Tiger Rule

When one consonant comes between two vowels, divide after the vowel. Try it long!

u/nit tu/lip
mu/sic bo/nus
Lion Rule

When each vowel has a separate sound, divide between the vowels.

Po/et     o/a/sis
Du/et     ne/on
Rabbit Rule

When two consonants stand between two vowels sounds, divide between the consonants.

sud/den     rac/coon
pat/tern     chap/ter

rab/bit     vc/cv
Camel Rule

When one consonant stands between two vowels, divide after the consonant-try it short.

rob/in      riv/er
trop/ic     pun/ish
Turtle Rule

When a word has a C-le, divide before the consonant-le.

ca/ble	trem/ble
puz/zle	pic/kle