

15 WORDS + HOMOPHONE PAIR

11	<u>sur</u> • <u>prise</u>	_____	_____
12	<u>sur</u> • <u>prised</u>	_____	_____
13	pro•gram	_____	_____
14	prob•lem	_____	_____
15	prom• <u>ise</u>	_____	_____

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Use *mail* (spelled *ai*) for postal delivery letters; use *male* (spelled with split vowel-e *a_e*) for masculine gender.

Week 19 • Level B • Linguistic Key & Guide

Consonant-le Syllables • Middle Consonant Protection • -ise Exceptions • Dictation Sentences

ANSWER KEY & DICTATION

T Linguistic & Syllable Decomposition Table:

#	WORD	PRONUNCIATION / IPA	STRUCTURE	ORTHOGRAPHIC & TEACHING NOTES
1	circle	sûr'kæl / 'sə:r.kæl/	cir • cle	Consonant-le: count back 3 letters (-cle) & divide; soft c says /s/
2	single	sing'gæl / 'sɪŋ.gæl/	sin • gle	Consonant-le: count back 3 letters (-gle) & divide; ng says /ŋg/
3	middle	mīd'l / 'mɪd.əl/	mid • dle	Consonant-le (-dle); double d protects short /i/ in first syllable
4	people	pē'pæl / 'pi:.pæl/	peo • ple	Consonant-le (-ple); irregular phonogram eo says long /ē/
5	chocolate	chôk'ə-līt / 'tʃɑ:k.læt/	choc • o • late	3 syllables; ending -ate is unaccented; ch says /tʃ/
6	favorite	fā'vər-īt / 'feɪ.vər.ɪt/	fa • vor • ite	3 syllables; ending -ite pronounced short /ɪt/; open fa-
7	trouble	trüb'əl / 'trʌb.əl/	trou • ble	Consonant-le (-ble); phonogram ou represents short vowel /ü/
8	terrible	tēr'a-bæl / 'ter.ə.bæl/	ter • ri • ble	Consonant-le (-ble); double r protects short /ē/ in first syllable
9	remember	rī-mēm'bər / rɪ mem.bər/	re • mem • ber	Prefix re- + base mem + suffix -ber; 3 closed/open syllables
10	important	īm-pôr'tnt / ɪm 'pɔ:r.tənt/	im • por • tant	Prefix im- + port + ant; phonogram or says /or/
11	surprise	sər-prīz' / sər 'praɪz/	sur • prise	Prefix sur- (says /sər/); exception to -ize: /ɪz/ spelled -ise
12	surprised	sər-prīzd' / sər 'praɪzd/	sur • prised	Base surprise + suffix -ed (drop e, add ed); /ɪz/ spelled -ise
13	program	prō'grām / 'prɒu.græm/	pro • gram	Open prefix pro- (long /ō/) + closed gram (short /ă/)
14	problem	prōb'lām / 'prɒb.ləm/	prob • lem	Closed first syllable prob- (short /ō/) + unaccented -lem
15	promise	prôm'is / 'prom.ɪs/	prom • ise	Exception: /ɪs/ spelled -ise; first syllable prom- is closed
H	mail	māl / meɪl/	m + ai + l	Postal letters & parcels delivered; phonogram ai says long /ā/
H	male	māl / meɪl/	m + a_e + l	Masculine gender/sex; silent final e makes a say long /ā/

EXERCISE 2 & 3 VERIFICATION KEY

-LE ENDINGS circle single middle people	-BLE & SUFFIXES chocolate favorite trouble terrible	THE -ISE EXCEPTIONS surprise surprised promise	MULTISYLLABIC BASES remember important program problem
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Exercise 3 Homophones Key: a. mail • b. male • c. mail / male

D Decodable Dictation Sentences: Read each sentence clearly, focusing on consonant-le division, -ise words, and homophones.

Sentence 1 (people, circle, middle) "The friendly people formed a large circle in the middle of the room."	Sentence 2 (terrible, trouble, favorite, chocolate) "It was terrible trouble when we forgot mom's favorite chocolate cake."
Sentence 3 (promise, remember, important, program) "I promise to remember the most important rules for the computer program."	Sentence 4 (surprised, single, male, mail, problem) "We were surprised when a single male mail carrier solved the problem."