

Sacred Heart RC Primary School

'Where Every Heart is Sacred'



Year 4

Spelling Programme

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Objectives that are in pink are a Y3/Y4 statutory requirement and individual words highlighted pink are from the Y3/Y4 statutory spelling list. The additional sets revise previously visited spelling rules from lower year groups; practise a spelling rule linked to a Y3/Y4 statutory spelling word or relate to a word, sentence or punctuation objective from the English Appendix 2 of the NC 2014. Each set of spellings contains 10 words linked to the objective.

Autumn Term

Week 1 Words with /aw/ spelt with augh and au	Week 2 Adding in the prefix in- (meaning 'not')
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. caught 2. naughty 3. taught 4. daughter 5. autumn 6. clause 7. cause 8. astronaut 9. applaud 10. author 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. inactive 2. incorrect 3. inaccurate 4. insecure 5. indefinite 6. incomplete 7. infinite 8. inedible 9. inability 10. indecisive
Week 3 Adding the prefix im- (before a root word starting with 'm' or 'p')	Week 4 Adding the prefix il- (before a root word starting with 'l') and the prefix ir- (before a root word starting with 'r')
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. immature 2. immeasurable 3. impossible 4. immortal 5. imperfect 6. impatient 7. immovable 8. impolite 9. important 10. improper 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. illegal 2. illegible 3. illogical 4. illiterate 5. illicit 6. irregular 7. irrelevant 8. irresponsible 9. irrational 10. irresistible
Week 5 Homophones and near homophones	Week 6 Words with the /shun/ sound spelt with 'sion' (if root word ends with 'se', 'de' or 'd')
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. medal 2. meddle 3. missed 4. mist 5. scene 6. seen 7. board 8. bored 9. which 10. witch 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. division 2. invasion 3. confusion 4. decision 5. collision 6. television 7. revision 8. erosion 9. inclusion 10. explosion

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 7</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Words with the /shun/ sound spelt with 'sion' (if root word ends with 'se', 'de' or 'd')</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 8</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Words with the /shun/ sound spelt with 'ssion' (if root word ends with 'ss' or 'mit')</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. expansion 2. extension 3. comprehension 4. tension 5. corrosion 6. supervision 7. fusion 8. collision 9. persuasion 10. suspension 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. expression 2. discussion 3. confession 4. permission 5. admission 6. transmission 7. possession 8. profession 9. depression 10. impression
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 9</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Words with the /shun/ sound spelt with 'tion' (if root word ends with 'te' or 't')</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 10</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Words with the /shun/ sound spelt with 'cian' (if root word ends with 'c' or 'cs')</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. invention 2. injection 3. action 4. question 5. mention 6. attraction 7. translation 8. devotion 9. position 10. solution 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. musician 2. politician 3. electrician 4. magician 5. mathematician 6. dietician 7. statistician 8. technician 9. clinician 10. beautician
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 11</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Words with 'ough' to make a long /o/ , /oo/ or /or/ sound</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 12</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Statutory spelling challenge words</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. though 2. although 3. dough 4. through 5. breakthrough 6. thought 7. bought 8. brought 9. fought 10. ought 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. interest 2. experiment 3. potatoes 4. favourite 5. imagine 6. material 7. promise 8. opposite 9. minute 10. increase

Spring Term

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 1 Homophones and near homophones</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 2 Homophones and near homophones</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. accept2. except3. affect4. effect5. aloud6. allowed7. weather8. whether9. whose10. who's	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. cereal2. serial3. check4. cheque5. through6. threw7. draft8. draught9. stares10. stairs
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 3 Nouns ending with the suffix -ation</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 4 Nouns ending with the suffix -ation</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. information2. adoration3. sensation4. preparation5. education6. location7. exaggeration8. concentration9. imagination10. organisation	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. creation2. radiation3. indication4. ventilation5. relegation6. dedication7. demonstration8. abbreviation9. translation10. vibration
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 5 Adding the prefix sub- (meaning 'under') and adding the prefix super- (meaning 'above')</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 6 Plural possessive apostrophes with plural words</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. submerge2. subheading3. submarine4. subordinate5. subway6. superman7. supervise8. supersede9. superpower10. superhuman	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. girls'2. boys'3. babies'4. parents'5. teachers'6. women's7. men's8. children's9. people's10. mice's

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 7 Words with the /s/ sound spelt with 'sc'</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 8 Words with a 'soft c' spelt with 'ce'</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. science 2. crescent 3. discipline 4. fascinate 5. scent 6. scissors 7. ascent 8. descent 9. scientist 10. scenery 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. centre 2. century 3. certain 4. recent 5. experience 6. sentence 7. notice 8. celebrate 9. ceremony 10. certificate
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 9 Words with a 'soft c' spelt with 'ci'</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 10 Word families based on common words, showing how words are related in form and meaning</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. circle 2. decide 3. medicine 4. exercise 5. special 6. cinema 7. decimal 8. accident 9. city 10. citizen 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. phone 2. phonics 3. microphone 4. telephone 5. homophone 6. real 7. reality 8. realistic 9. unreal 10. realisation
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 11 Word families based on common words, showing how words are related in form and meaning</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 12 Statutory spelling challenge words</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. solve 2. solution 3. insoluble 4. dissolve 5. solvent 6. sign 7. signature 8. assign 9. design 10. signal 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. length 2. strength 3. purpose 4. history 5. different 6. difficult 7. separate 8. suppose 9. therefore 10. knowledge

Summer Term

<p>Week 1 Adding the prefix inter- (meaning 'between' or 'among')</p>	<p>Week 2 Adding the prefix anti- (meaning 'against')</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. interact2. interfere3. intercity4. international5. intermediate6. internet7. intergalactic8. interrupt9. intervene10. interlude	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. antiseptic2. anti-clockwise3. antisocial4. antidote5. antibiotic6. anti-venom7. anti-ageing8. antifreeze9. antiperspirant10. antigravity
<p>Week 3 Adding the prefix auto- (meaning 'self' or 'own')</p>	<p>Week 4 Adding the prefix ex- (meaning 'out')</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. autograph2. autobiography3. automatic4. autofocus5. autocorrect6. autopilot7. autopsy8. automobile9. autonomy10. autocue	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. exit2. extend3. explode4. excursion5. exchange6. export7. exclaim8. expel9. external10. exterior
<p>Week 5 Adding the prefix non- (meaning 'not')</p>	<p>Week 6 Words ending in -ar / -er</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. non-stick2. non-stop3. non-starter4. non-smoker5. nonsense6. non-fiction7. non-drip8. non-violent9. non-profit10. non-believer	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. calendar2. grammar3. regular4. particular5. peculiar6. popular7. consider8. remember9. quarter10. integer

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 7 Adding the suffix –ous (no change to root word)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 8 Adding the suffix –ous (no definitive root word)</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. dangerous 2. poisonous 3. mountainous 4. joyous 5. cancerous 6. hazardous 7. riotous 8. perilous 9. momentous 10. scandalous 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. tremendous 2. enormous 3. jealous 4. serious 5. hideous 6. fabulous 7. curious 8. anxious 9. obvious 10. gorgeous
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 9 Adding the suffix –ous (words ending in ‘y’ become ‘i’ and words ending in ‘our’ become ‘or’)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 10 Adding the suffix –ous (words ending in ‘e’ drop the ‘e’ but not ‘ge’)</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. various 2. furious 3. glorious 4. victorious 5. mysterious 6. humorous 7. glamorous 8. vigorous 9. odorous 10. rigorous 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. famous 2. nervous 3. ridiculous 4. carnivorous 5. herbivorous 6. porous 7. adventurous 8. courageous 9. outrageous 10. advantageous
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 11 Adverbials of frequency</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 12 Adverbials of manner</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. constantly 2. regularly 3. occasionally 4. frequently 5. rarely 6. perhaps 7. annually 8. usually 9. normally 10. continually 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. awkwardly 2. frantically 3. curiously 4. obediently 5. carefully 6. rapidly 7. unexpectedly 8. deliberately 9. hurriedly 10. reluctantly

