

LBQ- Monday

Words ending in 'ence'

- Use **ence** after soft **c** (/s/ sound), soft **g** sound and **qu**, or if there is a related word with a clear **ε** sound in the right position.

Examples:

absence

confidence

evidence

independence

patience

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Use commas to clarify meaning

Let's eat Grandma!

Let's eat, Grandma!

The first sentence suggests that we should eat Grandma, poor lady! The second makes it clear that the writer is telling their grandmother that it is time to eat.

Watch this video to learn how commas can make the meaning clearer

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mjv5Vp7tHsU>

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Some words ending in *-ent* are changed to nouns by using the ending *-ency*.

Examples:

agent > agency

decent > decency

frequent > frequency

urgent > urgency

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Words ending 'ent'

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There are many words which end in ent. Here's some examples

Nouns

accident

client

current

student

Adjectives

ancient

confident

excellent

recent