

Spelling Overview

Statutory requirements	Term 1			
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
SET 1				
Endings that sound like /ʃas/ spelt -cious	vicious	precious	delicious	suspicious
Endings that sound like /ʃas/ 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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	conscious	malicious	gracious	spacious
Endings that sound like /ʃəs/ spelt -tious	fractious	scrumptious	repetitious	flirtatious
Endings which sound like /ʃəl/ spelt -cial	financial	sacrificial	multiracial	unofficial
	beneficial	prejudicial	commercial	superficial
Endings which sound like /ʃəl/ spelt -tial	impartial	residential	potential	substantial
Extension	infectious	pretentious	conscientious	superstitious
	sequential	preferential	influential	torrential
Word list	accommodate	amateur	appreciate	cemetery
	accompany	apparent	category	committee
SET 2	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Words ending in -ant, -ance, -ancy (-ation endings are often a clue)	observe	expect	hesitate	dominate
	observation	expectation	hesitation	domination
	observant	expectant	hesitant	dominant
	observance	expectancy	hesitancy	dominance
Words ending in -ent, -ence, -ency	patient	efficient	transparent	frequent
	patience	efficiency	transparency	frequency
Extension	assistant	obedient	independent	consistent
	assistance	obedience	independence	consistency
Word list	communicate	conscience	convenience	criticise
	controversy	conscious	correspond	curiosity
SET 3	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Words ending in -able, -ably (used if there is a related -ation ending)	adore	tolerate	consider	apply
	adoration	toleration	consideration	application
	adorable	tolerable	considerable	applicable
	adorably	tolerably	considerably	applicably
Words ending in -able after -ce or -ge	changeable	manageable	rechargeable	knowledgeable
	noticeable	irreplaceable	untraceable	unpronounceable
Extension	tangible	negligible	eligible	unintelligible
	forcible	invincible	reducible	producible
Word list	definite	embarrass	equipped desperate	foreign
	desperate	environment	exaggerate	frequently

