

# 5th Grade Spelling Week 19

## -sion words

### Explanation:

\*If the ending is pronounced as in *confusion*, then it should be spelled *-sion*. Here are some examples: *collision*; *division*; *revision*; *persuasion*; *explosion*; *decision*; *seclusion*.

\*When the ending comes after an *-l*, it's always spelled *-sion*: *compulsion*; *revulsion*; *expulsion*; *emulsion*; *propulsion*.

\*When the ending follows an *-n* or *-r*, it's often spelled *-sion*, especially if the word is related to one that ends in *-d* or *-se*. For example: *immersion* (from *immerse*); *comprehension* (from *comprehend*). Here are some more examples: *aversion*; *conversion*; *apprehension*; *diversion*; *extension*; *version*.

\*Nouns based on words that end in *-ss* or *-mit* always end in *-sion*: *permission* comes from *permit* and *discussion* comes from *discuss*. Here are some more examples: *commission*; *expression*; *aggression*; *admission*; *succession*; *impression*; *emission*.

### Word Bank:

1. recession

2. concession

3. revision

4. comprehension

5. conclusion

6. possession

7. permission

8. profession

9. dimension

10. suspension

11. expansion

12. tension

13. vision

14. confusion

15. supervision

16. concussion

17. expression

18. submission

19. discussion

20. exclusion

### Social Studies Content Words

21. colonial regions

22. colonization

23. cultural differences

24. diversified economy

25. economic development

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