

THE SPELLING MARKINGS

Here is a list of markings we use in spelling and their explanation.

The Marking:	The Reason:
bath	We underline a phonogram that has more than one letter to show that together they make one sound.
he r. 4 by r. 5	We underline the vowels a, e, o, or u at the end of syllable when they are saying their long sound than write rule 4. We do the same for i or y but write rule 5.
d ³ o	We put a number above a phonogram when it says a sound other than the first sound.
y ³ ou	We underline a phonogram that has more than one letter and put a number above it to show which sound it is making in the word.
of =	We underline a phonogram twice if it is not saying its typical sound or if it is quiet.
let ter r. 29	We put a finger space between syllables.
[May r. 26,18 may r. 18	We bracket words to show there is a connection between them.
<p>The Markings of the Silent e There are five jobs of the silent e. Here is what they are and how to mark them.</p>	
time	Marking for the first job of the silent e: e jumps over the consonant to have the vowel say its long sound (no spaces between letters) Underline vowel, final e, and all consonants in between.
love ₌₂	Marking for the second job of e: English words do not end in u or v (no spaces between letters) Underline v or u, final e twice with a 2
dance ₌₃	Marking for the third job of e: The e tells the c or g to say it soft sound (no spaces between letters) Underline c or g, final e twice with a 3
lit tle ₌₄	Marking for the fourth job of e: Every syllable needs to have a vowel Underline final e twice with a 4
some ₌₅	Marking for the fifth job of e: no job e Underline, final e twice with a 5