

**'tion' endings in root words
that end in 't', 'te' or that
have no definite root.**



This week, we are going to look again at words that end in the sound /shuhn/.

This time, the words we are learning to spell are all going to use '**tion**' to make the sound.



Working with a partner, you are going to sort your spelling words into a table by thinking about the root words used before the 'tion' suffix is added.

But first, can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

Remember, they'll all have 'tion' endings.

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

A sentence or phrase used to find
out information.



question

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

To speak about something
quickly without much detail.



mention

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

A place where someone or
something is located.



position

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

Something that has never been
made before.



invention

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

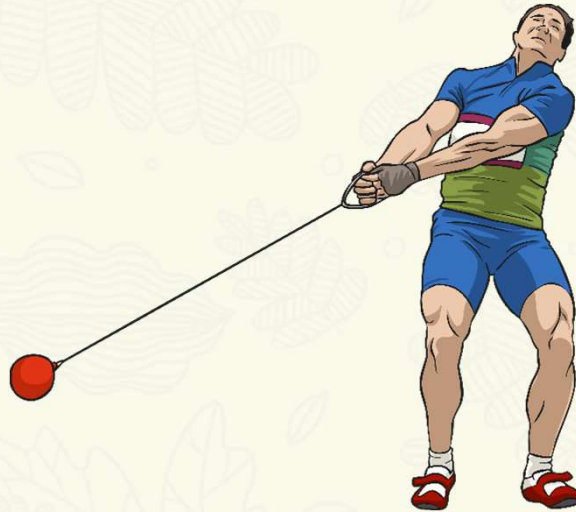
The act of putting a liquid medicine into a person's body using a needle and a syringe.



injection

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

The process of doing something
to achieve an aim.



action

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

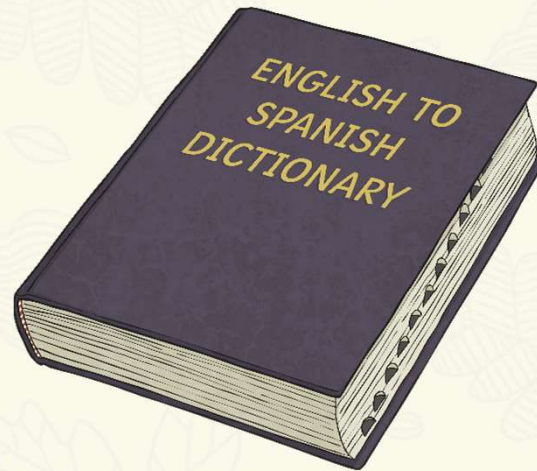
A strong liking for someone
or something.



attraction

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

The process of changing words or text from one language into another.



translation

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

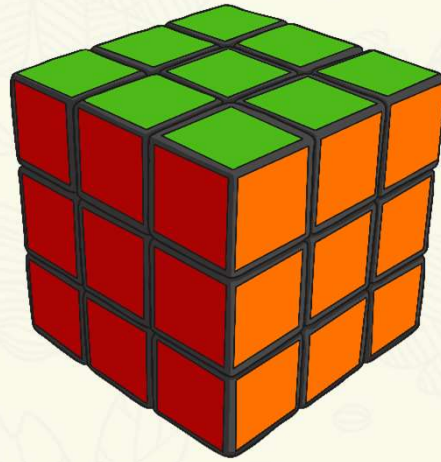
A feeling of strong loyalty, love
of care of someone or something.



devotion

Can you guess your spelling words for this week by reading their definitions?

The answer to a problem or how
to deal with a difficult situation.



solution

Look at these -tion words with a partner. Think about their root words.
Can you sort them into a table?

No definite root word	Root word ends in 't'	Root word end in 'te'
mention position	question action invention injection attraction	translation devotion solution

injection

mention

action

question

position

translation

attraction

solution

devotion

invention

So what happens to the root words that end in 'te' when -tion is added?

Root word end in 'te'
translation
devotion
solution

translate + tion = translation

devote + tion = devotion

solute + tion = solution

The 'e' isn't needed! Can you think of anymore words that could fit into this section of your table?