This week, we have been learning to add **-ed** and **-er** to words ending in **e**.



Adding -ed to words ending in e

When we change words ending in **e** to the past tense, we take away the **e** and add -**ed**.

scored joked

When you add **-ed** to a word that ends in **e**, the **-ed** suffix makes the /d/ or /t/ sound.

Adding -er to words ending in e

When adding -er to words ending in e, we take away the e and add -er.

hiker

baker

Common Exception Words

We have been learning to spell the common exception words **whole** and **listen**.

Focus Words hiked timed braved

baked hiker timer braver baker





Grammar

This week, we have used the -ed suffix to change the tense of verbs.



- Verbs are words to describe an action.
- When we add the suffix -ed to verbs, it changes them to past tense.
- Past tense is when we talk about something which has already happened.

Happening now:

Sam and Kit hike up the hill.

Happened in the past:

Sam and Kit hiked up the hill.



Adding -ed and -er to words ending in e



Complete the gaps in the table below. The first one has been done for you.

Root Word	-ed	-er
time	timed	timer
	scored	
		braver
	baked	
line		
		hiker
stare		

Write one sentence using a word containing -ed and one sentence using a word containing -er .			