

## Year 6 spelling for academic year 2020-2021

### Autumn term

**List 1:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September

Following week is a dictation of sentences to test the application of spelling convention 18<sup>th</sup> September.

|            |            |                  |
|------------|------------|------------------|
| horrible   | adorable   | Additional words |
| terrible   | forgivable | incredibly       |
| possible   | disposable | sensibly         |
| edible     | enjoyable  | reliably         |
| reversible | valuable   | respectably      |
| invincible | breakable  | agreeably        |

**List 2:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on 2<sup>nd</sup> October.

Adding suffixes beginning with vowels to words ending in 'fer'.

|          |                            |              |               |              |
|----------|----------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Refer    | Referral,                  | referred,    | reference     | referring    |
| Prefer   | Preferred,                 | preference,  | preferring    |              |
| Transfer | Transferral or transferral | transferred, | transference, | transferring |

**List 3:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 16<sup>th</sup> October.

Homophones with 'ce' and 'se'

|          |         |          |
|----------|---------|----------|
| Advice   | Licence | Practise |
| Device   | Advise  | License  |
| Practice | Devise  |          |

**List 4:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 6<sup>th</sup> November (Half term in between).

Endings spelt '-cious' or '-tious'

|            |            |            |
|------------|------------|------------|
| Vicious    | Precious   | Conscious  |
| Delicious  | Malicious  | Suspicious |
| Ambitious  | Cautious   | Fictitious |
| Infectious | Nutritious |            |

List 5: Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 20<sup>th</sup> November.

Statutory words

|             |            |             |
|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Accommodate | Foreign    | Marvellous  |
| Available   | Government | Mischievous |
| Committee   | Hindrance  | Necessary   |
| Criticise   | Interfere  | Parliament  |
| Disastrous  | Leisure    | Physical    |
| Rhythm      | Sufficient | Vehicle     |
| Sincerely   | Thorough   |             |

List 6: Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 4<sup>th</sup> December.

Words and their plurals

|             |           |               |           |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| Communicate | Familiar  | Neighbour     | Queue     |
| Conscience  | Guarantee | Nuisance      | Recommend |
| Dictionary  | Harass    | Opportunity   | Sacrifice |
| Exaggerate  | Interrupt | Prejudice     | Secretary |
| Existence   | Muscle    | Privilege     |           |
|             |           | Pronunciation |           |

List 7: Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 18<sup>th</sup> December.

Christmas related words

|            |             |              |            |
|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| Christmas  | Bethlehem   | Mistletoe    | Wreath     |
| Yuletide   | Cranberry   | Poinsettia   | Blitzen    |
| Reindeer   | decorations | Announcement | Traditions |
| Ceremonies | Icicles     | Chimney      | Sleigh     |

## Year 6 spelling for Spring term

**List 8:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January

Following week is a dictation of sentences to test the application of spelling convention on the 15<sup>th</sup> January.

Words with a hyphen

|           |            |                |
|-----------|------------|----------------|
| Re-enter  | Co-operate | Quick-thinking |
| Re-invent | Co-own     | Carbon-neutral |
| No-one    | Well-being | Sugar-free     |
|           | Well-known |                |

**List 9:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 22<sup>th</sup> January.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on 29<sup>th</sup> January.

Words spelt with 'cial'

|            |           |          |             |
|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Artificial | Crucial   | Glacial  | Sacrificial |
| Beneficial | Facial    | Official | Special     |
| Commercial | Financial | Racial   | Social      |
|            |           |          | Superficial |

**List 10:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 12<sup>th</sup> February.

Words that are homophones

|                |                 |                    |
|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Break / Brake  | Meat / Meet     | Mourning / Morning |
| Weight / Wait  | Male / Mail     | Weather / Whether  |
| Piece / Peace  | Affect / Effect | Stationary         |
| Through/ Threw | Who's / Whose   | / Stationery       |

**List 11:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February (After half term).

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 5<sup>th</sup> March.

Words with prefixes

|               |              |                |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| Autocorrect   | Profession   | Transport      |
| Automatic     | Professional | Transpire      |
| Autopilot     | Protest      | Transplant     |
| Autograph     | Procession   | Transformation |
| Autobiography | Proclaim     | Translate      |

**List 12:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March

Following week is a dictation of sentences to test the application of spelling convention on the 19<sup>th</sup> March.

Words with prefixes

|            |            |              |
|------------|------------|--------------|
| Biplane    | Antiseptic | Supermarket  |
| Bilingual  | Antibody   | Superman     |
| Bicuspid   | Antisocial | Superior     |
| Television | Antifreeze | Interrelated |

**List 13:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March.

Following week is a dictation of sentences on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April (after Easter holidays).

Words with prefixes

|                |                  |               |                |
|----------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Circumstance   | Extracurricular  | Semidetached  | Circumstance   |
| Circumnavigate | Extraordinary    | Semicolon     | Circumnavigate |
| Circumference  | Extraterrestrial | Semi-complete | Circumference  |
| Circumstantial | Extrapolate      | Semi-critical | Circumstantial |

### Year 6 spelling for Summer term

**List 14:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the 30<sup>th</sup> April.

Statutory spellings

|             |            |             |
|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Accommodate | Foreign    | Marvellous  |
| Available   | Government | Mischievous |
| Committee   | Hindrance  | Necessary   |
| Criticise   | Interfere  | Parliament  |

**List 15:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May

Following this is SATs, there will be no dictation.

Week of 17<sup>th</sup> - break followed by INSET and half term.

Spelling - Year 5 & 6 statutory words

|             |           |             |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| Communicate | Familiar  | Neighbour   |
| Conscience  | Guarantee | Nuisance    |
| Dictionary  | Harass    | Opportunity |
| Exaggerate  | Interrupt | Prejudice   |

|               |           |           |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Existence     | Muscle    | Privilege |
| Pronunciation | Queue     | Sacrifice |
|               | Recommend | Secretary |

**List 16:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> and dictation June.

Dictation in same week as test as week of the 14-18<sup>th</sup> is Hindhead.

Spellings - 'anti', 'ance' and 'ancy'

|             |              |             |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| hesitant    | hesitance    | Hesitancy   |
| acceptant   | acceptance   | Acceptancy  |
| Militant    |              | Militancy   |
| Consultant  |              | Consultancy |
| Attendant   | attendance   |             |
| distant     | distance     |             |
| Instant     | Instance     |             |
| Significant | Significance |             |

**List 17:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

Spelling - 'ent', 'ence', 'ency'

|             |              |            |
|-------------|--------------|------------|
| confident   | Confidence   |            |
| intelligent | intelligence |            |
| resident    | Residence    | residency  |
| violent     | Violence     |            |
| existent    | Existence    |            |
| absorbent   | Absorbance   | Absorbency |
| Agent       |              | Agency     |

**List 18:** Individual spelling words to be tested on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July

Following week is a dictation of sentences on the Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July.

Spelling - more homophones.

|            |            |
|------------|------------|
| dissent    | Descent    |
| precede    | Proceed    |
| draft      | Draught    |
| profit     | Prophet    |
| compliment | Complement |
| licence    | license    |