

Spelling Overview

Statutory requirements	Term 1			
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
SET 1				
Endings that sound like /ʃəs/ spelt -cious	vicious	precious	delicious	suspicious
Endings that sound like /ʃəs/ spelt -tious	ambitious	cautious	fictitious	nutritious
Endings which sound like /ʃəl/ spelt -cial	social	special	official	artificial
	crucial	facial	racial	antisocial
Endings which sound like /ʃəl/ spelt -tial	partial	martial	confidential	essential
	initial	spatial	palatial	credential
Extension	malicious	infectious	spacious	atrocious
	unofficial	superficial	residential	substantial
Word list	according	aggressive	attached	average
	achieve	ancient	available	awkward
SET 2	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Words ending in -ant	distant	elegant	important	ignorant
Words ending in -ance	distance	elegance	importance	ignorance
Words ending in -ant	tolerant	relevant	reluctant	dominant
Words ending in -ance	tolerance	relevance	reluctance	dominance
Words ending in -ent	innocent	intelligent	different	confident
Words ending in -ence	innocence	intelligence	difference	confidence
Extension	radiance	fragrance	disturbance	inheritance
	insistence	residence	violence	obedience
Word list	bargain	community	determined	dictionary
	bruise	competition	develop	disastrous
SET 3	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Words ending in -able or -ably	reliable	understandable	reasonable	comfortable
	reliably	understandably	reasonably	comfortably
	excitable	agreeable	useable	likeable
Words ending in -ible or -ibly	possible	horrible	terrible	incredible
	possibly	horribly	terribly	incredibly
	visible	convertible	responsible	sensible
Extension	laughable	respectable	unbelievable	irritable
	gullible	collectible	reversible	accessible
Word list	equipment	excellent	explanation	forty
	especially	existence	familiar	government



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SET 1				
Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in -fer	refer	transfer	prefer	confer
	referring	transferring	preferring	conferring
	referred	transferred	preferred	conferred
	reference	transference	preference	conference
Use of the hyphen with prefix co-	co-ordinate	co-author	co-own	co-operate
Use of the hyphen with prefix re-	re-examine	re-enter	re-elect	re-escape
Extension	referee	differ	suffer	pilfer
	referral	differed	suffered	pilfered
Word list	identity	individual	lightning	muscle
	immediate	language	leisure	necessary
SET 2	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Words with the /i:/ sound spelt ie	field	chief	grief	mischief
	fierce	pierce	achieve	believe
Words with the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c	ceiling	receive	deceit	receipt
(Exceptions to the i before e except after c rule)	species	fancies	sufficient	efficient
	society	ancient	science	glacier
Exceptions to the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c	protein	caffeine	seize	either
Extension	perceive	receiver	deceive	deceitful
	diesel	hygiene	retrieve	siege
Word list	neighbour	occupy	opportunity	physical
	nuisance	occur	parliament	profession
SET 3	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Words containing the letter-string ough	ought	bought	thought	fought
	nought	brought	thoughtful	sought
	rough	tough	enough	cough
	though	although	dough	doughnut
	thorough	borough	trough	through
	plough	bough	drought	overwrought
Extension	roughest	toughest	ploughman	thoroughly
	fraught	distraught	slaughter	mistaught
Word list	programme	recognise	rhyme	shoulder
	queue	restaurant	secretary	signature

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SET 1				
Words with "silent" letters: silent k	knew	knight	knot	knuckle
silent w	wrestle	wrinkle	answer	wreck
silent b	bomb	climb	thumb	crumb
silent t	fasten	listen	thistle	whistle
silent h	honest	hour	ghost	exhaust
silent s	island	aisle	debris	isle
Extension	plumber	succumb	doubt	doubtful
	honour	heir	rhinoceros	rhombus
Word list	sincere	stomach	symbol	twelfth
	soldier	suggest	system	vegetable
SET 2	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Homophones and near-homophones	farther	led	desert	past
	father	lead	dessert	passed
	band	baron	flaw	currant
	banned	barren	floor	current
	heard	bridal	steal	foul
	herd	bridle	steel	fowl
	aloud	cereal	bored	pause
	allowed	serial	board	paws
Extension	guessed	morning	draft	cymbal
	guest	mourning	draught	symbol
	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
	Revision	Test		