

<u>Spelling Convention</u>	<u>Examples</u>
Suffixes:	
cious / tious	vicious / nutritious
cial / tial	official / confidential
ible / able	legible / applicable
Adding suffixes to vowel letters ending in fer	referring / referred / referral
Use of hyphen	co-ordinate
i before e except after c	deceive
ough	cough / tough / borough / dough
Silent letters	island
homophones	practise / practice
Words ending in ant / ance / ent / ence	accept - acceptance