



Spelling Lists

Year 6 Statutory National Curriculum Spellings

These words have been divided into half termly spellings. Children must know the meaning of each word as well as how to spell them. We encourage children to use these words in their writing.

Autumn 1 st half	Autumn 2 nd half	Spring 1 st half	Spring 2 nd half	Summer 1 st half	Summer 2 nd half
accommodation accompany according desperate disastrous embarrass exaggerate foreign harass occur	aggressive apparent committee guarantee interrupt leisure marvellous necessary occupy Cemetery.	appreciate attached communicate privilege profession programme queue sacrifice category correspond	average community secretary signature sufficient suggest temperature variety vegetable vehicle yacht.	Revise all previous years	Revise all previous years

Spelling Patterns

Revise Words ending '-able' / '-ably', and '-ible' / '-ibly' e.g. Horribly predictably Teach Adding suffixes beginning with vowels to words ending in '-fer' e.g. Transfer, transferred, transferring. Referee, refereeing	Homophones ('ce'/'se') e.g. practice/ practise. Endings that sound like /jəs/ spelt '-cious' or '-tious' e.g Spacious infectious	Words with 'ough' letter string. Eg. dough, rough, bough, plough, thorough. Words ending '-cial' and '-tial' e.g. special essential	Homophones (<i>dessert/</i> <i>desert, stationery/</i> <i>stationary,</i> <i>complement/</i> <i>compliment, principle/</i> <i>principal,</i> <i>prophet/profit</i>) Generating words from prefixes and Morphology (roots) and entomology (where words originate from and their meaning) e.g. aqua/ aquamarine.	Words ending in 'ant', '- ance and '-ancy' e.g. tolerance, tolerant. infant infancy	Words ending '-ent', '- ence' and '-ency' e.g. coherence Homophones (<i>draught/</i> <i>draft, dissent/descent,</i> <i>precede/proceed, wary/</i> <i>wear</i>)
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Homophones

advise and advise - device and devise - licence and license – practice and practise - compliment and complement - desert and dessert - principal and principle – profit and prophet - stationary and stationery - draft and draught - dissent and descent