



America in Conflict

This document was compiled to help teachers engage students in the performance of the spelling portion of language standard 2:

L.5.2.e Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.

Sorts	Examples				Unit Examples
Affixes (Prefixes)	ex- exit extend exclude expand	non- nonsense nonfiction nonstop nonfat	in- incorrect indent indoor income	fore- foresee forearm forehead forecast	
Affixes (Prefixes)	uni- unicycle unity unique unison	bi- bicycle bisect biweekly bilingual	tri- trilogy tricycle triangle triple	other octopus October pentagon	
Suffixes	-y sunny rainy foggy windy	-ly slowly quickly dimly daily	-ily happily daily easily angrily		
Suffixes	-er braver calmer hotter	-est bravest calmest fewest coolest	-ier happier easier prettier crazier	-iest happiest craziest prettiest dirtiest	
Suffixes	-ness darkness goodness weakness kindness	-ful graceful thoughtful painful fearful	-less homeless harmless hopeless restless	combo carelessness helplessness peacefulness thankfulness	
Homophones	berry/bury very/vary cellar/seller bored/board flour/flower	higher/hire merry/marry allowed/aloud they're/there/their	weather/ whether choose/ chews		

Many resources were utilized in the creation of this document, including, but not limited to:

Words Their Way: Word Study for Phonics, Vocabulary, and Spelling Instruction (5th edition) Bear, Templeton, Invernizzi & Johnson, 2012
Common Core Curriculum Maps, www.commoncore.org