

# **TION or SION Spelling Rules**

**if related word ends with:**

**consonant = drop it, use TION**

**d = SION** (expand, expansion)

**s = SION** (regress, regression)

**mit = S + SION** (admit, admission)

**Silent-E = drop 2 letters, use TION**

de = SION (decide, decision)

se = SION (precise, precision)

or sometimes change E to A + TION (invite, invitation)

if NO related word

/zhun/ = SION

/shun/ after *most* consonants = TION

## After L = SION

**After N = look it up with a ?**

**/shun/ after a Long vowel = TION**

/shun/ after *most* Short vowels = TION

## Or else S+SION

if unsure, look it up using your best guess