

Spelling zone

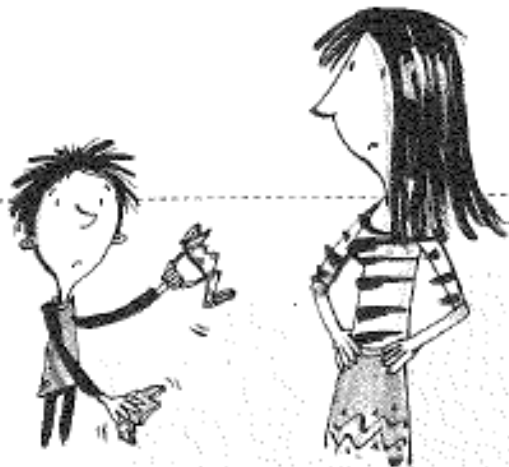


1 Take turns to read the information and the words.

The sound **shun** at the ends of words can be spelt in different ways.
If the root word ends in **ss**, just add **-ion**.

confess + **-ion** confession

possess + **-ion** possession



2 Change the verb **express** into a noun ending in **-ion**.

express _____



The letter **t** in the words **permit**, **submit** and **transmit** must be **swapped** for **ss** before we add **-ion**.

~~permit~~ permiss + **ion** permission

3 Change the verb **admit** into a noun ending in **-ion**.

admit _____

Dots and dashes



Dot and dash the graphemes in the words.
Write the number of sounds.

disc <u>u</u> ss	6	sub <u>mi</u> t		pro <u>g</u> ress	
per <u>mi</u> t		pos <u>se</u> ss		im <u>pr</u> ess	
con <u>fe</u> ss		ad <u>mi</u> t		pro <u>ce</u> ss	
de <u>pr</u> ess		tran <u>sm</u> it		ex <u>pr</u> ess	



Complete the table.

Tip: Remember to **swap** the **t** with **ss** before adding **-ion** if a word ends in **-mit**.

root word	root word + suffix -ion
possess	
express	
confess	
progress	
discuss	
impress	
admit	admission
permit	
transmit	
submit	



Choose the right word

Complete the sentences using the correct word from each word family.

admit admission discussed discussion discuss
progress progressed possess possession

- 1 The _____ fee was too expensive for us.
- 2 I must _____ that it was me who broke it.
- 3 How long do you think the _____ between the politicians will last?
- 4 The girls sat in the library and _____ the problem until they had solved it.
- 5 The carnival _____ slowly down the street.
- 6 Has there been much _____ in my writing?
- 7 The burglar stole my favourite _____.
- 8 "When we marry, we will share everything we _____!" said the Prince.

