## Spelling list: No need to double (copy)

More examples of the doubling rule: You do not need to double the last letter of a word if: 1) a word ends in two consonants 2) the suffix starts with a consonant

crashing The waves are **crashing** on the sea shore.

dampen This light rain will only **dampen** the ground.

windy It is too **windy** to use an umbrella.

buzzed A wasp **buzzed** around my head.

stuffing The **stuffing** has come out of my old teddy bear.

checked They **checked** the door knob for fingerprints.

locked Check that the car is **locked**.

puffy Her face was **puffy** from crying so much.

crafty I don't trust that man as I think he is too **crafty**.

selfish Tom was **selfish** not to offer me a lift.

twisted The willow trees were twisting in the strong wind.

quickly Our baby has grown so **quickly**.

handful Throw a **handful** of seeds to feed the birds.

thankless It was a **thankless** task.

backless She wore a **backless** dress to the party.

thickness The **thickness** of my gloves will keep my hands warm.

spotless I scrubbed the floor until it was **spotless**.

madness It's **madness** to drive so fast near a school.