

Spell It Right

Part 2: Pick two items and explain how you knew.

6.LU.2.C "Recognize and consistently spell frequently used words accurately."

NAME _____

DATE _____

CORRECTLY SPELLED

These words use the standard spelling. Check each letter and word part carefully.

successful

MISSPELLED

These words have one or more letters missing, added, switched, or used incorrectly. Rewrite them using the standard spelling.

tommorow

1 SORT _____ 8 items

For each word, circle CORRECT or INCORRECT based on its spelling.

1. necessary

CORRECT

INCORRECT

2. calendar

CORRECT

INCORRECT

3. goverment

CORRECT

INCORRECT

4. separate

CORRECT

INCORRECT

5. definately

CORRECT

INCORRECT

6. occured

CORRECT

INCORRECT

7. beginning

CORRECT

INCORRECT

8. recieve

CORRECT

INCORRECT

2 PROVE IT Explain your thinking

Pick two items from Part 1. For each one, tell how you knew where it belonged.

ITEM # _____ HOW I KNEW _____

ITEM # _____ HOW I KNEW _____

3 MAKE YOUR OWN One of each

Write one new CORRECT word and one new INCORRECT word. Do not copy a word from Part 1.

CORRECT _____

INCORRECT _____

CHALLENGE

Write one sentence using a correctly spelled frequent word. Then write that word again with one spelling error and label both forms.

PART 1 • SORT

#	ITEM	CATEGORY	WHY
1	necessary	CORRECT	Necessary is spelled with one c and two s letters.
2	calendar	CORRECT	Calendar is correctly spelled with -ar at the end.
3	goverment	INCORRECT	Government needs an n after the r.
4	separate	CORRECT	Separate is correctly spelled with -arate.
5	definately	INCORRECT	Definitely is spelled with -ite-, not -ate-.
6	occured	INCORRECT	Occurred needs two c letters and two r letters.
7	beginning	CORRECT	Beginning is correctly spelled with two n letters.
8	recieve	INCORRECT	Receive is spelled ei after c.

PART 2 • PROVE IT

Accept any explanation that names the deciding feature from the rule box for the chosen item.

PART 3 • MAKE YOUR OWN (SAMPLE ANSWERS)

- **CORRECT:** library
- **INCORRECT:** wierd

Challenge: Our teacher explained the lesson. CORRECT: explained; INCORRECT: explaind.

For Part 2, accept explanations that name a missing, extra, switched, or correct letter pattern. Part 3 answers may vary if each word is accurately labeled.