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INTRODUCTION

This version of the first volume is aimed at spelling arrangements, rather than phonetic ones. Only the main section and silent letters in the appendix, have been rearranged because of this.

Compounds already have a regular form at the start or end of the word and the rest of it will mostly be found in the first part of the book as single syllable words. Where there are subtle differences in spelling or pronunciation, these will be ignored as it would complicate the learning process (even regionally words and word groups are pronounced differently, so standard English isn't that standard).

While the sounds of a language may be constant, that doesn't mean the written word is equally regular. Sounds are arbitrary as are written symbols, when it comes to language and this can even more confusing where no habitual spelling pattern is followed. My layout exposes this problem of confounded expectation.

Note that lower case letters can vary enormously in form, even if most are still recognizably similar, whereas upper case designs are pretty invariable and instantly recognizable (a, g in particular stand out as do r, q and n, which look nothing like their upper case versions). Most are just smaller versions of the upper case letters, with variations in style in some cases (s, x, o). Others drop below the line (y, g, q) or stand out as taller forms than those around them (t, h, f, l, d, b).

Please note that the use of coloured type is to emphasize differences and to group similar material. This will be either in the form of whole words or parts of them, depending upon whether it's material in the main body of work or the compound / miscellaneous sections.

Repeat the words over and over again, until you can write them fluently: Remember that repetition breeds certainty. Write them until you're sure they look the same or at least similar to what you are seeing (recognizable): Close your eyes and try to memorize them.

If you're not good at writing (Can't control your hand movements well enough to shrink the letters down, to the small size on the paper) then write on a wall with a paint brush or use wallpaper, to practice large scale versions of what you see, using a felt tip pen or similar instrument. This will help you not only reproduce them but help them, through size, stick in your mind.

If the letters appear too subjective, then do drawings of their shapes and what they remind you of (S = snake / I or 1 = a flag pole / 2 = a swan etc.). This is helpful if you have problems with literacy or your first language doesn't use the English alphabet (Chinese, Arabic, Hindu etc.). Look for shapes in your environment that remind you of the letters, if nothing immediately springs to mind or find illustrated, junior spelling books that follow this logic.

Test your memory an hour after practice, by writing down the samples again and checking them out against the material you've just learnt from. Then do the same with this material a week, month, six months, a year later etc.

Get hold of word game books, like Word search etc. and look for words you recognize, hidden among them. Also look for them in newspapers, comics and any other written you can find, in the language you are learning. You can listen to English radio broadcasts and TV programs, to pick out words you've learned. Plus you can also check out words within words (e.g. pineapple – pine, apple, pin, in, app).

The first books in the series do not teach meaning but word forms. Your objective is to learn general spelling at this stage – later ones teach meaning and introduce grammar.

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Sound Grid

J	SP
H	SPL
L	SPR
M	ST
N	STR
R	SH
V	SHR
W	SM
Y	SN
<u>Z</u>	<u>SW</u>	<u>.</u>	<u>.</u>	<u>.</u>	<u>.</u>
B					
BR					
<u>BL</u>					
F	<u>Short</u>	<u>Long</u>	<u>Y-Dip*</u>	<u>R-Dip*</u>	<u>W-Dip*</u>
FR					
<u>FL</u>	A	-	AY	AR	-
G	E	EE	-	AIR	-
GR	I	-	EYE	EAR	-
<u>GL</u>	O	OH	OY	OR	OW
P	<u>U</u>	<u>OU</u>	-	<u>UR</u>	<u>EW</u>
PR	Bat	-	Bait	Bar	-
<u>PL</u>	Bet	Bee	-	Bear	-
D	Bit	-	Bite	Beer	-
DR	Hot	Low	Boil	Bore	How
<u>DW</u>	<u>Hut</u>	<u>Wood</u>	-	<u>Burr</u>	<u>Who</u>
C (k)					
CR					
CL					
QU					
<u>CH</u>					
T					
TR					
TW					
TH					
<u>THR</u>					
S (soft c)					
SC					
SCR					
SQU (scw)					
.					

Dip* =
Diphthongs
or double
sounding
vowels

Spelling Alphabet

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Simple, Single Letter Word Endings (1 Syllable)

Ore	Ewe	See	Jay	My	Blare
Gore	Few	Bee	Hay	Why	Fare
Core	Dew	Lee	Lay	Thy	Bare
Fore	Pew	Pee	May	Bly	Mare
Bore	Yew	Dee	Nay	Try	Rare
More	Mew	Gee	Ray	Sky	Flare
Chore	New	Tee	Way	Scry	Glare
Tore	View	Fee	Bay	Spy	Pare
Sore	Knew	Free	Bray	Sty	Dare
Score	Brew	Knee	Fay	Sly	Care
Spore	Blew	Flee	Fray	Shy	Clare
Store	Flew	Glee	Flay	Fry	Scare
Swore	Grew	Cree	Gay	Pry	Spare
Snore	Crew	Tree	Gray	Ply	Stare
Shore	Chew	Twee	Pay	Dry	Snare
Or	Spew	Thee	Pray	Cry	Share
Nor	Stew	Three	Play	Buy	Square
For	Threw	Scree	Day	Guy	Where
Thor	Screw	Spree	Ky	Eye	Air
Oar	Shrew	Lea	Kray	Dye	Hair
Boar	Due	Tea	Clay	Rye	Lair
Roar	Sue	Sea	Tay	Vye	Pair
Moor	Rue	Pea	Tray	Bye	Fair
Boor	Cue	Flea	Say	Lie	Blair
Poor	Glue	Plea	Spray	Tie	Clair
Door	Blue	He	Stay	Pie	Chair
Floor	Queue	Me	Stray	Die	Stair
Four	Shoe	We	Sway	Sigh	Pear
Pour	Do	Ye	Slay	High	Wear
Tour	To	Be	Drey	Hi	Bear
Your	Who	She	Prey	I	Tear
You're+	Two	Key	Spey	Y	Swear
Awe	Too	Quay	Grey	.	Prayer
Saw	Loo	Ski	Whey	.	<u>Mayor</u>
Raw	Zoo	V	Hey	.	+ Contraction
Paw	U	T	Weigh	.	of 'you are'
Jaw	You	E	A	.	.
Law	Lou	B	J	.	.
War	Pugh	P	K	.	.
Caw	Hugh	D	.	.	.
Claw	Through	C	.	.	.
Drawer	.	G	.	.	.
.

Ear	Low	Mar	Doer	How	Fur
Near	Mow	Bar	Newer	Now	Cur
Lear	Sow	Far	Fewer	Row	Spur
Gear	Tow	Par	Sewer	Vow	Slur
Rear	Row	Car	Brewer	Cow	Blur
Hear	Bow	Jar	Skewer	Sow	Burr
Year	Blow	Tar	Dewar	Wow	Purr
Fear	Flow	Tsar	Bluer	Bow	Sir
Tear	Know	Char	Fluer	Brow	Stir
Sear	Grow	Scar	Truer	Prow	Her
Dear	Glow	Spar	Ure	Thou	Were
Drear	Crow	Star	Cure	Slough	.
Spear	Stow	Ba	Pure	Plough	.
Clear	Slow	Ha	Lure	.	.
Peer	Snow	Ra	Sure	.	.
Beer	Show	Pa	Muir	.	.
Leer	Throw	Ma	.	.	.
Seer	Sew	Bra	.	.	.
Jeer	O	Ah	.	.	.
Deer	Ho	Shah	.	.	.
Freer	Jo	R	.	.	.
Queer	No	.	.	.	.
Steer	Go	.	.	.	.
Sheer	Pro	.	.	.	.
We're	Joe	.	.	.	.
Vere	Toe	.	.	.	.
Mere	Hoe
Here	Oh
Tier	Dough
Pier
Skier
Weir	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Joy
Hoy
Roy
Boy
Ploy
Coy
Toy
Troy
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