

/ʃən/, /zən/ and /tʃən/ endings

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

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1	action	The film was full of exciting action .
2	addition	We learned addition with the number line.
3	admission	Museum admission was free today.
4	assumption	That was a wrong assumption .
5	attention	Please pay attention now.
6	caution	Cross the road with caution .
7	collection	He has a stamp collection .
8	competition	She won the spelling competition .
9	completion	We cheered the puzzle's completion .
10	comprehension	We answered the comprehension questions.
11	condition	Keep it in good condition .
12	confession	He made a full confession .
13	connection	There is a clear connection .
14	construction	The tower's construction took hours.
15	contribution	Her contribution helped the team.
16	convention	It is a polite convention .
17	definition	We read the word's definition .
18	description	She wrote a vivid description .
19	direction	We walked in the direction of the sea.
20	discussion	We had a lively discussion .
21	election	The school held an election .
22	electrician	The electrician fixed the light.

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23	emotion	The sad film stirred up emotion .
24	exception	There was no exception .
25	exhibition	We saw an art exhibition .
26	expansion	The school planned an expansion .
27	expression	He had a puzzled expression .
28	extension	They built a house extension .
29	function	The button has one function .
30	impression	The painting made an impression .
31	injection	The nurse gave an injection .
32	institution	A library is an institution .
33	instruction	Follow each instruction carefully.
34	intention	Her intention was to help.
35	interaction	There was friendly interaction .
36	introduction	The book had an introduction .
37	invention	The wheel was an invention .
38	magician	The magician pulled a rabbit from a hat.
39	mathematician	The mathematician solved the puzzle.
40	mention	Did she mention the party?
41	mission	Their mission was finding treasure.
42	musician	The musician tuned her guitar.
43	notion	She had a clever notion .
44	opposition	The team faced strong opposition .

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45	optician	The optician tested my eyes.
46	option	Walking was the best option .
47	passion	She has a painting passion .
48	percussion	Drums belong to percussion .
49	permission	Ask permission before you leave.
50	politician	The politician gave a speech.
51	position	She found a new position .
52	possession	It was his favourite possession .
53	production	The school production was great.
54	profession	Teaching is a rewarding profession .
55	proportion	A large proportion likes art.
56	protection	The umbrella gave protection .
57	reaction	Her reaction was a gasp.
58	reduction	There was a price reduction .
59	resolution	Her resolution was reading more.
60	selection	There was a cake selection .
61	session	We had a swimming session .
62	solution	We found a clever solution .
63	tension	There was tension before play.
64	tradition	Singing carols is a tradition .
65	version	She sang her own version .

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1	collision	The trains had a collision .
2	conclusion	The story had a conclusion .
3	confusion	There was some confusion .
4	decision	It was a hard decision .
5	division	We solved a division sum.
6	explosion	The volcano made an explosion .
7	invasion	Slugs caused a garden invasion .
8	occasion	It was a special occasion .
9	persuasion	After much persuasion , he agreed.
10	provision	There was a snack provision .
11	vision	The owl has good vision .

/tʃən/ -tion (as in question)

1	question	She asked a clever question .
2	suggestion	Thank you for the suggestion .