

5. "tch" follows the short vowels except in the words much, such, rich, touch, which, ostrich, sandwich.

6. We double the letter when there is only one sound between the short vowels and "er."

7. a. When "v" is the final sound in a word it is always followed by silent "e."

b. "V" is never doubled.

8. We double the letter when there is only one sound between the short vowel and "ing."

9. We double the letter when there is only one sound between the short vowel and "y" (short sound).

10. We double the letter when there is only one sound between the short vowel and "ow" (o).

11. When soft "g" follows the short vowel, the letter "d" is inserted.