

# Spelling

Words ending in able/ably or ible/ibly

Examples: washable, affordable, suitable, changeable

Examples: sensible, horrible, incredible, applicable

How do we know when to use able or ible?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QhHuVWtMMbg>

# Recap of the rules!

- Able is more common suffix than ible.
- In most cases, if the suffix able is removed, you are left with a root word. For example comfort is the root word of comfortable but incred needs ible as part of the word.
- If the word ends in a 'g' or 'k' sound, use able.
- If the root word ends in 'e', drop the 'e' before adding the suffix. Unless, the word ends in 'ge' or 'ce' as the e is required to retain the sound in the words.

# Words for the week!

## Spelling Rule 41 - Words ending in -able and -ible



### Words ending in -ably and -ibly (1 of 2)

adorable  
adorably  
applicable  
considerable  
considerably  
changeable  
forcible  
dependable  
comfortable  
enjoyable  
horrible  
horribly  
incredible  
incredibly

Segment the words into their sounds.

E.g.

con sid er able

de pen d able

# Spelling Frame

- Log into your spelling frame account
- Select Y5/6 Rule 41 - Words ending in –able and –ible Words ending in –ably and –ibly (1 of 2)
- Click on spelling tiles – work through one of the activities to practise your word list.
- Finished? Try one of the spelling games on your word list. My favourite is the bowling!