

Words with the **s** sound spelt **sc**

Speed spell

Write the **Speed spell** words.

a _____ b _____ c _____

d _____ e _____ f _____

Circle any errors. Write the corrected spellings in your Log Book.

Spelling zone



1 Read the information with your partner.

Sometimes the **s** sound is spelt **sc**. It can occur at the beginning or the middle of a word.

2 Take turns to read the sound box and the words.

s
ss
se
c
ce
sc

scent science scene scissors
fascinate muscle ascend descend



3 Choose three words from the box above that you think are the most useful to know how to spell. Write them here.

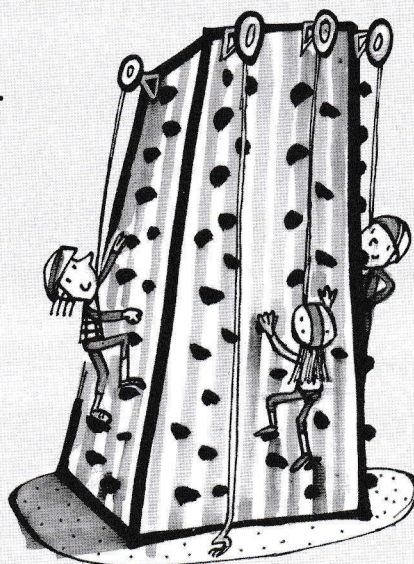
Tip: Try sounding the **c** as **k** when spelling these words. It sounds very odd but will help you to remember to add the silent **c**.

Dots and dashes



Dot and dash the graphemes in the words.
Write the number of sounds.

sci <u>s</u> s <u>o</u> rs	5	ascend	
science		descend	
scent		muscle	
scene		fascinate	



Word changers



Complete the table.

Tip: Remember to **drop** the **e** at the end of a root word before adding a suffix that starts with a vowel, such as **-ing** or **-ed**.

root word	suffix	root word + suffix
ascend	-ing	
ascend	-ed	
descend	-ed	
descend	-ing	
scene	-s	
scent	-s	
scent	-ed	
fascinate	-ing	
fascinate	-ed	
muscle	-s	