

Speller chooses word

neighbour

Speller checks the spelling and writes it in their spelling diary.



Speller and helper say the word out loud together

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neighbour neighbour



Helper

Speller and helper look at the word, discuss it and choose a learning cue.

4



I notice the 'ay' sound is spelt in an unusual way

Speller

I notice the last 3 letter spell the word 'our'. Do you know the rhyme "'i' before 'e' except after c and when making ay as in neighbour and weigh"? It's in a word family with weigh.



Helper

Speller and helper say the learning cue together.

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Speller

Neighbour has 'ay' spelt 'eigh', like weigh. It ends with 'our', like 'our neighb**our'**.



Helper

Helper writes cue down in the spelling diary.





Helper



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Speller

Speller writes cue down in the spelling diary.

Helper says cue.



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Helper



Neighbour has ay spelt eigh...

Speller says cue and writes the word down slowly.

Helper checks.





neighbour —

Speller

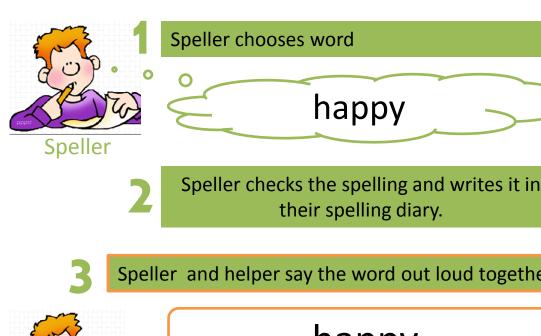
Speller writes word FAST at least 20 times



Speller reads quick-write words. Helper and speller check together that the word is spelt correctly each time.

If there are mistakes – go through steps 1 - 10 again

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- Each day a new word is examined.
- In the quick write part of the activity speller writes ALL of the words studied that week (increasing by 1 each day).
- Are they still making mistakes? ...try another cue.





Speller and helper say the word out loud together



happy

happy Helper

Speller and helper look at the word, discuss it and choose a learning cue.



I notice it has a double p.

Speller

I notice the ee sound comes from a y. Y says ee at the end of a word.



Speller and helper say the learning cue together.



Happy. Double p. Y says ee at the end of a word.



Helper



Helper writes cue down in the spelling diary.





Helper



Happy. Double p. Y says ee at the end of a word.



Speller writes cue down in the spelling diary.

Helper says cue.





Happy. Double p. Y says ee at the end of a word.



Helper



Happy. Double p. 4 says ee...

Speller says cue and writes the word

down slowly.







Speller



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