



St Oswald's Catholic Primary School

Year 4 Spelling Overview

Term	Spelling Rule	Common exception word
Autumn 1	Week 1 – End of Year 3 Assessment	Revisit Year 2 words
	Week 2 - Consolidation – sessions chosen based on assessment	Revisit Year 2 words
	Week 3 – Consolidation – sessions chosen based on assessment	Revisit Year 2 words
	Week 4 – Unit 1 Adding the prefix mis- and revising un-, in-, dis-	accident(ally) actual(ly) address answer
	Week 5 – Unit 1 Adding the prefix mis- and revising un-, in-, dis-	appear arrive believe bicycle breath breathe
	Week 6 – Unit 2 Words ending in zhuh spelt -sure	build busy/business calendar caught centre
	Week 7 – Unit 2 Words ending in zhuh spelt -sure	century certain circle complete consider continue
Autumn 2	Week 1 – Unit 3 Adding the prefix auto -	decide describe different difficult disappear early
	Week 2 – Unit 3 Adding the prefix auto -	earth eight/eighth enough exercise experience
	Week 3 – Unit 4 Adding the suffix -ly	experiment extreme famous favourite forward(s)
	Week 4 – Unit 4 Adding the suffix -ly	February fruit grammar group guard guide
	Week 5 - Unit 5 Adding the prefix inter-	heard heart height history imagine increase
	Week 6 – Unit 5 Adding the prefix inter-	Important interest island knowledge learn length
	Week 7 – Special Focus 1 and 2	library material medicine mention minute natural
Spring 1	Week 1 – Unit 6 Words with the ay sound spelt eigh, ei, ey.	naughty notice occasion(ally) often opposite
	Week 2 - Unit 6 Words with the ay sound spelt eigh, ei, ey.	ordinary particular peculiar perhaps popular position
	Week 3 – Unit 7 Words ending in out -ous	possess(ion) possible potatoes pressure probably
	Week 4 – Unit 7 Words ending in out -ous	promise purpose quarter question recent regular
	Week 5 – Unit 8 Words with the s sound spelt sc.	reign remember sentence separate special straight
	Week 6 – Unit 8 Words with the s sound spelt sc.	strength suppose surprise therefore though/although
Spring 2	Week 1 – Special Focus 3 and 4	Strange thought through various weight woman/women
	Week 2 - Unit 9 Words ending in zhun spelt -sion	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 3 – Unit 9 Words ending in zhun spelt -sion	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 4 – Unit 10 Adding il- and revising un-, in-, mis-, dis-	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 5 – Unit 10 Adding il- and revising un-, in-, mis-, dis-	Revisit and consolidate
Summer 1	Week 1 – Unit 11 The c sound spelt -que and the g sound spelt -gue	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 2 – Unit 11 The c sound spelt -que and the g sound spelt -gue	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 3 – Unit 12 Adding the ir- to words beginning with r	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 4 – Unit 12 Adding the ir- to words beginning with r	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 5 – Unit 13 Adding the suffix -ion	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 6 – Unit 13 Adding the suffix -ion	Revisit and consolidate
Summer 2	Week 1 – Unit 14 Adding the suffix -ion 2	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 2 – Unit 14 Adding the suffix -ion 2	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 3 – End of Year 4 assessment and consolidation	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 4 – Consolidation	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 5 – Consolidation	Revisit and consolidate
	Week 6 – Consolidation	Revisit and consolidate