

Letter-strings: -able, -ably, -ible, -ibly

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Read the word, the sentence, then the word again.

-able

1	able	I am able to swim.
2	adorable	The puppy was small and absolutely adorable .
3	affordable	The cheap toy was affordable .
4	applicable	The rule is applicable here.
5	available	No seats were available .
6	changeable	Spring weather is very changeable .
7	considerable	It was a considerable size.
8	dependable	She is a dependable helper.
9	enable	Wheels enable carts to move.
10	memorable	It was a memorable day.
11	noticeable	The stain was hardly noticeable .
12	portable	We took a portable radio.
13	probable	A win seems probable .
14	reasonable	It was a reasonable price.
15	reliable	She is a reliable friend.
16	stable	The horse entered its stable .
17	suitable	These boots are suitable .
18	tolerable	The cold was just tolerable .
19	unable	He was unable to reach.
20	understandable	Her neat writing was understandable .
21	undrinkable	The sea water was undrinkable .
22	variable	The weather was variable .

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-able (continued)

23 washable The paint is **washable**.

-ably

1 adorably The kitten yawned **adorably**.

2 considerably The path grew **considerably** steeper.

3 probably We will **probably** go swimming.

4 tolerably She did **tolerably** well.

-ible

1 forcible He gave a **forcible** push.

2 horrible The medicine had a **horrible** taste.

3 illegible His handwriting was **illegible**.

4 impossible Counting stars is **impossible**.

5 incredible We saw an **incredible** display.

6 invisible The spy felt almost **invisible**.

7 irresponsible Leaving taps running is **irresponsible**.

8 possible It is **possible** to climb.

9 responsible She is a **responsible** monitor.

10 sensible She gave a **sensible** answer.

11 terrible The weather was **terrible** all day.

12 visible The stars were clearly **visible**.

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1	horribly	The clown sang horribly .
2	incredibly	The puppy was incredibly cute.
3	possibly	We could possibly go tomorrow.
4	sensibly	She sensibly wore boots.
5	terribly	She was terribly sorry.
6	visibly	He was visibly pleased.