Developmental Stages in Spelling
Bear 1998; Ganske, 2000

Emergent 1-7: Scribbles; Letters and symbols represent syllables and words
Letter-Name 4-9: Single consonants, consonant digraphs and clusters; short vowel patterns
Within-word Patterns 6-12: LV patterns, diphthongs; r- & l-V; inflections; H-phones
Syllable Juncture 8-12: spelling rules; stressed & unstressed syllables
Derivational Constancy 10+: Latin affixes; Greek forms