

/shus/ spelling patterns

conscious	anxiously
cautious	infectious
vicious	malicious
anxious	subconscious
suspicious	obnoxious
unconsciously	ambitious

tious or cious?

- **tious** words can usually have a '**tion**' ending too
 - nutrition = nutritious

- **cious** words often have a root word which ends in **c** or **ce**

- grace = gracious

_____ **scious** (all words with this spelling are linked to 'conscious' and 'luscious'- using prefixes and suffixes, how many new words can you generate?)

conscious
luscious

_____ **xious**

All words linked to anxious or noxious, with prefixes and/or suffixes added. So learn these two then you'll know them all!

WORD CARD SORT

Sort by:

- /shus/ endings
- Syllables
- Alphabetical
- Number of vowels
- Ascenders/descenders
- Your own rule!