

| Testing period: week commencing | <u>2nd June</u> | <u>9th June</u> | <u>16th June</u> | <u>23rd June</u> | <u>30th June</u> | <u>7th July</u> |
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| Round 1: Key Words | hindrance queue convenience identity | correspond immediately recommend accompany | language sacrifice ancient disastrous | soldier average sincerely equipped | 6 mystery key words learnt this term | 4 mystery spellings from each of the rules this term |
| Round 2: Spelling Rule | <u>Suffixes: -sure, -ture, and -er</u> composure leisure pasture torture feature | <u>Suffixes: -sion</u> intrusion occasion infusion delusion provision | <u>Suffixes: -ous</u> hideous famous joyous anxious furious | <u>Possessive apostrophe with plural words</u> boys' schools' women's pupils' geese's | This week, we will recap the homophones from the summer term. 10 of these words will be in the test: morning/mourning past/passed precede/proceed principal/principle whose/whose for/four addition/edition buy/by/bye fair/fare | |
| Round 3: Mystery Spellings Learn the rule. You will be tested on 5 more words which follow this week's rule. | The ending sounding like /ʒə/ is always spelt -sure . The ending sounding like /tʃə/ is often spelt -ture , but check that the word is not a root word ending in (t)ch with an er ending. | If the ending sounds like /ʒən/, it is spelt as -sion . These nouns are often formed by verbs ending -de or -se. | Sometimes the root word is obvious and the usual rules apply for adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters. Sometimes there is no obvious root word. -our is changed to -or before -ous is added. A final 'e' of the root word must be kept if the /dʒ/ sound of 'g' is to be kept. If there is an /i:/ sound before the -ous ending, it is usually spelt as i, but a few words have e . | The apostrophe is placed after the plural form of the word; -s is not added if the plural already ends in -s , but is added if the plural does not end in -s (i.e. is an irregular plural - e.g. <i>children's</i>). | | |
| Round 4: Homophones | addition/edition | for/four | buy/by/bye | fair/fare | | |