

Drop the E Rule in Spelling Review

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Understanding the Drop-E Rule

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Answer the following questions based on what you've learned about the drop-e rule in spelling.

1. What happens to the silent e when adding a suffix that starts with a vowel?

- A. It stays
- B. It is dropped
- C. It changes to a vowel

2. Can you give an example of a word that follows the drop-e rule? Write your answer below.

3. When adding the suffix -ing to the word 'large', it becomes 'larg____'.

4. The drop-e rule applies when adding any suffix, regardless of whether it starts with a vowel.

- True False

5. Which of the following is NOT an example where the drop-e rule is applied?

- A. love - loving
- B. make - making
- C. dance - danced

6. Why do you think we have the drop-e spelling rule? Write your thoughts below.

7. The drop-e rule helps us modify words when adding suffixes like -ed and -able to words that end with an ____

8. According to Proverbs 15:26, God is pleased with the thoughts of the wicked.

- True False

9. What does Proverbs 16:3 teach us about our plans?

- A. They will fail
- B. They will succeed if we commit them to God
- C. They are not important

10. What is one way you can apply the drop-e rule in your writing? Explain below.

Answer Key

1. It is dropped 2. One example is 'hope' which becomes 'hoping'. 3. est 4. False 5. dance - danced 6. The drop-e rule makes spelling easier and more consistent. 7. e 8. False 9. They will succeed if we commit them to God 10. I can remember to drop the 'e' when adding -ing to words like 'write' to make it 'writing'.