

## 'I' before 'E' except after 'C'

Choose the correct word from the box below and insert it into the gap, making sure to spell the word correctly. Which way round will the 'i' and 'e' go? Watch out for the exceptions to the rule.

1. My sister's daughter is my \_\_\_\_\_.
2. On my next birthday, I will be \_\_\_\_\_ years old.
3. It is quite difficult to paint the \_\_\_\_\_ in a church.
4. I really want to \_\_\_\_\_ full marks in my spelling test.
5. The police caught the \_\_\_\_\_ hiding behind the bushes.
6. "Shall I put the \_\_\_\_\_ in your bag?" asked the shopkeeper.
7. The soldier raised his \_\_\_\_\_ to defend himself.
8. I use a ruler to measure my \_\_\_\_\_ every year.
9. The \_\_\_\_\_ lion roared at its prey.
10. My favourite subject at school is \_\_\_\_\_.



### Word Bank

__ight	n__ce	sh__ld	c__ling	rec__pt
h__ght	sc__nce	f__rce	ach__ve	th__f