This is a termly weekly spelling list, through which all key phonemes, clusters, digraphs or rules are covered from the National Curriculum September 2014. Key aspects or spelling rules to be focussed on that week, are indicated in brackets.

These lists of words will be sent home on Wednesdays to be learnt with parents over the remainder of the week, before the children are tested the following Wednesday.

Test Date: 16/09/20	Test Date: 23/09/20	
(plurals - adding <b>s</b> to nouns; <b>es</b> to nouns ending <b>s</b> ,	(plurals for words ending 'f' and 'fe'; change f to	
x, ch, sh; changing y to i and adding es; add s to	<b>v</b> and add <b>es</b> ; nouns ending in <b>o</b> , add <b>es</b> )	
nouns when the letter before the <b>y</b> is a <b>vowel</b> )		
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1. stars	1. wolves	
2. plates	2. scarves	
3. horses	3. loaves	
4. clouds	4. calves	
5. dishes	5. knives	
6. torches	6. cliffs (exception)	
7. bushes	7. chiefs (exception)	
8. foxes	8. volcanoes	
9. babies	9. potatoes	
10. cherries	10. tomatoes	
11. boys	11. hippos (exception)	
12. keys	12. cellos (exception)	
	13. cuckoos (exception)	
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Test Date: 14/10/20 (using suffixes) * to add a suffix when the word ends with a y (but sounds like i in tin), change the y to i and add the suffix.	Test Date: 21/10/20 (maths and science words)
<ol> <li>marry</li> <li>married</li> <li>marriage</li> <li>funny</li> <li>funnily</li> <li>funnier</li> <li>geology</li> <li>geological</li> <li>melody</li> <li>melodious</li> <li>bounty</li> <li>bountiful</li> <li>skill</li> <li>skilful</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>addition</li> <li>subtraction</li> <li>multiplication</li> <li>division</li> <li>parallel</li> <li>horizontal</li> <li>vertical</li> <li>circumference</li> <li>evaporation</li> <li>condensation</li> <li>respiration</li> <li>apparatus</li> <li>laboratory</li> </ol>
<b>Test Date: 04/11/20</b> (ph words – ph come from the Greek language)	Test Date: 11/11/20 (tricky words 1)
<ol> <li>graph</li> <li>pheasant</li> <li>phone</li> <li>photo</li> <li>physical</li> <li>alphabet</li> <li>dolphin</li> <li>elephant</li> <li>geography</li> <li>microphone</li> <li>pamphlet</li> <li>sphere</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>familiar</li> <li>yacht</li> <li>amateur</li> <li>scissors</li> <li>wrist</li> <li>build</li> <li>thistle</li> <li>muscle</li> <li>guitar</li> <li>psychology</li> <li>pneumatic</li> <li>occupy</li> <li>embarrassed</li> <li>accommodation</li> <li>exaggeration</li> </ol>

Test Date: 18/11/20	Test Date: 25/11/20	
(Root words)	(word origins - different countries, names, languages, sounds, abbreviations)	
1. bicycle	1. hoist	
2. aquarium	2. easel	
3. aerodynamic	3. burger	
4. supernatural	4. blizzard	
5. microscope	5. okay	
6. audience	6. café	
7. portable	7. restaurant	
8. transfer	8. ballet	
9. primrose	9. kangaroo	
10. autograph	10. dingo	
11. geology	11. kiwi	
12. prehistoric	12. pyjamas	
	13. bungalow	
	14. veranda	
Test Date: 02/12/20	Test Date: 09/12/20	
(unstressed letter sounds)	(tricky words 2)	
1. family	1. committee	
2. boundary	2. communicate	
3. raspberry	3. correspondence	
4. listener	4. embarrass	
5. different	5. guarantee	
6. separate	6. harass	
7. desperate	7. recommend	
8. factory	8. occupation	
9. generally	9. occur	
10. generous	10. opportunity	
11. government	11. suggestion	
12. interesting		

Test Date: 16/12/20	Test Date: 06/01/21		
(tricky words 3)			
(Tricky words 5)	(geography and history words)		
1. immediate	1. castle		
2. community	2. parliament		
3. rough	3. government		
4. enough	4. document		
5. cough	5. revolution		
6. dough	6. longitude		
7. although	7. latitude		
8. thorough	8. ocean		
9. bought	9. peninsular		
10. brought	10. island		
11. thoughtful	11. location		
12. plough	12. settlement		
	13. country		
	14. county		
	15. archaeology		
Test Date: 13/01/21 (Optional - no test	Test Date: 20/01/21		
this week)	(ant, ance at the end of a word)		
(ent, ence, at the end of a word)			
1. silent	1. distant		
2. silence	2. distance		
3. exist	3. assistant		
4. existence	3. assistant 4. assistance		
5. evident			
6. evidence	5. important		
	6. importance		
7. convenient	7. relevant		
8. convenience	8. relevance		
9. excellent	9. nuisance		
10. different	10. restaurant		
11. difference	11. hindrance		
12. environment			
Tast Data: 27/01/21	Tast Data: 02/02/21		
Test Date: 27/01/21	Test Date: 03/02/21		
(silent letters)	(silent letters)		
1. thumb	1. knight		
2. subtle	2. kneel		
3. debt	3. knuckle		
4. solemn	4. wreckage		
5. autumn	5. wrinkle		
6. column	6. swordfish		
7. castle	7. answer		
8. listen	8. scenery		
9. mortgage	9. scissors		
	10. resign		

Test Date: 10/02/21	Test Date: 24/02/21	
(useful connectives)	(Homophones - need to understand the	
	difference in the meaning of the words)	
1. meanwhile	1. break	
2. furthermore	2. brake	
3. therefore	3. threw	
4. however	4. through	
5. nonetheless	5. source	
6. alternatively	6. sauce	
, 7. although	7. site	
8. nevertheless	8. sight	
9. whereas	9. allowed	
10. consequently	10. aloud	
. ,	11. waste	
	12. waist	
	13. peace	
	14. piece	
Test Date: 03/03/21	Test Date: 10/03/21	
(Near Homophones/homophones - need to	( <b>er, or, ar</b> at the end of a word)	
understand the difference in the meaning of the		
words)		
1. advise	1. computer	
2. advice	2. newspaper	
3. devise	3. customer	
4. device	4. soldier	
5. affect	5. shoulder	
6. effect	6. burglar	
7. compliment	7. calendar	
8. complement	8. popular	
9. practice	9. particular	
10. practise	10. similar	
11. license	11. interior	
12. licence	12. superior	
	13. calculator	
	14. radiator	
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Test Date: 17/03/21	Test Date: 24/03/21 (Optional – no test this		
(ery, ory, ary at the end of a word	week)		
	(tricky words 4)		
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1. mystery	1. competition		
2. discovery	2. explanation		
3. cemetery 4. necessary	3. profession		
5. ordinary	4. pronunciation		
6. secretary	5. persuasion		
7. library	6. communication		
8. burglary	7. especially		
9. story	8. incidentally		
10. factory	9. frequently		
11. category			
12. history			
T+ N. +- + 21 /02 /21			
Test Date: 31/03/21	Test Date: 21/04/21		
(tricky words 5)	(tricky words 6)		
1 immediately	1 atomoch		
1. immediately	1. stomach		
2. sincerely	2. criticise		
3. faithfully	3. prejudice		
4. equipment	4. privilege		
5. development	5. leisure		
6. embarrassment	6. soldier		
7. disastrous	7. vehicle		
8. marvellous	8. hindrance		
9. mischievous	9. foreign 10. queue		
Test Date: 28/04/21	Test Date: 05/05/21		
(a plus double letters)	(ie and ei words) *i comes before e except after c or		
	when the sound is not <b>ee</b>		
1. announce	1. belief		
2. anniversary	2. hygiene		
3. applaud	3. believe		
4. attached	4. patient		
5. assembly	5. achieve		
6. attention	6. receive		
7. accommodate	7. perceive		
8. accompany	8. either		
9. according	9. protein		
10. aggressive	10. rein		
11. appreciate	11. sufficient (exception)		
12. apparent	12. ancient (exception)		

Test Date: 12/05/21 (Optional - no test this	Test Date: 19/05/21 (Optional - no test this	
week)	week)	
(unstressed vowel sounds)	(tricky words 7)	
1. explanatory	1. conscience	
2. environment	2. bruise	
3. secretary	3. variety	
4. jewellery	4. bargain	
5. poisonous	5. awkward	
6. company	6. desperate	
7. desperate	7. definite	
8. definitely	8. average	
9. difference	9. rhyme	
10. voluntary	10. rhythm	
11. reference		
12. temperature		
Test Date: 03/06/20 (Optional - no test this	Test Date: 10/06/20 (Optional - no test this	
week)	week)	
(ICT words)	(tricky words 8)	
1. computer	1. controversy	
2. Wi-Fi	2. available	
3. electronic	3. curiosity	
4. hardware	4. determined	
5. software		
6. gigabytes	5. conscious	
7. internet	6. signature	
8. download	7. beginning	
	8. interrupt	
9. memory	9. identity	
10. spreadsheet 11. virus	10. nuisance	
12. mouse		
Test Date: 17/06/20 (Year 5s only)		
(using a dictionary)		
1. letters		
2. words		
3. vowel		
4. consonant		
5. order		
6. alphabet		
7. dictionary		
8. definition		
9. origin		
10. meaning		
11. guide		

12. abbreviation		