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Year 5	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Autumn 1	Words with endings that sound like / shuhs/ spelt with –cious	Words with endings that sound like / shuhs/ spelt with -tious or - ious	Words with the short vowel sound /i/ spelt with y	Words with the long vowel sound /i/ spelt with y	Homophones & near homophones	Homophones & near homophones	Review Week
Spelling words of the week.	vicious gracious spacious malicious precious conscious delicious suspicious atrocious ferocious	ambitious cautious fictitious infectious nutritious contentious superstitious pretentious anxious obnoxious	symbol mystery lyrics oxygen symptom physical system typical Crystal rhythm	Apply supply identify occupy multiply rhyme cycle python hygiene hyphen	past passed proceed precede aisle isle aloud allowed affect effect	farther father guessed guest heard led lead mourning morning	
Autumn 2	Words with 'silent' letters	Words with 'silent' letters	Modal verbs	Words ending in 'ment'	Adverbs of possibility and frequency	Statutory Spelling Challenge Words	Review Week
Spelling words of the week.	doubt lamb debt thumb solemn autumn column knight knuckle knot	wrestle wrapper island aisle debris mortgage castle yacht guarantee guilty	can could may might must Shall should will would ought	equipment environment government parliament enjoyment document management movement replacement statement	certainly definitely possibly perhaps probably frequently often occasionally rarely always	vegetable vehicle bruise soldier stomach recommend leisure privilege occur neighbour	

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Spring 1	Creating nouns using - ity suffix	Creating nouns using - ness suffix	Creating nouns using - ship suffix	Homophones & near homophones	Homophones & near homophones	Homophones & near homophones	Review Week
Spelling words of the week.	vicious gracious spacious malicious precious conscious delicious suspicious atrocious ferocious	ambitious cautious fictitious infectious nutritious contentious superstitious pretentious anxious obnoxious	symbol mystery lyrics oxygen symptom physical system typical crystal rhythm	apply supply identify occupy multiply rhyme cycle python hygiene hyphen	Past passed proceed aisle isle aloud allowed affect effect	farther father guessed guest heard herd lead mourning morning	
Spring 2	Words with an /or/ sound spelt 'or'	Words with /or/ sound spelt 'au'	Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ate	Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ise	Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ify	Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -en	Review Week
Spelling words of the week.	forty scorch absorb decorate afford enormous category tornado according opportunity	pause cause sauce fraud launch author August applaud astronaut restaurant	pollinate captivate activate motivate communicate medicate elasticate hyphenate alienate validate	criticise advertise capitalise finalise equalise fertilise terrorise socialise visualise vandalise	amplify solidify signify falsify glorify notify testify purify intensify classify	blacken brighten flatten lengthen mistaken straighten shorten thicken tighten toughen	

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Summer 1	Words containing the letter string 'ough'	Words containing the letter string 'ough'	Adverbials of time	Adverbials of place	Words with an /ear/ sound spelt 'ere'	Statutory Spelling Challenge Words	Review Week
Spelling words of the week.	though although dough doughnut through cough trough trough tough enough	plough bough drought brought bought wrought thought borough thorough	yesterday tomorrow later immediately earlier eventually recently previously finally lately Adding verb	nearby everywhere nowhere inside downstairs outside upstairs underneath behind somewhere	sincere interfere sphere adhere severe persevere atmosphere mere hemisphere austere	amateur ancient bargain muscle queue recognise twelfth identity develop harass Convert nouns	Review Week
2	vowels in polysyllabic words	prefixes de- and re-	prefix over-	or verbs into adjectives using suffix -ful	or verbs into adjectives using suffix - ive	or verbs into adjectives using suffix -al	
Spelling words of the week.	definite desperate literate secretary stationary dictionary Wednesday familiar original animal	deflate deform decode decompose defuse recycle rebuild rewrite replace revisit	overthrow overturn overslept overcook overreact overestimate overuse overpaid overlook overlook	boastful faithful doubtful fearful thankful beautiful Pitiful plentiful fanciful merciful	attractive creative addictive assertive abusive co- operative exhaustive appreciative offensive expressive	musical political accidental mathematical functional tropical profession al central global industrial	