

Lesson 1:
30 minutes

WALT: spell words ending in -tion and -sion

These suffixes are added to a root word (verb) to create nouns (except occasion). Both make the 'shun' sound (/ʃən/).

What is a verb?

A verb is a word that describes an action.

invent

inject

act

What is a noun?

A noun is a word that identifies a class of people, places or things.

invention

injection

action

The suffix *-tion* is added if the root word ends in *t* or *te*.

Root Word		Suffix		Complete word (noun)
invent	→	tion	→	invention
inject	→	tion	→	injection
hesitate	→	tion	→	hesitation
complete	→	tion	→	completion

The suffix *-sion* is added if the root word ends in *d* or *se*.

Root Word		Suffix		Complete word (noun)
<i>expand</i>	→	<i>sion</i>	→	<i>expansion</i>
<i>extend</i>	→	<i>sion</i>	→	<i>extension</i>
<i>tense</i>	→	<i>sion</i>	→	<i>tension</i>

Task - Write each of your spelling words three times.



invention

injection

action

hesitation

completion

expansion

extension

occasion

tension

comprehension



Play the Wordwall game as a class.

Root Word	Suffix	Complete word	Definition
inject	tion		To put medicine in the body by way of syringe.
		invention	
act			Doing something.
hesitate	tion		The action of pausing before saying or doing something.
		completion	Completing or finishing something.
expand	sion		To make larger or wider.
	sion	extension	
No obvious root word		occasion	
tense			The state of being stretched.
		comprehension	

Work in pairs to complete the sheet, adding in the root word, suffix, complete word and definition.

Mark your answers with a purple pen.

Root Word	Suffix	Complete word	Definition
inject	tion	injection	To put medicine in the body by way of syringe.
invent	tion	invention	Something that has been invented.
act	tion	action	Doing something.
hesitate	tion	hesitation	The action of pausing before saying or doing something.
complete	tion	completion	Completing or finishing something.
expand	sion	expansion	To make larger or wider.
extend	sion	extension	A part that is added to something to make it bigger.
No obvious root word	sion	occasion	A particular event, or the time at which is takes place.
tense	sion	tension	The state of being stretched.
comprehend	sion	comprehension	The ability to understand something.

WALT: spell words ending in -sure and -ture

Lesson 3 15 mins

invention	hesitation	occasion
injection	completion	tension
action	expansion	comprehension
	extension	



Write a single clause sentence with an expanded noun phrase and a prepositional phrase.



Write a single clause sentence with an expanded noun phrase.

Constructing an Expanded Noun Phrase

A noun is a thing, person or idea. An expanded noun phrase provides extra information about the noun. You can use a determiner, adjective and a prepositional phrase within your expanded noun phrase to describe and specify details about the noun.

Determiner	Adjective	Noun	Prepositional Phrase
<small>A determiner is a word which comes before a noun to say whether you're talking about one or more things. They can also show the information about the noun.</small>	<small>Adjectives are words which describe a noun. You can use two adjectives to describe a noun but they must be separated by a comma, e.g. the large, hairy spider.</small>	<small>The noun is the thing, person or idea that the expanded noun phrase is about.</small>	<small>A prepositional phrase is a word which contains a preposition or direction. A prepositional phrase usually includes a preposition and a noun or a pronoun.</small>
the a an my those for our your his their many three	colourful gigantic ancient golden glittering enormous mysterious strange beautiful delicious	castle tree engine bridge telescope pond candy paper balloon cactus desert cloud imagination	beside the river over the moon in the water during the night through the window this morning on the table between the houses underneath the waterfall before morning towards home

Use the boxes below to plan and construct an expanded noun phrase, such as the ferns, early in the morning, the bridge



Spelling practise

TIC TAC TOE Activity

Write a list of your spellings in alphabetical order. For even greater challenge, can you write them in reverse alphabetical order first?

