

How to teach kids to spell high-frequency words

- Segment the word into its phonemes (sounds).

look

/l/ /oo/ /k/

- Map the word showing its graphemes (spellings of the phonemes).

l oo k

- Identify the tricky spellings in the word and show familiar words with these spellings.

l oo k



book
good
took
wood

- Ask the student to say the sounds as she/he writes the word.

'l' 'oo' 'k' → look 

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