches the picture.



- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 7. _____ | 10. _____ |
|----------|-----------|



- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 8. _____ | 11. _____ |
|----------|-----------|



- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 9. _____ | 12. _____ |
|----------|-----------|

**SPELLING STRATEGY**

**Visualizing**

When you're not sure how a word is spelled, try to picture the word in your mind. Consider two spelling patterns. Then pick one, and write the word to see if that spelling looks right.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

► **Hidden Words** Write the Spelling Word that contains all the letters needed to spell the three smaller words.

1. comma, hack, ham \_\_\_\_\_
2. true, pure, rent \_\_\_\_\_
3. chick, chest, stick \_\_\_\_\_
4. lean, cab, cane \_\_\_\_\_
5. sum, mash, ham \_\_\_\_\_
6. rind, ride, hire \_\_\_\_\_

► **Rhyming Riddles** Answer each riddle by writing a Spelling Word that rhymes.

7. What do you call a harmony among one's abilities?  
a \_\_\_\_\_ of talents
8. What do you call a slender weapon shot from a bow?  
a narrow \_\_\_\_\_
9. What do you call a person who guesses the winning team? a \_\_\_\_\_ predictor
10. When Ramos becomes a movie star, who will he be?  
\_\_\_\_\_ Ramos
11. What do you call a tool owned by an untruthful person? a liar's \_\_\_\_\_

► **Word Scramble** Unscramble each group of letters to write a Spelling Word.

12. csomaht \_\_\_\_\_
13. nictle \_\_\_\_\_
14. gurfei \_\_\_\_\_
15. thaceht \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *noticed*
2. *humans*
3. *balance*
4. *hammock*
5. *arrow*
6. *victor*
7. *insects*
8. *hatchet*
9. *pumpkin*
10. *checklist*
11. *liar*
12. *chaos*
13. *famous*
14. *stomach*
15. *figure*
16. *client*
17. *hinder*
18. *puncture*
19. *taxi*
20. *pliers*



**SPELLING WORDS**

1. *brilliance*
2. *difference*
3. *influence*
4. *ambulance*
5. *conference*
6. *allowance*
7. *reference*
8. *entrance*
9. *importance*
10. *independence*
11. *instance*
12. *performance*
13. *ignorance*
14. *acceptance*
15. *elegance*
16. *abundance*
17. *attendance*
18. *intelligence*
19. *presence*
20. *evidence*

**Handwriting**

**Tip:** Be sure not to loop the letter *i*, or the *i* could look like an *e*.



**Suffixes -ance and -ence**

► Think of the *-ance* or *-ence* form of the given word. Write the correct Spelling Word on the line.

1. different \_\_\_\_\_
2. important \_\_\_\_\_
3. enter \_\_\_\_\_
4. independent \_\_\_\_\_
5. perform \_\_\_\_\_
6. brilliant \_\_\_\_\_
7. attend \_\_\_\_\_
8. abound \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the Spelling Word that goes with each mini-definition.

9. source of information \_\_\_\_\_
10. an occurrence \_\_\_\_\_
11. a meeting \_\_\_\_\_
12. money given regularly \_\_\_\_\_
13. willingness to take something \_\_\_\_\_
14. a vehicle that transports injured people \_\_\_\_\_
15. existence at a place and time \_\_\_\_\_
16. beauty and grandeur \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the following Spelling Words: *evidence*, *influence*, *intelligence*, *ignorance*. Use your best handwriting.

17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

- Read the seminar topics list. Circle the six misspelled words. Then write each word correctly.

### Nutrition Seminar

Conferance topics include:

- The Importence of Good Eating Habits
- The Differance Between Low-Fat and Fat-Free Foods
- Ways to Influnce Children to Eat Properly
- How Foods Affect Energy and Performance
- Recommended Referance Books on Nutrition



1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

- Circle each misspelled word. Look up its spelling. Then write the word correctly.

entrence      brilliance      presance      abundence  
acceptance      ignorance      ambulence      elegence

7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. brilliance
2. difference
3. influence
4. ambulance
5. conference
6. allowance
7. reference
8. entrance
9. importance
10. independence
11. instance
12. performance
13. ignorance
14. acceptance
15. elegance
16. abundance
17. attendance
18. intelligence
19. presence
20. evidence

## SPELLING STRATEGY

### Using a Dictionary

When you proofread, use a dictionary to check the spelling of words that do not look correct.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *brilliance*
2. *difference*
3. *influence*
4. *ambulance*
5. *conference*
6. *allowance*
7. *reference*
8. *entrance*
9. *importance*
10. *independence*
11. *instance*
12. *performance*
13. *ignorance*
14. *acceptance*
15. *elegance*
16. *abundance*
17. *attendance*
18. *intelligence*
19. *presence*
20. *evidence*

► **Missing Vowels** Write the missing vowels to complete the Spelling Words. Then write the words.

1. \_\_\_ nst \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_ v \_\_\_ d \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_ ll \_\_\_ w \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_ mb \_\_\_ l \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_ gn \_\_\_ r \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
6. pr \_\_\_ s \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_ b \_\_\_ nd \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_ l \_\_\_ g \_\_\_ nc \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

► **Double or Nothing** Write the six Spelling Words that have double consonants.

9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_

► **Ins and Outs** Write the four Spelling Words that begin with the letters *-in*.

15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Suffixes: *-ness* and *-tion*

► Add the suffix *-ness* or *-tion* to each word to form a Spelling Word. Write the Spelling Word on the line.

1. demonstrate \_\_\_\_\_
2. meditate \_\_\_\_\_
3. late \_\_\_\_\_
4. relate \_\_\_\_\_
5. fresh \_\_\_\_\_
6. small \_\_\_\_\_
7. damp \_\_\_\_\_
8. elect \_\_\_\_\_
9. busy \_\_\_\_\_
10. create \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the Spelling Word that goes with each mini-definition.

11. fun and frivolity \_\_\_\_\_
12. taking away \_\_\_\_\_
13. neatness \_\_\_\_\_
14. freshness \_\_\_\_\_
15. teaching and learning \_\_\_\_\_
16. a proposal \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the following Spelling Words: *inspiration*, *calculation*, *consideration*, *loneliness*. Use your best handwriting.

17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *demonstration*
2. *dampness*
3. *freshness*
4. *meditation*
5. *lateness*
6. *education*
7. *consideration*
8. *suggestion*
9. *smallness*
10. *relation*
11. *subtraction*
12. *business*
13. *inspiration*
14. *calculation*
15. *tidiness*
16. *loneliness*
17. *silliness*
18. *newness*
19. *election*
20. *creation*

### Handwriting

**Tip:** Keep the joining stroke high when you connect the letter *o* to the letter *n*, or the *o* could look like an *a*.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*on*

**SPELLING WORDS**

1. demonstration
2. dampness
3. freshness
4. meditation
5. lateness
6. education
7. consideration
8. suggestion
9. smallness
10. relation
11. subtraction
12. business
13. inspiration
14. calculation
15. tidiness
16. loneliness
17. silliness
18. newness
19. election
20. creation

► Proofread the list twice. Circle the five misspelled words. Then write the words correctly.

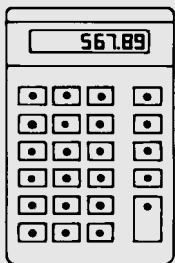


- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ |          |

**SPELLING STRATEGY**

**Checking Twice**

After you finish proofreading, go back and proofread again.



► Write the Spelling Word that is formed from the root word.

6. suggest \_\_\_\_\_
7. meditate \_\_\_\_\_
8. create \_\_\_\_\_
9. calculate \_\_\_\_\_
10. relate \_\_\_\_\_
11. inspire \_\_\_\_\_
12. tidy \_\_\_\_\_
13. silly \_\_\_\_\_
14. lonely \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

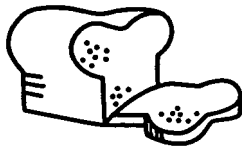
► **Look Inside** Write the Spelling Words that have these smaller words in them.

1. mall \_\_\_\_\_
2. cat \_\_\_\_\_
3. act \_\_\_\_\_
4. edit \_\_\_\_\_
5. dine \_\_\_\_\_
6. side \_\_\_\_\_

► **Seeing Backward** Write the Spelling Word correctly.

7. noitaredisnoc \_\_\_\_\_
8. ssenisub \_\_\_\_\_
9. noitaler \_\_\_\_\_
10. ssenetal \_\_\_\_\_
11. noitseggus \_\_\_\_\_
12. ssenwen \_\_\_\_\_

► **See and Spell** Write the Spelling Word that best matches the picture.



$$438 - 238 = 200$$

13. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. \_\_\_\_\_



14. \_\_\_\_\_ 16. \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

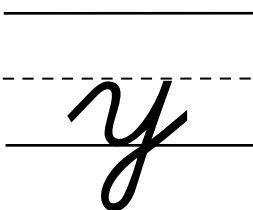
1. *demonstration*
2. *dampness*
3. *freshness*
4. *meditation*
5. *lateness*
6. *education*
7. *consideration*
8. *suggestion*
9. *smallness*
10. *relation*
11. *subtraction*
12. *business*
13. *inspiration*
14. *calculation*
15. *tidiness*
16. *loneliness*
17. *silliness*
18. *newness*
19. *election*
20. *creation*

**SPELLING WORDS**

1. excitement
2. amazement
3. community
4. government
5. ability
6. activity
7. statement
8. environment
9. majority
10. security
11. apartment
12. improvement
13. judgment
14. electricity
15. identity
16. opportunity
17. authority
18. purity
19. resentment
20. basement

**Handwriting**

**Tip:** Be sure that the tails on letters with descenders touch the descender line.



**Suffixes: -ment and -ity**

► Write the Spelling Word that is the opposite of each clue.

1. question \_\_\_\_\_
2. an unsafe feeling \_\_\_\_\_
3. apathy; sluggishness \_\_\_\_\_
4. indifference \_\_\_\_\_
5. laziness \_\_\_\_\_
6. minority \_\_\_\_\_
7. approval \_\_\_\_\_
8. attic \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the Spelling Words in alphabetical order.

government	community	apartment	environment
judgment	ability	purity	improvement

9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the following Spelling Words: *electricity, authority, identity, opportunity*. Use your best handwriting.

17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_



Name \_\_\_\_\_

► Add the suffix in parentheses to the base word. Then write the Spelling Word.

1. amaze (-ment) \_\_\_\_\_
2. able (-ity) \_\_\_\_\_
3. pure (-ity) \_\_\_\_\_
4. base (-ment) \_\_\_\_\_



► Proofread the newspaper headlines. Circle the six misspelled words. Then write the words correctly.



5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the Spelling Word that is the opposite of each clue.

11. corruption \_\_\_\_\_
12. anonymity \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. excitement
2. amazement
3. community
4. government
5. ability
6. activity
7. statement
8. environment
9. majority
10. security
11. apartment
12. improvement
13. judgment
14. electricity
15. identity
16. opportunity
17. authority
18. purity
19. resentment
20. basement

## SPELLING STRATEGY

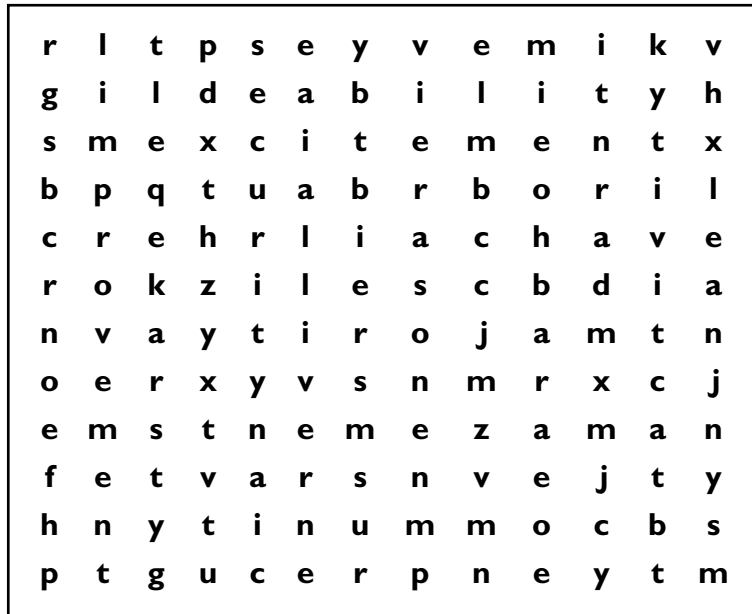
### Suffixes

Remember to watch for base words that end with the letter *e*. Many need a spelling change before you add an ending.

**SPELLING WORDS**

1. excitement
2. amazement
3. community
4. government
5. ability
6. activity
7. statement
8. environment
9. majority
10. security
11. apartment
12. improvement
13. judgment
14. electricity
15. identity
16. opportunity
17. authority
18. purity
19. resentment
20. basement

► **Fun with Words** Circle the eight Spelling Words in the puzzle. Then write them on the lines below.



- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 8. _____ |

► **Mystery Vowels** For each ?, think of the missing vowel. Then write the Spelling Word.

9. j?dgm?nt \_\_\_\_\_
10. ??th?r?t? \_\_\_\_\_
11. ?pp?rt?n?t? \_\_\_\_\_
12. ?l?ctr?c?t? \_\_\_\_\_

► **Count Them Up!** Write the two Spelling Words that have five syllables.

13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_



Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Suffixes *-less*, *-ive*, and *-ous*

► Write the Spelling Word that is the opposite of each clue.

1. negative \_\_\_\_\_
2. silly \_\_\_\_\_
3. afraid \_\_\_\_\_
4. possible \_\_\_\_\_
5. quiet \_\_\_\_\_
6. calm \_\_\_\_\_
7. useless \_\_\_\_\_
8. bland \_\_\_\_\_
9. not amusing \_\_\_\_\_
10. old \_\_\_\_\_
11. a fugitive \_\_\_\_\_

► Write the Spelling Word that completes the analogy.

12. *Yes* is to *positive* as *no* is to \_\_\_\_\_.
13. *Road* is to *endless* as *lake* is to \_\_\_\_\_.
14. *Act* is to *active* as *create* is to \_\_\_\_\_.
15. *Normal* is to *typical* as *strange* is to \_\_\_\_\_.
16. *Brief* is to *short* as *eternal* is to \_\_\_\_\_.

► Write the following Spelling Words: *enormous*, *heartless*, *mysterious*, *various*. Use your best handwriting.

17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *hopeless*
2. *enormous*
3. *nervous*
4. *active*
5. *creative*
6. *timeless*
7. *effective*
8. *positive*
9. *bottomless*
10. *fearless*
11. *negative*
12. *curious*
13. *mysterious*
14. *delicious*
15. *heartless*
16. *serious*
17. *various*
18. *ageless*
19. *detective*
20. *hilarious*

### Handwriting

**Tip:** Be sure that when you connect the vowels *a*, *o*, and *e* to the letter *r*, the *r* does not look like an *i*.

\_\_\_\_\_

-----

\_\_\_\_\_



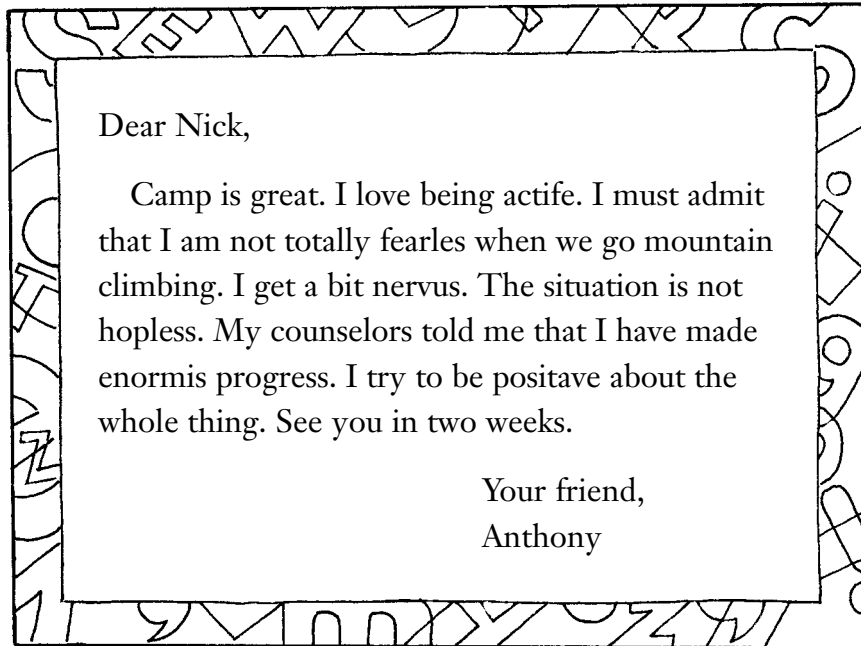
**SPELLING WORDS**

1. hopeless
2. enormous
3. nervous
4. active
5. creative
6. timeless
7. effective
8. positive
9. bottomless
10. fearless
11. negative
12. curious
13. mysterious
14. delicious
15. heartless
16. serious
17. various
18. ageless
19. detective
20. hilarious

► Check the two spellings. Circle the misspelled word. Then write the Spelling Word correctly.

- |               |            |       |
|---------------|------------|-------|
| 1. timeless   | timeless   | _____ |
| 2. effecteve  | effective  | _____ |
| 3. bottomless | bottomliss | _____ |
| 4. curyous    | curious    | _____ |
| 5. creative   | createive  | _____ |
| 6. delicious  | delisious  | _____ |
| 7. detecteve  | detective  | _____ |
| 8. ageless    | ageliss    | _____ |

► Proofread the letter. Circle the six misspelled words. Then write the words correctly.



**SPELLING STRATEGY**

**Suffixes**

Think about the spelling rules for adding a suffix when the base word ends with *e*.

- |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|
| 9. _____  | 12. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 11. _____ | 14. _____ |

Name \_\_\_\_\_

► **Add letters** Write the missing consonants to complete the Spelling Words. Then write the words.

1. \_\_\_ e \_\_\_ ou \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_ ea \_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_ ea \_\_\_ i \_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_ e \_\_\_ a \_\_\_ i \_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_ o \_\_\_ e \_\_\_ e \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_ y \_\_\_ e iou \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_ i \_\_\_ a \_\_\_ iou \_\_\_\_\_

► **Subtract Letters** Cross out the extra letter in each word. Write the Spelling Word.

8. hoppelless \_\_\_\_\_
9. acktive \_\_\_\_\_
10. effeective \_\_\_\_\_
11. createive \_\_\_\_\_
12. varrious \_\_\_\_\_
13. seriouss \_\_\_\_\_

► **Fun with Words** Write the Spelling Word that fits in each shape.

14. 

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

15. 


16. 

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## SPELLING WORDS

1. *hopeless*
2. *enormous*
3. *nervous*
4. *active*
5. *creative*
6. *timeless*
7. *effective*
8. *positive*
9. *bottomless*
10. *fearless*
11. *negative*
12. *curious*
13. *mysterious*
14. *delicious*
15. *heartless*
16. *serious*
17. *various*
18. *ageless*
19. *detective*
20. *hilarious*



# Practice Test

► Find the correctly spelled word that completes each sentence. Fill in the oval next to the correct answer.

1. Let's carve our \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 punkin                       pumpkin                       pumpken
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ your new outfit.  
 notised                       noticed                       notisedd
3. My aunt drives an \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 ambulance                       ambulence                       ambalance
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ to the store is over there.  
 entrence                       enterance                       entrance
5. The humidity causes \_\_\_\_\_ in the basement.  
 dampness                       dampniss                       dampnes
6. Which team do you think will be the \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 victer                       vicktor                       victor
7. This work shows \_\_\_\_\_ over your earlier work.  
 improvement                       improvment                       improovment
8. There is only one \_\_\_\_\_ for rent.  
 apartmint                       apartment                       apartement
9. Aren't you \_\_\_\_\_ about what happened?  
 curious                       currius                       curias
10. That is an \_\_\_\_\_ elephant.  
 enormos                       enormous                       enourmos
11. What would you do if you met a \_\_\_\_\_ celebrity?  
 famous                       famus                       faimous
12. Your determination is an \_\_\_\_\_ to us.  
 inspireation                       inspiration                       insperacian

Name \_\_\_\_\_

► Read each sentence. Decide which underlined word is misspelled. Fill in the oval under that word.

1. The actor was nervous, but he gave a creative performence.

2. The client did the calculation and wrote the figur on his notepad.

3. To climb into a hamock, you need the ability to balance yourself.

4. Dad gave an effective demonstation of the new security system.

5. Did you think the mayor's statement was positive or negitive?

6. You don't need brilliance to be a real influance in your community.

7. There's a big difference between being hopless and being fearless.

8. The smallness of my allowance limits my leisure activaty.

9. Will your career be in buisness, in government, or in education?

10. Do you have a sugestion for how to make an effective checklist?