

Spelling Shed

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Spellings

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coronation

detonation

observation

location

generation

exploration

combination

illustration

Introduction

Today children will continue to consolidate understanding that adding 'ation' to verbs turns them in to nouns. Can children remember any 'ation' words from the last list?

Word ends in 'e' – remove e and + 'ation'

Word ends in 'y' – remove y and + 'ic' + 'ation' (multiply to multiplication)

Most other words you can just add 'ation' straight on the end.

Main Teaching Activity

All of the words in today's lists follow the same rule, ask children if they can spot what it is and have a speed write on their whiteboards to write the root word. See how many they can correctly write in 3 minutes.

Click the slide to check the answer.

Discuss any errors or misconceptions.

Independent Activity

Ask children to write 5 sentences using words, appropriately, from the spelling list.

To extend children you could ask them to also write a sentence for the verb form of the word. E.g. a sentence with 'location' and one with 'locate'.

Answers:

What is the root word for each of the spellings below:

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coronation
detonation
observation
location
generation
exploration
combination
illustration

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observe
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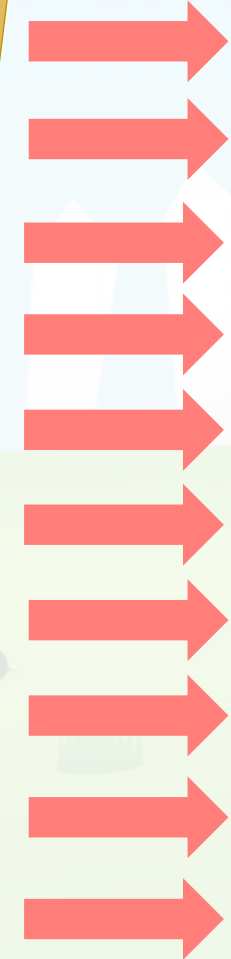
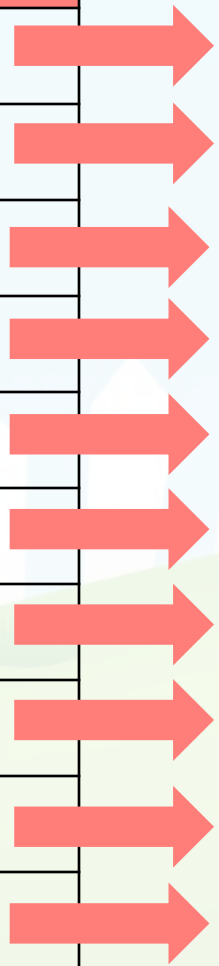
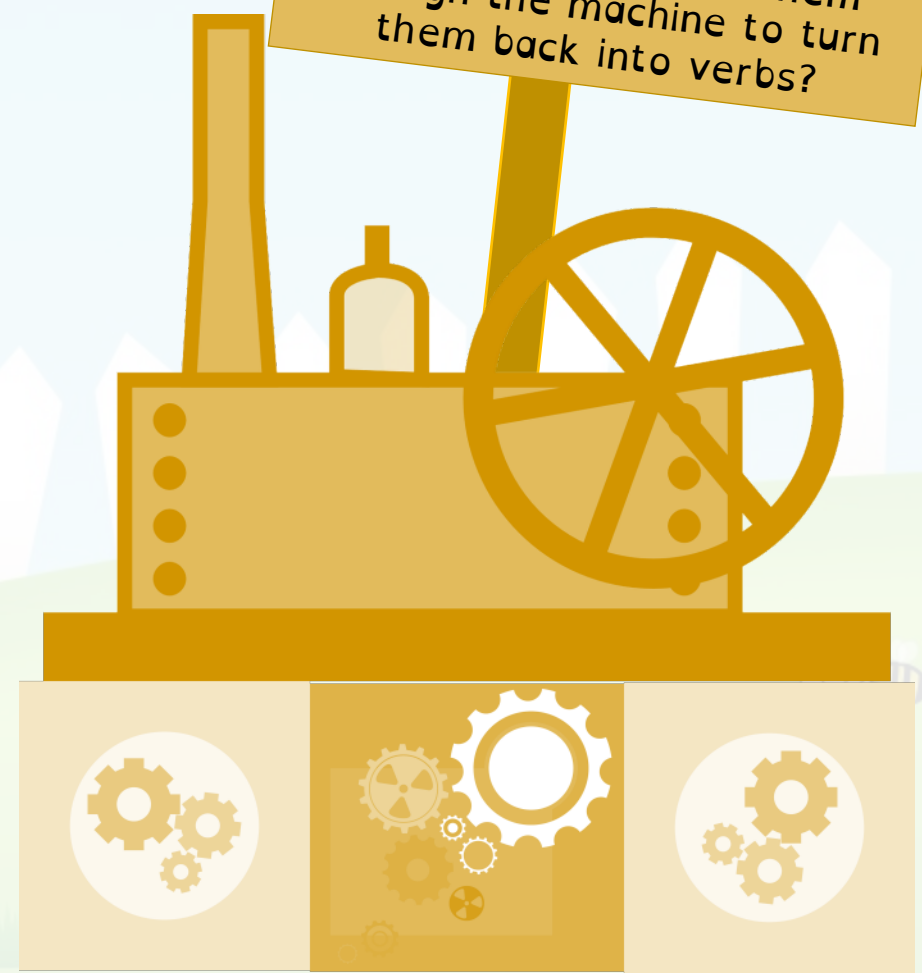
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