

Doubling

Test Yourself

- 1 baggage
 luggage
 buggy

- 2 Hilary Mantel is an English writer. She has written several novels. Her writing is admired by many people.

- 3 (b)

- 4 forgotten
 omitted
 visitor
 profited

- 5 keep
 each
 teacher
 creep
 speech
 beak

Stretch Yourself

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|---|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | leek
leak | a vegetable
escaping water |
| | peek
peak | take a look
mountain top |
| | tee
tea | a golf ball rest
a drink |
| | steal
steel | thieve
a metal |

- 2 opposite
robot
embarrassed
preference

Harder plurals

Test Yourself

- 1 cuffs
wives
knives
cliffs
- 2 loaves
chiefs
roofs
halves
- 3 potatoes x
spas
kilos
photos
radios x
echos x
tomatoes
- 4 lay-bys
ladies-in-waiting
hand-outs
mothers-in-law
- 5 Italian musical words end with a single S.

Stretch Yourself

- 1 Correct: a, c, f
- 2 men-of-war

crossings-out
check-ups

How to remember a hard spelling

Test Yourself

- 1 secret, tar
- 2 eight, fight, light, might, night, right, sight, tight
- 3 3, 2, 3, 1
- 4 b, b, w, k, w
- 5 gran
grand
rand
and
mother
moth
other
the

Stretch Yourself

- 1 bough
cough
dough
rough
tough
- 2 bought
thought
enough
ought
nought

drought
sought

IE or EI?

Test Yourself

1 (b) and (c)

2 vein
reign
foreign

3 weight
height

4 grief
receive x
eight
friend
hieght x
feild x

5 thief
deceive
married
believe
piece

Stretch Yourself

1 science
protein
weird

2 beige
deign
fierce
receipt