

15 WORDS + 2 HOMOPHONE PAIRS

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Week 19 • Level C • Linguistic Key & Guide

-ege Endings • <ie> Says /ē/ • Accented Doubling Rules • Dictation Sentences

ANSWER KEY & DICTATION

T Linguistic & Syllable Decomposition Table:

#	WORD	PRONUNCIATION / IPA	STRUCTURE	ORTHOGRAPHIC & TEACHING NOTES
1	col•lege	kɒl'ɪj / 'kɒl.ɪdʒ/	col • lege	Ends in -ege saying /ɪj/ (not -edge); double l protects short /ɒ/
2	priv•i•lege	prɪv'ə-lɪj / 'prɪv.əl.ɪdʒ/	priv • i • lege	Ends in -ege; memory hint: 'It's a privilege to go to college'
3	a•chieve	ə-čhēv' / ə'tʃi:v/	a • chieve	ie says long /ē/ after ch (rule: i before e); silent final e
4	re•lief	rɪ-lēf' / rɪ'li:f/	re • lief	ie says long /ē/ after l; prefix re- (open syllable)
5	con•trol	kən-trɒl' / kən 'trɒul/	con • trol	Accent on 2nd syllable con•trol'; o says long /ō/; double l before suffix
6	com•mit	kə-mīt' / kə'mɪt/	com • mit	Accent on 2nd syllable com•mit'; short vowel /ɪ/ + single consonant t
7	oc•cur	ə-kūr' / ə'kɜ:r/	oc • cur	Accent on 2nd syllable oc•cur'; prefix oc- + cur; base for inflected forms
8	oc•cur•ring	ə-kūr'ɪŋ / ə 'kɜ:r.ɪŋ/	oc • cur • ring	Double final r; accented 2nd syllable before vowel suffix -ing
9	oc•curred	ə-kūrd' / ə'kɜ:rd/	oc • curred	Double final r; accented 2nd syllable before vowel suffix -ed
10	oc•cur•rence	ə-kūr'əns / ə 'kɜ:r.əns/	oc • cur • rence	Double final r before suffix -ence; accented 2nd syllable oc•cur'
11	e•quipped	ɪ-kwɪpt' / ɪ'kwɪpt/	e • quipped	Double final p; e•quip' accents 2nd syllable before suffix -ed (/t/)
12	re•ferred	rɪ-fərd' / rɪ'fɜ:rd/	re • ferred	Double final r; re•fer' accents 2nd syllable before suffix -ed (/d/)
13	ar•e•a	ər'ē-ə / 'ɛər.i.ə/	ar • e • a	3 syllables; open vowels; first a says /ɛər/; ends in schwa
14	jour•nal	jūr'nəl / 'dʒɜ:r.nəl/	jour • nal	Phonogram our says /er/; latin diurnal; ending -al says /əl/
15	ma•chine	mə-shēn' / mə'ʃi:n/	ma • chine	French origin: ch says /sh/, i says /ē/; silent final e
H	toes	tōz / touz/	t + oe + s	Digits on the foot; plural of toe; phonogram oe says long /ō/
H	tows	tōz / touz/	t + ow + s	Pulls along behind with rope/cable; base tow + s
H	toad	tōd / toud/	t + oa + d	Tailless hopping amphibian; phonogram oa says long /ō/
H	towed	tōd / toud/	t + ow + ed	Past tense of tow; pulled by a vehicle or ship

EXERCISE 2 & 3 VERIFICATION KEY

<-EGE> & FRENCH <CH>

college privilege machine

<IE> = /Ē/ & BASES

achieve relief area journal

ACCENTED BASE VERBS

control commit occur
equipped

DOUBLED INFLECTIONS

occurring occurred occurrence
referred

Exercise 3 Dual Homophones Key: a. toes • b. tows • c. toad • d. towed

D Decodable Dictation Sentences: Read each sentence clearly, focusing on -ege endings, ie /ē/, and doubled consonants.

Sentence 1 (privilege, achieve, college)

"It is an honor and a privilege to achieve high honors at college."

Sentence 2 (relief, machine, control)

"It was a great relief when the machine did not lose control of the power grid."

Sentence 3 (referred, journal, occurrence, occurred)

"The doctor referred to a medical journal to explain why the rare occurrence occurred."

Sentence 4 (equipped, commit, area, occurring)

"The research team was equipped to commit to studying the area where accidents were occurring."