

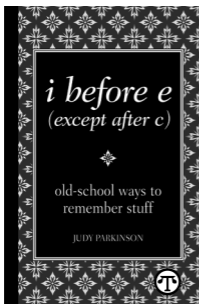


I Before E

(NAPSA)—In grade school, facts were often taught by simple memory aids, which, once learned, fix the information in the brain forever.

So take a trip back to the classroom with an amusing collection of such ingenious tricks that can be found in “i before e (except after c)” (Reader’s Digest), a book that makes learning easy and fun.

Presented in short snippets of information by category, including “To Spell or Not to Spell,” “Geographically Speaking,” “Time and Calendar,” “The Human Body”



and “Lifesaving Tips,” the book makes it easy to find the answer to hundreds of important facts.

Here are a few examples:

- Think of a Number: You can remember Roman numerals by remembering “**I** Value **Xylophones** **L**ike **C**ows **Dig** **M**ilk.”

- To Spell or Not to Spell: “**PE**ns are items in stationery and **cA**rs when parked are stationary.”

- World History: “In 1492, Columbus sailed the ocean blue and found this land, land of the free, beloved by you, beloved by me.”

- Religious Matters: Remember the four Gospels: “Matthew, Mark, Luke and John went to bed with their trousers on.”

- Time and Calendar: “Thirty days hath September, April, June and November. All the rest have 31 excepting February alone, and that has 28 days clear, with 29 in each leap year.”

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