

Strategies for Reading Longer Words Pack

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know at the
BEGINNING of the
word.

un- pre- mis-
re- ex- non-

Divide the word into
SYLLABLES.

kit-ten stu-dent
nap-kin fro-zen
sis-ter pi-lot

Look for parts you
know at the END of
the word.

-ly -tion -ful
-less -er -ing
-ed -s -ness



Look for VOWEL
PATTERNS you know.

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oa ar au or
oi oo ow ou

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