Consonant Plus -le Pattern

The final C + -le syllable is always unaccented. The accent is always on the first syllable.

Consonant + -le with **Open Syllables (VCle)**

cradle cra/dle

title <u>ti</u>/tle

eagle <u>ea</u>/gle

Consonant + -le with Closed Syllables (VCCle-Double)

bubble bub/ble

shuffle shuf/fle

drizzle driz/zle

Consonant + -le with **Closed Syllables (VCCle)**

gentle gen/tle

jungle jun/gle

mumble mum/ble

Oddballs—words with consonant digraphs do not split the digraph.

crackle crack/le

tickle tick/le