

Handwriting sheet: Precursive Arrow worksheet

Word list: ss words

At the end of a word, sometimes you need to double a *consonant* after a *short vowel sound*. This happens in spellings when the *short vowel sound* is followed by one of these letters: *f, s, and l*.

In the words in this list, the *s* has been doubled after the *short vowel sound*.

For example:

The word *press* includes a short /e/ sound and ends with an *s* sound. This means it needs to be spelt with a double *s*.

Miss contain a short /i/ sound before an *s* sound. This word also needs to be spelt with a double *s*.

The word *fuss* includes a short /i/ sound followed by an *s* sound. Again, this means the *s* needs to be doubled.

pass

mass

press

stress

fuss

hiss

miss

boss

cross

lass

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kiss

dress

class