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Day A

Get to know the passage

Instructors read while students follow along.

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Instructors introduce a new chunk type or review the week's chunking focus.

Day B Look back on Day A's copywork

Students circle words in Day A's copywork they think may be challenging to spell in dictation. Together, identify the knotty chunks of each circled word.

Day C Look back on Day B's copywork

Students circle words in Day B's copywork they think may be challenging to spell in dictation.

 \square Together, identify the knotty chunks of each circled word.

Day D Look back on Day C's copywork

Students circle words in Day C's copywork they think may be challenging to spell in dictation. Together, identify the knotty chunks of each circled word.

*If you are following a 4-day schedule, skip Day D.

Day E Look back on this week's copywork

Instructors and students discuss a helpful strategy for each of the circled words from Days A-C. \Box

Together, set a goal for today's dictation.

Possible Goals for Dictations

• I will focus on one word at a time.	• I will write knotty words two ways instead of guessing their spelling.
I will remember [spelling pattern] for	 I will use [this strategy] on [these words] if I don't know them
[these words].	right away.
I will picture [these words] in my mind	I will complete [these sentences (or the entire passage)] within
before writing them.	10 minutes.