PRACTICE: WORD STRESS

Activity one: Transcribe the following simple words phonemically and identify the primary stress placement.

Word	Noun/ adjective	Verb	Word	Noun/ adjective	Verb
Conduct			Perfect		
Contrast			Permit		
Convict			Produce		
Desert			Progress		
Export			Record		

Activity two: Transcribe the following complex words phonemically and identify the primary stress placement.

WORD	TRANSCRIPTION	SUFFIX TYPE	WORD	TRANSCRIPTION	SUFFIX TYPE
	& STRESS			& STRESS	
Pronuncia <u>tion</u>			Volunteer <u>ing</u>		
Fabric <u>ate</u>			Workahol <u>ic</u>		
Photograph <u>ic</u>			Evolu <u>tion</u>		
Capitalist <u>ic</u>			Personal <u>ity</u>		
Cigar <u>ette</u>			Guarant <u>ee</u>		
Typogr <u>aph</u> y			Inter <u>ior</u>		
Contagious			Imperson <u>ate</u>		
Refug <u>ee</u>			Poss <u>ible</u>		
Great <u>ness</u>			Canton <u>ese</u>		
Custom <u>ize</u>			Entertain <u>ment</u>		

Activity three: Transcribe the following compound words and identify the primary stress placement.

Word	Function	Transcription & stress	Word	Function	Transcription & stress
Second-hand	Adjective		Upgrade	Verb	
Post office	Noun		Washing machine	Noun	
Overreact	Verb		Well behaved	Adjective	
Color-blind	Adjective		Breakthrough	Noun	
Bedroom	Noun		Long-lasting	Adjective	