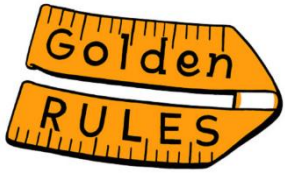




Rule 20 Ance or ence?



The Golden Rules:

- Use 'ence' after a soft c or soft g sound - e.g - innocence
- Or words that end in 'ent' in the adjective - e.g. - confident becomes confidence, violent becomes violence.
- Use 'ance' after stems ending in the 'er' sound or other vowel sounds - e.g. - alliance, appliance.
- Or words that end in 'ant' for the adjective - e.g. - elegant becomes elegance, brilliant becomes brilliance.



Exceptions:

Audience, experience, science.

Recap	Core	Challenge
Innocence	Defiance	Acquaintance
Violence	Dominance	Extravagance
Confidence	Relevance	Vigilance
Evidence	Reluctance	Belligerence
Importance	Significance	Opulence
	Tolerance	
	Absence	
	Existence	
	Persistence	
	Presence	