

5th Grade Spelling Week 13

Multisyllabic words – il, el

Explanation:

Many multisyllable words end with one of the spellings *al*, *el*, *il*, or *ol*. Two of these are easy to handle from a perspective of making a perfect pronunciation. Simply rhyme words like *cancel* with *bell*, and rhyme words like *stencil* with *bill*.

Word Bank:

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| 1. cruel | 14. channel |
| 2. novel | 15. pretzel |
| 3. quarrel | 16. tranquil |
| 4. fossil | 17. pencil |
| 5. nostril | 18. tonsil |
| 6. label | 19. until |
| 7. level | 20. utensil |
| 8. civil | Content Words |
| 9. pupil | 21. Sun |
| 10. squirrel | 22. Earth |
| 11. apparel | 23. sky |
| 12. stencil | 24. rotation |
| 13. cancel | 25. pattern |

Content Word Definitions

Sun - the star around which the earth orbits

Earth - the planet on which we live; the world

sky - the region of the atmosphere and outer space seen from the earth

rotation - the action of rotating around an axis or center.
(The Earth rotates on its axis)

pattern - an arrangement of lines or shapes, especially a design in which the same shape is repeated at regular intervals over a surface. (The Sun moving across the sky is a pattern)