

Little Wandle Spelling



Count the sounds



Use your segmenting fingers. How many sounds does the word have?

Use the code



Look at the 'Complete the code' chart to see the different spellings for each sound.

Think about 'Best bets'



Is the sound at the beginning, middle or end?
Which spellings are most common?

Mind the prickles



Is it a prickly spelling?
Can you remember the prickly part?

Watch out for homophones

see — sea

one — won

Is it a homophone?
Have you used the right one?

Say it as it is spelled



For 'gnat' say 'g-nat' instead of 'nat'.

Look for root words

walk-ed

re-write

Does the root word change if you add a prefix or a suffix?

A speller's toolkit