

# Multisyllabic Words with Magic 'e':

## Student Read Sheet with Words, Phrases, and Sentences

For this activity, students will practice reading multisyllabic words with a closed syllable and a magic 'e' syllable, both in isolation and in context. Students will have an opportunity to decode words, build accuracy and fluency, and strengthen their vocabulary.

### Materials:

- multisyllabic words read sheet for each student
- pencil for each student

### Directions:

This activity can be used with a whole class or in a small group.

The initial reading of this page should focus on decoding the words accurately. Subsequent readings should focus on fluency.

### STEPS FOR READING WORDS IN ISOLATION:

1. Start with the first row and guide students to decode the words. Have them divide and label the syllables if needed.
2. Tell students that they will see the words repeated on the following lines. Say, **"If you see the word and can read it, say the whole word without making each sound in the word."** (The repeated words aid students in moving from decoding every sound in the words to reading the whole word without segmenting.)
3. Have students continue reading the words in isolation.
4. If you feel that they would benefit from rereading all rows of the words in isolation before moving on to the phrases, have them do so.
5. Next, tell students that the phrases and sentences contain the words above that they have already decoded and have practiced reading.



### STEPS FOR READING PHRASES AND SENTENCES:

#### Option A

1. Read one phrase at a time with students and make sure that they can accurately decode each word in the phrase.
2. After a phrase has been decoded, have the students reread the phrase, this time trying to read the whole phrase without segmenting the sounds in each word.
3. For the third reading, choose an emotion (happy, sad, angry, surprised, etc.) and have the students read the phrases that way.
4. Continue until all phrases have been read.
5. Follow this procedure with each sentence on the activity page.

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## Option B

1. For the first reading, read each phrase and have students follow along (track) as you read.
2. For the second reading, read each phrase together with the students.
3. For the next reading, have the students read together without you.
4. Tell students, "If you get stuck or are moving too fast or slow, I will turn my voice back on."
5. Repeat the process with the sentences.
6. For the final reading, which can be done during the lesson or at a later time, students can partner-read or whisper-read the whole page independently.

**For Vocabulary Building:** You can help build students' vocabulary by addressing words on the activity page that have multiple meanings or words that students may not know.

- For example, students may not know the meaning of the word *confide*. Say, "**To confide is to tell someone something that is personal.**" Have students repeat the definition.
- Students can turn and talk to their partner about a time they may have *confided* in someone.

**Teacher Tip:** Store each student's read sheets in a folder or binder so they can use them for additional practice, if needed.

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## Multisyllabic Words with Magic 'e' Review

Read the words.

<b>compete</b>	<b>dictate</b>	<b>combine</b>	<b>sunrise</b>
<b>mistake</b>	<b>stampede</b>	<b>invade</b>	<b>confide</b>
<b>reptile</b>	<b>invite</b>	<b>empire</b>	<b>costume</b>
<b>textile</b>	<b>umpire</b>	<b>incline</b>	<b>trombone</b>

Read the phrases.

<b>will compete</b>	<b>can dictate words</b>
<b>can combine</b>	<b>at sunrise</b>
<b>a huge mistake</b>	<b>did invade</b>
<b>did confide</b>	<b>a fancy costume</b>
<b>will not invite</b>	<b>saw the stampede</b>
<b>the king's empire</b>	<b>a green reptile</b>
<b>plays the trombone</b>	<b>the fair umpire</b>
<b>on an incline</b>	

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Read the sentences.

Jill will compete in the race.

Mrs. Smith will dictate words for the kids to spell.

I will combine the rice and shrimp.

At sunrise, I saw a stampede of sheep.

I made a huge mistake on the test.

The king will invade the smaller empire.

I can confide in my friend Yang.

I got an invite and have to get a funny costume for the party.

Leo plays the trombone in the band.

The umpire made a good call in the game.

The reptile went up the incline by the lake.