

Words Their Way Scope and Sequence

Letter/Picture	Letter Name	Letter Name Cont.
sort 1: fruit/non fruit sort 2A: shape(triangle, circle, square) sort 2B: shape (harder) sort 3: animal/not an animal sort 4: clothes sort 5: cleaning items sort 6: food sort 7: rhyming w/animal pictures sort 8: rhyming w/ body parts sort 9A: rhyming sort for poem (Ant) sort 9B: rhyming sort for poem (Ant) sort 9C: rhyming sort for poem (Ant) sort 10A: rhyming pictures for poem (Sun) sort 10B: rhyming pictures for poem (Sun) sort 11A: number of syllables sort 11B: number of syllables sort 12A: compound words sort 12B: compound words sort 13: rhyming letters sort 14: lotto board with letters sort 15: font sort/capital/lowercase letters sort 16: M and R sort 17: font M and R sort 18: rhyming sort can/cat sort 19: D and C sort 20: real/make believe sort 21: wet/dry sort 22: beginning consonant F, D, and H sort 23: rhyming sort w/ numbers	<u>Unit 1: Review Sorts for Initial Sounds</u> sort 1: beginning consonants b, m, r, s sort 2: beginning consonants t, g, n, p sort 3: beginning consonants c, h, f, d sort 4: beginning consonants l, k, j, w sort 5: beginning consonants cy, z, v <u>Unit 2:Same-Vowel Word Families w/pics</u> sort 6: -at family w/ words sort 7: -an and -ad family w/words & pictures sort 8: -ap and -ag family w/words & pictures sort 9: -op, -ot, -og family w/wds & pics sort 10: -et, -eg, en family w/wds & pics sort 11: -ug, -ut, -un family w/wds & pics sort 12: -ip, -ig, -ill family w/wds & pics <u>Unit 3:Digraphs and Blends Picture Sorts</u> sort:13: s,h,and sh digraph sort 14: c, h, and ch digraph sort 15: h, sh, and ch digraphs sort 16: th and wh digraphs sort 17: sh, ch, th, and wh digraphs sort 18: s,t, and st blend sort 19: sp,sk, and sm blends sort 20: sc, sn, and sw blends sort 21: p, l, and pl blend sort 22: pl, sl, and bl blends sort 23: cr, cl, fl, and fr blends sort 24: bl, br, gr, and gl blends sort 25: pr, tr, and dr blends sort 26: k, wh, qu, and tw	<u>Unit 4:Mixed-Vowel Word Families</u> sort 27: at, ot, and it word families sort 28: an, un, and in word families sort 29: ad, ed, ab, and ob word families sort 30: ag, eg, ig, og, and ug word families sort 31: ill, ell, and all word families sort 32: ick, ack, ock, and uck word families sort 33: ish, ash, and ush word families <u>Unit 5:Picture Sorts for Short Vowels</u> sort 34: short a and o pictures sort 35: short i and u pictures sort 36: short e, i, o and u pictures sort 37: initial short vowel pictures <u>Unit 6:Short Vowels in CVC Words</u> sort 38: short a and o in easy CVC words sort 39: short i and u in easy CVC words sort 40: short a, e,i,o and u in easy CVC wds sort 41: short a, i, e, with initial digraphs sort 42: short a and i with initial blends sort 43: short e,o, and u with initial blends sort 44: short vowels w/ final blends sort 45: short vowels w/ final digraphs sort 46: short vowels before ng and mp sort 47: short vowels before nd, nt,and nk <u>Unit 7:Intro to r-influenced Vowels</u> sort 48: short o and or sort 49: short a and ar <u>Unit 8:Contractions</u> sort 50: contractions

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Within Word Patterns	Within Word Patterns cont.	Syllables and Affixes
<p><u>Unit 1: Long/Short Vowel Picture Sorts</u> sort 1: picture sort for long and short a sort 2: picture sort for long and short i sort 3: picture sort for long and short o sort 4: picture sort for long and short u sort 5: picture sort for long and short e sort 6: review of long vowels w/word matches</p> <p><u>Unit 2: Contrast Short/Long Vowel</u> sort 7: short a versus long a (CVCe) sort 8: short i versus long i (CVCe) sort 9: short o versus long o (CVCe) sort 10: short u versus long i (CVCe) sort 11: short vs long review (CVC/CVCe) sort 12: final/k/ sound spelled ck, ke, k</p> <p><u>Unit 3: Common Long Vowel Patterns</u> sort 13: short and long a (CVCe/CVVC) sort 14: short and long o (CVCe/CVVC) sort 15: short and long u (CVCe/CVVC) sort 16: short and long e (CVCe/CVVC) sort 17: short (CVC/CVVC) long e (CVVC) sort 18: review for CVVC (ai,oa,ee,ea)</p> <p><u>Unit 4: Less Common Long Vowel Patterns</u> sort 19: short/long a (CVCe/CVVC/open syllable -ay) sort 20: short/long o (CVCe/CVVC/open syllable -ow) sort 21: short/long u (open syllable -ew and -ue) sort 22: short/long i CVCe/CVCC -igh/CV open syllable -y) sort 23: short/long i (VCC) short/long o(VCC) sort 24: review of long vowel patterns</p>	<p><u>Unit 5: R-influenced Vowel Patterns</u> sort 25: ar, are, air sort 26: er, ear, eer sort 27: ir, ire, ier sort 28: or, ore, oar, w+or sort 29: ur, ure, ur-e sort 30: review of ar,schwa-plus-r, and or</p> <p><u>Unit 6: Diphthongs/Ambiguous Vowel</u> sort 31: long o, oi, oy sort 32: oo, oo sort 33: aw, au, o sort 34: wa, al, ou sort 35: ou, ow</p> <p><u>Unit 7: Complex Consonants/Clusters</u> sort 36: silent beginning consonant kn, wr, gn sort 37: triple r-blend scr, str, spr sort 38: consonant digraphs-plus-r and squ(thr, shr, squ) sort 39: hard and soft c and g sort 40: final -ce, -ve, -se, -ze sort 41: dge, ge sort 42: tch, ch</p> <p><u>Unit 8: High Frequency Wds/Contractions</u> sort 43: high freq. wds starting w/ a- and be- sort 44: contractions</p> <p><u>Unit 9: Endings/Plural and Past Tense</u> sort 45: plural endings s and es sort 46: three sounds of pasted tense -ed</p> <p><u>Unit 10: Homophones</u> sort 47: long a homophones sort 48: more long a homophones sort 49: long e homophones sort 50: long i and long o homophones</p>	<p><u>Unit 1: Inflected endings</u> sort 1: review vowel patterns one-syllable words (VVC, VC, VCC, VCe) sort 2: adding -ing to VC/VCC pattern wds sort 3: adding -ing to VC/VVC pattern wds sort 4: review double, e-drop, nothing sort 5: adding -ed to words sort 6: unusual past tense words sort 7: plural endings: adding -es sort 8: unusual plurals (fe >ves, vowel change, no change) sort 9: y + inflected endings (+s, +ed, + ing)</p> <p><u>Unit 2: Compound Words</u> sort 10: compound words sort 11: more compound words</p> <p><u>Unit 3: Syllable Junctures</u> sort 12: syllable juncture (VCV/VCCV) sort 13: more syllable juncture (VCV/VCCV) sort 14: syllable juncture (V/CV long, VC/V short, VVCV long) sort 15: syllable junctures (VCCCV and VV) sort 16: open/closed syllables and inflected endings</p> <p><u>Unit 4:Vowel Patterns/Accented Syllables</u> sort 17: long a in accented syllables sort 18: long i in accented syllables sort 19: long o in accented syllables sort 20: long u in accented syllables sort 21: long e in accented syllables sort 22: ambiguous vowels in accented syllables (oy/oi, ou/ow) **continued on next page</p>

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Syllables and Affixes	Syllables and Affixes	Derivational Relations
<p><u>Unit 4: Vowel Patterns/Accented Syllables continued</u></p> <p>sort 23: more ambiguous vowels in accented syllables (aw, au, al)</p> <p>sort 24: r-influenced a</p> <p>sort 25: r-influenced o</p> <p>sort 26: words with w or /w/ sound before vowel</p> <p>sort 27: schwa + r spelled er, ir and ur in first syllable</p> <p>sort 28: schwa + r and r-influenced e in er, ear, ere</p> <p><u>Unit 5: Unaccented syllables</u></p> <p>sort 29: final syllable (le)</p> <p>sort 30: final syllable (le, el, il, al)</p> <p>sort 31: final syllable (er, ar, or)</p> <p>sort 32: Agents/Comparatives (people who do things/words used to compare)</p> <p>sort 33: final syllable (-cher, -ture, -sure, -ure)</p> <p>sort 34: final syllables (-en, -on, -ain, -in)</p> <p>sort 35: final syllable (-et, -it, -ate)</p> <p>sort 36: final (-y, -ie, -y=e, -y=i)</p> <p>sort 37: y + inflected endings</p> <p>sort 38: initial syllables (a-, de-, be-)</p> <p><u>Unit 6: Exploring Consonants</u></p> <p>sort 39: initial hard and soft g/c</p> <p>sort 40: s and soft g/c in final syllable</p> <p>sort 41: more words with g (gu-, -gue, -g)</p> <p>sort 42: sound for k spelled ck, ic, x</p> <p>sort 43: spellings with qu</p> <p>sort 44: words with silent consonants</p> <p>sort 45: gh and ph</p>	<p><u>Unit 7: Affixes</u></p> <p>sort 46: prefixes (re-, un-)</p> <p>sort 47: prefixes (dis- mis-, pre-)</p> <p>sort 48: prefixes (ex-, non-, in-, fore-)</p> <p>sort 49: prefixes (uni-, bi-, tri- and other numbers)</p> <p>sort 50: suffixes (-y, -ly, -ful)</p> <p>sort 51: comparatives (-er, -est)</p> <p>sort 52: suffixes (-ness, -ful, -less)</p> <p><u>Unit 8: Miscellaneous sorts</u></p> <p>sort 53: homophones</p> <p>sort 54: homographs (noun/verb: object/object)</p> <p>sort 55: i before e except after c</p> <p>sort 56: geography syllable sort</p> <p>Derivational Relations</p> <p><u>Unit 1: Prefixes</u></p> <p>sort 1: prefixes (in-, un-, dis-, mis-)</p> <p>sort 2: prefixes (pre-, fore-, post-, after-)</p> <p>sort 3: prefixes (re-, ex-, in-, de-)</p> <p>sort 4: prefixes (sub-, com-, pro-, en-)</p> <p><u>Unit 2: Derivational suffixes</u></p> <p>sort 5: suffixes (-y, -ly, -ily)</p> <p>sort 6: comparative suffixes (-er, -est, -ier, -iest)</p> <p>sort 7: noun suffixes (-er, -or, -ian, -ist)</p> <p>sort 8: suffixes (-ment, -less, -ness)</p> <p>sort 9: suffixes (-ary, -ery, -ory)</p> <p>sort 10: suffixes (-ty, -ity)</p> <p>sort 11: suffixes (-al, ial, -ic)</p> <p>sort 12: adjective suffixes (-ful, -ous, -ious)</p> <p>sort 13: verb suffixes (-en, -ize, -ify)</p>	<p><u>Unit 3: The Suffix -ion</u></p> <p>sort 14: adding -ion to base words, no change</p> <p>sort 15: adding -ion/-ian, no spelling change</p> <p>sort 16: adding -ion, e-drop, and spelling change</p> <p>sort 17: adding -ation, -cation, -ition</p> <p><u>Unit 4: Vowel/Consonant Alternations</u></p> <p>sort 18: consonant alternations (silent and sounded)</p> <p>sort 19: vowel alternations: long to short</p> <p>sort 20: vowel altern.: long to short or schwa</p> <p>sort 21: adding suffixes -ity: vowel altern., schwa to short</p> <p>sort 22: vowel altern.: long, short and schwa</p> <p>sort 23: adding -ion: vowel altern., spelling change</p> <p>sort 24: multiple alternations</p> <p><u>Unit 5: Greek and Latin Element</u></p> <p>sort 25: number prefixes (mono, uni, bi, tri)</p> <p>sort 26: more number prefixes</p> <p>sort 27: size:)mega, micro, super, hyper)</p> <p>sort 28: roots (tele, phon, photo, graph)</p> <p>sort 29: roots (geo, therm, scope, meter, logy)</p> <p>sort 30: roots (spect, port, form)</p> <p>sort 31: roots (die, aud, vis)</p> <p>sort 32: roots (gress, rupt, tract, mot)</p> <p>sort 33: roots (fract, flect/flex, ject, mis/mit)</p> <p>sort 34: roots (man, scrib/script, cred, fac)</p> <p><u>Unit 6: Greek and Latin Elements 2</u></p> <p>sort 35: roots (duc/duct sequ/sec, flu, ver/vert)</p> <p>sort 36: roots (bene, mal, ante, post)</p> <p>sort 37: amounts (magni, min, poly, equ, omni)</p>

Derivational Relations

Unit 6: Greek and Latin Elements 2 continued

sort 38: related to the body(cap, corp, dent/don't, ped/pod)
sort 39: roots (terr, astr/aster, aer, hydra/hydro)
sort 40: roots (gen, mort, bio)
sort 41: roots (ven/vent, junct, spir, sec/sect)
sort 42: roots (jud, leg, mod, biblio)

Unit 7: Greek and Latin elements 3

sort 43: roots (voc/voke, ling/lang, mem, psych)
sort 44: roots (path, snes/sent, med/medi, sol)
sort 45: prefixes (intra-, inter-, intro-, circum-)
sort 46: roots (press, pur/purg, fus, pend)
sort 47: roots (pos, loc, sist, sta/stat/stit)
sort 48: roots (ced/cess/ceed, ten/tend, lit)
sort 49: predictable spelling changes in root words
(ceiv/cep, tain, ten, mounce/nunc)

Unit 8: Advanced Spelling-Meaning Patterns

sort 50: suffixes (-ent/-ence, -ant/-ance)
sort 51: suffixes (-ent/-ence/-ency, -ant/-ance/-ancy)
sort 52: suffixes (-able, -ible)
sort 53: adding -able and -ible (e-drop and y to i)
sort 54: accent and doubling
sort 55: words from French

Unit 9: Prefix Assimilation

sort 56: prefix assimilation (in-)
sort 57: prefix assimilation (com-)
sort 58: prefix assimilation (sub-)
sort 59: prefix assimilation (ex-, ob-)
sort 60: prefix assimilation (ad-)