

EXERCISE 2: Endings with Dark /

Several adjective endings have dark /l/: -al, -ial, -ful, -ible, -able.

PAIRS: Write the adjective form of the words in the blanks. The last sound of the adjective ending is a dark /.

1. help helpful
2. believe believable
3. president presidential
4. magic magical
5. rest restful
6. influence influential
7. office official
8. reason reasonable
9. finance financial
10. harm harmful
11. sense sensible
12. compare comparable

EXERCISE 4: Sounds Like ...

Two phrases that sound the same but have different spellings and meanings are called **homophrases**. Listen and repeat the homophrases. Then work with a partner to think of a homophone with will. (You can check your answers on page 111.)

1. royal answer Roy'll answer.
2. the vinyl dye vinyl
3. The cattle run away. cat
4. your logical persuader law
5. Alaska fisherman Alaska
6. the comical joke comical

EXERCISE 5: Quotations with Dark /

PAIRS: Student A has clues to the missing words in quotes 1 and 2 (on page 256). Student B has clues for quotes 3 and 4 (on page 262). Use the clues to help your partner figure out the missing words in the quotes below. Then practice reading the quotes aloud. Most of the missing words contain dark l.

Quote 1: You can (a) _____ (b) _____ the (c) _____ some of the (d) _____, and some of the (e) _____ (f) _____ the time, but you cannot (g) _____ (h) _____ the (i) _____ (j) _____ of the time. (Abraham Lincoln)

Quote 2: That's one (a) _____ step for (b) _____, one giant (c) _____ for mankind. (d) (_____ Armstrong)

Quote 3: So many of our dreams at first seem (a) _____, then they seem (b) _____, and then when we summon the (c) _____, they soon become (d) _____. (Christopher Reeves)

Quote 4: It is difficult to say what is (a) _____, for the (b) _____ of yesterday is the hope of today and the (c) _____ of (d) _____. (Robert Goddard)

LOOKING FORWARD AND LOOKING BACK



EXERCISE 6: Time Capsules

Time capsules are collections of objects and information that provide a record of life at a particular time or place. They may be buried in the ground or put in a safe place for future generations. More recently, several time capsules have been shot into space, to provide a record of life on Earth for future space travellers or perhaps aliens.

PAIRS: Listen to the recording and then answer the questions.

1. Describe the 1917 time capsule found in the New York City public school.
2. What did the fifth-graders put in their 2009 time capsule?
3. What 10 things would you put in a time capsule to show what life is like now?

EXERCISE 7: Predictions for 2050

A | Make predictions about what will happen by 2050. Use **will/won't** in your sentences.

1. Medicine/health _____
2. Environment/the earth _____
3. Technology _____
4. Politics/government _____
5. The family/relationships _____
6. Transportation _____
7. Global population _____
8. Other _____