



Year 4 Spelling LTP



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Spring 2	Words ending -sion Many 'sion' words are formed from verbs ending in 'se'	Words ending -ssion - ssion is used if the root word ends in -ss or -mit	Words ending -cian -cian is used if the root word ends in -c or -cs	Words ending -tion (Y2/3)-tion is used if the root word ends in -t or -te	Suffix -ous If the word ends in 'y' change it to an 'i' and add 'ous'. In words with 'our', change to 'or' before adding 'ous'	Words ending -sion Many 'sion' words are formed from verbs ending in 'd' or 'de'	Words ending -sion Many 'sion' words are formed from verbs ending in 'd' or 'de'
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Summer 2	Homophones/ Near Homophones long ó (Y1/2) some words sound the same as another but are spelt differently or have a different meaning	Homophones/ Near Homophones long i (Y1/2) some words sound the same as another but are spelt differently or have a different meaning	Homophones/ Near Homophones some words sound the same as another but are spelt differently or have a different meaning	Homophones/ Near Homophones some words sound the same as another but are spelt differently or have a different meaning	Irregular past tense 'd' to 't' The 'd' changes to 't' to form the past tense in these words.	Irregular past tense 'eep' to 'ept' 'eep' changes to 'ept' to form the past tense in these words.	Singular to plural These words are the same in the singular and plural form.



Year 4 Spellings - Autumn 1



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		SF Rule: 6	SF Rule: 5	SF Rule: 5	SF Rule: 5		
1	natural	divide	city	clockwise	biography	sense	visible
2	supernatural	subdivide	intercity	anticlockwise	autobiography	nonsense	invisible
3	human	heading	act	septic	graph	stop	dependent
4	superhuman	subheading	interact	antiseptic	autograph	nonstop	independent
5	market	marine	national	social	focus	fiction	accurate
6	supermarket	submarine	international	antisocial	autofocus	nonfiction	inaccurate
7	star	total	related	freeze	pilot	starter	ability
8	superstar	subtotal	interrelated	antifreeze	autopilot	nonstarter	inability
Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4							
9	surprise	special	centre	accident	caught	question	interest
10	suppose	straight	certain	address	naughty	possession	increase
11	sentence	strange	often	appear	although	notice	imagine
12	separate	strength	complete	arrive	though	woman	important

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	SF Rule: 4	SF Rule: 4		SF Rule: 6	SF Rule: 1	SF Rule: 1	SF Rule: 7
1	perfect	mature	deflate	redo	begin	garden	inform
2	imperfect	immature	demist	refresh	beginning	gardener	information
3	patient	mortal	defrost	return	beginner	gardening	adore
4	impatient	immortal	decrease	reappear	forget	gardened	adoration
5	possible	moral	defuse	redecorate	forgetting	limit	prepare
6	impossible	immoral	deactivate	recycle	forgotten	limiting	preparation
7	proper	mobile	decode	replace	prefer	limited	admire
8	improper	immobile	deforestation	reuse	preferred	limitation	admiration
Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4							
9	experiment	remember	decide	recent	pressure	early	continue
10	quarter	material	describe	ordinary	probably	island	answer
11	medicine	minute	calendar	different	promise	perhaps	believe
12	women	mention	consider	opposite	disappear	therefore	guide
13	February	grammar	popular	peculiar	particular	natural	position

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	SF Rule: 7	SF Rule: 11/12	SF Rule: 11/12	SF Rule: 11/12	SF Rule: 20	SF Rule: 20	
1	fixate	fabulous	danger	fame	girls'	people's	babies'
2	fixation	tremendous	dangerous	famous	boys'	children's	ladies'
3	elevate	enormous	mountain	adventure	dogs'	men's	families'
4	elevation	curious	mountainous	adventurous	rabbits'	women's	armies'
5	restore	hideous	poison	outrage	parents'	mice's	parties'
6	restoration	courteous	poisonous	outrageous	farmers'	geese's	galaxies'
7	inflame	obvious	hazard	courage	teachers'	teeth's	berries'
8	inflammation	serious	hazardous	courageous	friends'	postmen's	discoveries'

Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4

9	guard	group	favourite	height	learn	through	extreme
10	actual	purpose	history	eight	heard	thought	exercise
11	actually	regular	library	eighth	heart	breath	experience
12	busy	knowledge	reign	weight	earth	breathe	century
13	business	difficult	build	enough	length	bicycle	circle

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	SF Rule: 10	SF Rule: 13/14	SF Rule: 13/14	SF Rule: 13/14	SF Rule: 11/12	SF Rule: 10	SF Rule: 13/14
1	confuse	permit	electric	complete	vary	divide	extend
2	confusion	permission	electrician	completion	various	division	extension
3	televise	admit	magic	dictate	humour	invade	expand
4	television	admission	magician	dictation	humorous	invasion	expansion
5	fuse	express	mathematics	relate	glamour	collide	comprehend
6	fusion	expression	mathematician	relation	glamorous	collision	comprehension
7	supervise	confess	politics	rotate	vigour	decide	attend
8	supervision	confession	politician	rotation	vigorous	decision	attention**

Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4

	Spellingframe CEW 25	Spellingframe CEW 25	Spellingframe CEW 26	Spellingframe CEW 26	Spellingframe CEW 27	Spellingframe CEW 27	Spellingframe CEW 27/28
9	accident	believe	calendar	build	early	continue	disappear
10	appear	bicycle	breath	caught	earth	decide	eight
11	accidentally	actual	breathe	centre	circle	describe	eighth
12	address	actually	busy	century	complete	different	enough
13	answer	arrive	business	certain	consider	difficult	exercise

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	SF Rule: 17	SF Rule: 18	SF Rule: 9		SF Rule: 15	SF Rule: 16	SF Rule: 17
1	unique	science	creature	teacher	scheme	chef	league
2	antique	scene	furniture	stretcher	chorus	chalet	tongue
3	boutique	discipline	picture	richer	chemist	machine	plague
4	mosque	fascinate	nature	catcher	echo	brochure	dialogue
5	plaque	crescent	adventure	scorcher	character	charade	rogue
6	cheque	ascend	feature	searcher	school	crochet	vague
7	opaque	descend	fracture	sketcher	ache	parachute	catalogue
8	grotesque	scissors	puncture	watcher	monarch	champagne	monologue

Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4

	Spellingframe CEW 28	Spellingframe CEW 29	Spellingframe CEW 29	Spellingframe CEW 30	Spellingframe CEW 30	Spellingframe CEW 31	Spellingframe CEW 31
9	famous	guide	history	imagine	knowledge	medicine	notice
10	experience	forward	guard	increase	learn	mention	often
11	experiment	fruit	heard	important	length	minute	occasionally
12	extreme	grammar	heart	interest	library	naughty	opposite
13	favourite	group	height	island	material	natural	various

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	SF Rule: 23		SF Rule: 21/22	SF Rule: 21/24			
1	groan	site	medal	fair	bend	keep	aircraft
2	grown	sight	meddle	fare	bent	kept	offspring
3	road	time	accept	weather	lend	sweep	species
4	rode	thyme	except	whether	lent	swept	sheep
5	thrown	tire	berry	who's	send	sleep	moose
6	throne	tyre	bury	whose	sent	slept	fish
7	lone	drier	ball	rain	spend	creep	salmon
8	loan	dryer	bawl	reign	spent	crept	deer

Common exception words Year 3/ Year 4

	Spellingframe CEW 32	Spellingframe CEW 32	Spellingframe CEW 33	Spellingframe CEW 33	Spellingframe CEW 34	Spellingframe CEW 35	Spellingframe CEW 36
9	ordinary	position	probably	recent	separate	therefore	Random selection of Year 3/ Year 4 words.
10	particular	possess	promise	regular	special	through	
11	peculiar	possession	purpose	reign	strange	thought	
12	perhaps	possibly	quarter	remember	strength	though	
13	popular	potatoes	question	sentence	suppose	woman	
14					surprise	women	

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