

Feature Guide for Elementary Spelling Inventory

Name _____ Grade ____ key: entering fall winter spring

STAGES	emerg	Letter Name Alphabetic			Within Word Pattern			Syllables and Affixes			Derivation Relations		Totals	
	late	early	mid	late	early	mid	late	early	mid	late	early	mid		
	Beginning Consonant	Final Consonant	Short Vowels	Consonant Digraphs	Consonant Blends	Long Vowels	Other Vowels	Inflected Endings	Syllable Junctures	Unaccented Syllables	Harder Suffixes	Base, Root, Derivative	Feature Points	Correct Spelling
1. bed	b	d	e											
2. ship		p	i	sh										
3. when			e	wh										
4. lump	l		u		mp									
5. float		t			fl	oa								
6. train		n			tr	ai								
7. place					pl	a-e								
8. drive		v			dr	i-e								
9. bright					br	igh								
10. shopping			o	sh				pping						
11. spoil					sp		oi							
12. serving							er	ving						
13. chewed				ch			ew	ed						
14. carries							ar	ies	rr					
15. marched				ch			ar	ed						
16. shower				sh			ow			er				
17. bottle									tt	le				
18. favor									v	or				
19. ripen									p	en				
20. cellar									ll	ar				
21. pleasure											ure	pleas		
22. fortunate							or				ate	fortun		
23. confident											ent	confid		
24. civilize											ize	civil		
25. opposition											tion	pos		
totals		7	5	6	7	5	7	5	5	5	5	5		

entering: emergent. (late) Letter-Name (early mid late) Within Word (early mid late) Syllables (early mid late)

fall: emergent. (late) Letter-Name (early mid late) Within Word (early mid late) Syllables (early mid late)

winter: emergent. (late) Letter-Name (early mid late) Within Word (early mid late) Syllables (early mid late)

spring: emergent. (late) Letter-Name (early mid late) Within Word (early mid late) Syllables (early mid late)