

# Staggered Flip Organizer

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Rule 6

Rule 5

Rule 4

Rule 3

Rule 2

Rule 1

## Instructions for Completing the Organizer:

1. Print the organizer onto colored paper. Three versions are offered. The first has lines for students to write their own information. The second version has blanks for key words. The third is an answer key with the text completed.
2. Cut out rectangles.
3. Begin with the bottom page in the stack. Turn the page on its back and place a thin line of glue across the top of the page only. Glue it towards the bottom of the organizer notebook or lap book.
4. On the back of the next page, place a thin line of glue along the top.
5. Glue this page directly onto the organizer page moving it up approximately one-half of an inch higher than the first page.
6. Continue to add pages until all are glued down.
7. The pages should lift up so that students can read the information.

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Rule 1

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Rule 2

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**Exception**

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Rule 6

When a word ends  
with a \_\_\_\_\_  
vowel sound and a  
single

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double the final  
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\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

Rule 1

When a word ends  
in silent '\_\_\_\_\_' drop  
the '\_\_\_\_\_' if the suffix  
begins with a

\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

Rule 2

When a word ends  
in a silent 'e,' keep  
the 'e' if the suffix  
begins with a  
consonant.

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\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ > \_\_\_\_\_

Rule 3



When a word ends with a short vowel sound and a single consonant double the final consonant.

chat > chatter

dig > digging

hop > hopping

Rule 1

When a word ends in silent 'e' drop the 'e' if the suffix begins with a vowel.

drive > driver

skate > skating

surprise > surprised

Rule 2

When a word ends in a silent 'e,' keep the 'e' if the suffix begins with a consonant.

close > closeness

grace > graceful

crime > crimeless

Rule 3

When a words ends  
in 'ce' or 'ge' keep  
the 'e' if the suffix  
begins with 'a' or  
'o'.

courage >  
courageous

outrage >  
outrageous

change >  
changeable

Rule 4

When a words ends  
with 'y', change it  
to 'i' except when  
the suffix is 'ing'.

baby > babies

daisy > daisies

cry > crying

lazy > lazier

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