

SPELLING

When a base word ends with *e*, the *e* is dropped before *-ed* or *-ing* is added.

care *e* ⇒ cared

care *e* ⇒ caring

save *e* ⇒ saved

save *e* ⇒ saving

compete *e* ⇒ competing

determine *e* ⇒ determined