

SPELLING LIST TERM 2 2023 – Year 6 word list

Below are the ten spellings that your child needs to learn each week. The first five spellings are taken from the y5/6 statutory word list and the second five spellings are taken from the Rising Stars scheme, which is used in class to teach spelling patterns. Please support your child to learn their spellings each week. Spelling tests take place each Friday. Suggested challenge activities are on the second page.

Test date	10.11.23	17.11.23	24.11.23	01.12.23	08.12.23	15.12.23
Words to learn from the y5/6 list Spelling tests will take place every Friday.	correspond criticise curiosity definite desperate	determined develop dictionary disastrous embarrass	environment equip equipped equipment especially	exaggerate excellent existence explanation familiar	foreign forty frequently government guarantee	harass hindrance identity immediate immediately
Spelling pattern taught in class (selection of words shown)	Focus: use of the hyphen	Focus: Y5/6 statutory words – using strategies to spell	Focus: spelling pattern 'gue' / 'que'	Focus: spelling pattern ch 'k' sound / ch 'sh' sound	Focus: re-cap y3/4 spellings	Focus: review of TI spellings
RISING STARS	re-enter man-eating x-ray re-cover co-operate anti-social	parliament privilege persuade physical queue	vague colleague league antique unique	scheme stomach architect moustache brochure	believe naughty surprise strength length	accommodate ancient bargain category conscious

Challenge Activities

Spelling Challenge Activity

Define it

Write a definition for each spelling, using a dictionary to help.

continue – to carry on doing something.

Spelling Challenge Activity

Vowels and Consonants

Write each of your spelling words using a blue pen for the vowels and a red for the consonants.

des**cri**b**e**

Spelling Challenge Activity

Mnemonic

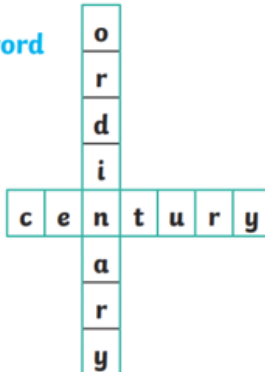
Make a mnemonic for each of your spellings.

little
elephants
are
really
nice

Spelling Challenge Activity

Crossword

Using squared paper, draw boxes for each of your spellings so that they cross other words at matching letters. Remember to number each spelling and write a clue at the bottom. Give it to a friend to complete and check that they have spelt the words correctly.



Spelling Challenge Activity

Book of Spellings

Create a booklet of your spelling words and arrange them in alphabetical order. You could illustrate each spelling too.



Spelling Challenge Activity

Be a Teacher

Ask someone to write your spellings out but with one or two mistakes. Be a teacher and mark the spellings, correcting any mistakes.

disappeer
disappear