**UEB and ME!**

**Most common errors:**

1. Hyphen should be a dash
2. Grade one passages (multiple words, terminator sign)
3. Stand alone rules
4. How to use/not use the following contractions:

one

ea

of

for

dis

er

1. Incorrect formatting (leaving blank lines, not indenting properly)
2. Lack of grade 1 symbol (e-mail) (- -s)
3. Creating an answer line (46 36)
4. Lower cell rules and punctuation
5. Use the larger contraction (Spencer – ence not en – c- er, experienced – exp (er) I (ence) d – NOT en – ed)
6. Enough is a contraction. DON’T FORGET
7. Dot 5’s in the middle of words are forgotten (swordfish – s – 5w – fi – (sh))
8. Spacing after numbers (1.98 m) and grade 1 indicator (m stands for more)
9. When can/can’t you cross syllables with contractions
10. When using numbers – all letters are uncontracted (16th NO TH sign)
11. Missing the ou sign in the middle of words
12. @ symbol
13. Al as a name needs the grade one indicator
14. Letter sign is NOT needed on KG – it is not a short form or contraction
15. Missing MENT sign in moment. Not just the en sign.
16. Forgetting to use the OUGHT sign
17. Forgetting to use PART in party
18. When a short form word is all caps – use the cap word indicator not the multiple
19. Further – USE THE not TH – ER
20. Capitals with words and apostrophes

**Resources**

**Books:**

<http://www.brailleauthority.org/ueb/abcs/abcs-ueb.pdf>

<http://www.iceb.org/Rules%20of%20Unified%20English%20Braille%202013.pdf>

<http://www.brailleauthority.org/ueb/Supplementary%20Guide%20to%20UEB%20Reference%20Materials%208_31_2016.pdf>

**Links to resources:**

<http://www.wcbvi.k12.wi.us/outreach/professional-development/ueb-introduction>

<https://nfb.org/ueb-resources>

**Classes:**

<http://uebonline.org/>

<https://hadley.edu/UEBTransition.asp>

**Cheat sheet:**

<http://duxburysystems.com/images/ueb_black.pdf>

**Check sheet:**

<http://www.brailleauthority.org/ueb/UT%20Peasley.Braille%20assessment%20UEB.EBAE.pdf>

**Apps to practice braille: (from the google play store)**

Braille Tutor Brailliac – fun game like app to practice in 6 dot or typing mode. Jazzy music in the background.

Braille contraction lookup by Jeff Bishop