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| Week 1 <br> Spelling Test on Thursday $21^{\text {st }} \text { Sept }$ | Week 2 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday $28^{\text {th }}$ Sept | Week 3 <br> Spelling Test on Thursday $5^{\text {th }}$ Oct | Week 4 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday $12^{\text {th }}$ October | Week 5 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Oct | Week 6 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{Nov}$ |
| Rule: <br> Double 's', 'f', 'l', 'z' and 'k' spelt 'ck' <br> ' $f$ ', ' $l$ ', ' $s$ ', ' $z$ ' and ' $k$ ' sounds are usually spelt ' ff ', 'Il', 'ss', 'zz' and 'ck' if they are straight after a single vowel in a one beat (monosyllabic) word. <br> NOTE: Some high frequency words like 'yes', 'if' and 'us' do not follow this rule. | Rule: <br> Syllable division <br> Splitting words into syllables can help us spell them. <br> Each syllable contains one vowel sound. <br> There is often more than one way to divide a word. <br> E.g. rep - res - en - ted or re - pre - sent - ed | Rule: <br> 'ch' or 'tch' <br> The 'ch' sound at the end of a word is usually spelt 'tch' if it is after a single vowel and 'ch' if it is after a consonant or two vowels. 'ch' chases lonely vowels the ' t ' protects them! <br> NOTE: Some high frequency words like 'which' and 'much' do not follow this rule. | Rule: <br> Plural: ' $s$ ' and 'es' (also includes $3^{\text {rd }}$ person singular of verbs) <br> To make most words plural we just add ' $s$ '. <br> Some words are too hard to say like this: foxs, pushs, buss <br> When we say these words, you can hear an 'is' sound at the end. It is spelt 'es'. | Rule: <br> Split Digraph <br> Make sure you know the sounds the vowels make - a, e, I, o, u. <br> The 'e' can jump over one consonant to make one vowel say its name not-note tap-tape cubcube <br> How do we say words like give and have? | Rule: <br> 'ee' sound spelt ' $y$ ' <br> What sound does the ' $y$ ' make at the end? <br> happy / frosty / sleepy / muddy <br> The ' $y$ ' acts like an ' $e$ '! It can jump over one consonant to make one vowel say its name! Double the consonant to protect a lonely vowel! grubby / fluffy The ' $y$ ' cannot jump over two consonants - the vowel is already safe! pushy / tricky / grumpy |
| 1. Stress <br> 2. Staff <br> 3. Shall <br> 4. Frizz <br> 5. Pick <br> 6. Track <br> 7. Shelf <br> 8. Wail <br> 9. Blitz <br> 10. Blank <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> bus, us, is, as, this, gas, plus, yes, nil, pal, if, of <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List accommodate accompany according achieve | 1. Fright <br> 2. Slipped <br> 3. Thought <br> 4. Replace <br> 5. Gripping <br> 6. Market <br> 7. Determine <br> 8. Desperate <br> 9. Respectable <br> 10. Establishmen <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> aggressive <br> amateur <br> ancient <br> apparent | 1. Watch <br> 2. Stitch <br> 3. Sketch <br> 4. Batch <br> 5. Twitch <br> 6. Speech <br> 7. Teach <br> 8. Inch <br> 9. Hunch <br> 10. Quench <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> which, such, much, rich <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> appreciate <br> attached <br> available <br> average | 1. Books <br> 2. Clouds <br> 3. Cupboards <br> 4. Lakes <br> 5. Bottles <br> 6. Classes <br> 7. Glasses <br> 8. Churches <br> 9. Sketches <br> 10. Wishes <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> You add 'es' to some words ending in 'o'. E.g. tomatoes, volcanoes <br> For others you just add ' $s$ '. <br> E.g. kilos, photos, radios <br> Words that end in one ' $f$ ' often change to 'ves'. <br> E.g. leaf > leaves, wife > wives, loaf > loaves (Exceptions include: roofs, chiefs) <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> awkward <br> bargain <br> bruise <br> category | 1. At / ate <br> 2. Can / cane <br> 3. Mad / made <br> 4. Cap / cape <br> 5. Hid / hide <br> 6. Fin / fine <br> 7. Rip / ripe <br> 8. Hop / hope <br> 9. Not / note <br> 10. Them / theme <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Words ending in 've' where the vowel does not say its name (e.g. have) Words with 'u_e' making the 'oo' sound (e.g. rude) Words with 'o_e' making the short 'u' sound (e.g. glove) <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List cemetery committee communicate community competition | 1. Stroppy <br> 2. Fussy <br> 3. Muddy <br> 4. Funny <br> 5. Smoky <br> 6. Dreamy <br> 7. Sticky <br> 8. Greedy <br> 9. Weary <br> 10. Oily <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Some words have a ' $y$ ' after a single vowel and single consonant even though the vowel does not say its name E.g. body, copy Some words end in the 'ee' sound spelt 'ey', <br> E.g. monkey, money, valley, turkey, journey <br> Some words end in ' $y$ ' making the ' $\mathbf{i}$ ' sound E.g. cry, apply <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List conscience conscious controversy convenience correspond |


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| Week 7 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday $9^{\text {th }}$ Nov | Week 1 Spelling Test on Thursday $16^{\text {th }}$ Nov | Week 2 <br> Spelling Test on <br> Thursday $23^{\text {rd }}$ Nov | Week 3 Spelling Test on Thursday $30^{\text {th }} \mathrm{Nov}$ | Week 4 Spelling Test on Thursday $7^{\text {th }}$ Dec | Week 5 Spelling Test on Thursday $14^{\text {th }}$ Dec | Week 6 Spelling Test on Thursday $4^{\text {th }}$ Jan |
| Rule: <br> 'oy' and 'oi' <br> You usually use 'oy' at the end of a root word i.e. toy <br> You usually use 'oi' at the beginning or in the middle of a root word. i.e. coin <br> HOWEVER use 'oy' before a vowel... otherwise it will look strange! i.e. royal | Rule: <br> 'ed’ suffix rule <br> When you add 'ed', the 'e' can jump over one consonant to make one vowel say its name! i.e. sob-sobed Double the consonant to protect lonely vowels! REMEMBER: VC - double me! i.e.sob-sobbed Some words are REGULAR just add 'ed'. <br> The 'e' can't jump over two consonants! i.e stamp-stamped | Rule: <br> ‘er’, ‘est’ suffix <br> When you add 'er' or 'est', the ' $e$ ' can jump over one consonant to make one vowel say its name! i.e. hot-hoter Double the consonant to protect lonely vowels! <br> REMEMBER: VC - double me! hot-hotter <br> Double the consonant to protect lonely vowels! REMEMBER: VC - double me! i.e. cold-colder | Rule: <br> ' j ' ending <br> How is the ' j ' sound spelt at the end of these words? fridge large verge When you add 'ge', the ' $e$ ' can jump over one consonant to make one vowel say its name. The 'd' defends lonely vowels! i.e. frige-fridge The 'd' defends lonely vowels! i.e. sledge BUT... some words NEED the vowel to say its name so we DON'T defend it. i.e. page, wage, huge | Rule: <br> 'le’ ending <br> When you add 'le', the ' $l$ ' is a loser - it won't help protect lonely vowels from the ' $e$ '! If the vowel is alone, it still needs two other consonants to protect it! buble > bubble sadle > saddle BUT... some words NEED the vowel to say its name so we DON'T double the consonant. table rifle title bible | Rule: <br> Contractions <br> When we write the contraction, an apostrophe goes in the place of the missing letters. i.e. he will > he'll <br> WATCH OUT: some words change completely! will not > won't shall not > shan't | Rule: <br> Suffixes after a ' $y$ ' <br> Choice for adding suffixes to words ending in ' $y$ ': <br> CHANGE IT or KEEP IT! dry > dries play > played Usually CHANGE IT: the ' $y$ ' changes to an ' i ' <br> If there is a vowel before the ' $y$ ', KEEP IT <br> If you add the 'ing' suffix always KEEP the ' $y$ '. <br> try $>$ tried stray > strays silly > silliness |
| 1. Annoy <br> 2. Employ <br> 3. Joint <br> 4. Noise <br> 5. spoil <br> 6. Avoid <br> 7. Choice <br> 8. Ointment <br> 9. Royalty <br> 10. Voyage <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> The 'oy' sound is usually spelt 'oy' at the end of the root word. This may not be the end of the word as a whole if suffixes are used. E.g. enjoyment, destroying. ```Year 5&& Spelling List criticise (critic + ise) curiosity definite desperate``` | Two vowels look after each other! i.e. floatfloated <br> Root words ending in 'e' are CHEAT-E! - Just add ' $d$ '! i.e. hope-hoped <br> 1. Clapped <br> 2. Webbed <br> 3. Stopped <br> 4. Added <br> 5. Dreamed <br> 6. Smiled <br> 7. Loved <br> 8. Joked <br> 9. Freed <br> 10. Cubed <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Some consonants never double: w, x, y. E.g. slowed, boxed, played <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List determined develop dictionary disastrous | Two vowels look after each other! i.e. green-greener <br> Root words ending in 'e' are CHEAT-E! Add 'r'/ 'st'! i.e. blue-bluer <br> 1. Biggest <br> 2. Redder <br> 3. Wettest <br> 4. Brighter <br> 5. Lightest <br> 6. Cheapest <br> 7. Braver <br> 8. Strangest <br> 9. Finer <br> 10. Whiter <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Some consonants never double: w, x, y. E.g. newer <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List embarrass environment equip (-ped, -ment) especially | 1. Charge <br> 2. Revenge <br> 3. Indulge <br> 4. Cartridge <br> 5. Footbridge <br> 6. Begrudge <br> 7. Knowledge <br> 8. Advantage <br> 9. Percentage <br> 10. Encourage <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> In 'range' \& 'change' the vowel says its name, not its sound. <br> 'College' is spelt with 'ege' instead of 'age' at the end. <br> 'Carriage' and 'marriage’ have an ' $i$ ' before the 'age' <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling <br> List <br> exaggerate <br> excellent <br> existence <br> explanation | 1. Couple <br> 2. Angle <br> 3. Trickle <br> 4. Struggle <br> 5. Gobble <br> 6. Wriggle <br> 7. Cradle <br> 8. Noble <br> 9. Fable <br> 10. Sidle <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Some words have silent letters. E.g. 'isle', 'muscle', castle, whistle. 'triple' and 'treble' do not have a double consonant. <br> Some words end in 'el' or 'al'. E.g. towel, travel, metal, animal, total. <br> A few words end in 'il'. E.g. pencil, fossil. <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> familiar <br> foreign <br> forty <br> frequently | 1. Did not <br> 2. Does not <br> 3. Should not <br> 4. They are <br> 5. We are <br> 6. You have <br> 7. Could have <br> 8. We would <br> 9. Who will <br> 10. They will <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> 'Will not' and 'shall not' change to 'won't' and 'shan't'. <br> Some contracted forms could come from more than one expanded form (e.g. he's could be 'he is' or 'he has'). The choice will depend on the context. <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> government guarantee harass | VERBS <br> 1. Marry <br> 2. Supply <br> 3. Reply <br> 4. Destroy <br> 5. Employ ADJECTIVES <br> 6. Moody <br> 7. Pretty NOUNS <br> 8. Family <br> 9. Library <br> 10. Holiday <br> EXCEPTIONS <br> Never change the ' $y$ ' to an ' $i$ ' before adding 'ing' - however 'skiing' and 'taxiing' both already end in ' $i$ ' and do have double ' $i$ ' when 'ing' is added. <br> (NOTE: some words may fit more than one word class.) <br> Year 5 \& 6 Spelling List <br> hindrance identity immediate(ly) |

