

Your child will be tested on these words weekly alongside the words from the Year 5 Word List.

| Week 1                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Week 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Week 3                                                                                                                                                                         | Week 4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Week 5                                                                                                                                                                                         | Week 6                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Week 7                                                                                                                                                           | Half Term Holiday |
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| <b>Common exception words</b><br>1. Sentence<br>2. Separate<br>3. Special<br>4. Straight<br>5. Strange<br>6. Strength<br>7. Suppose<br>8. Surprise<br>9. Therefore<br>10. Thought                            | <b>Words with the silent letter b (unit 1)</b><br>1) Doubt<br>2) Lamb<br>3) Thumb<br>4) Numb<br>5) Comb<br>6) Climb<br>7) Tomb<br>8) Crumb<br>9) Limb<br>10) Debt<br>11) Subtle                                                                                                                                                             | <b>Words containing the letter-string -ough (special focus 1)</b><br>1) Ought<br>2) plough<br>3) dough<br>4) Nought<br>5) Fought<br>6) Rough<br>7) Tough<br>8) Enough<br>cough | <b>The suffix -ly is added to an adjective to form an adverb (Y4)</b><br>1. Feebly<br>2. Stably<br>3. Ably<br>4. Uncontrollably<br>5. Impressionably<br>6. Fashionably<br>7. Considerably<br>8. Remarkably<br>9. Unforgettably<br>10. Charitably<br>11. precociously<br>12. emotionally<br>13. capriciously | <b>Words ending in -ible (Unit 2)</b><br>1. Possible<br>2. Possibly<br>3. Horrible<br>4. Horribly<br>5. Terrible<br>6. Terribly<br>7. Visible<br>8. Visibly<br>9. Incredible<br>10. incredibly | <b>- Words with the /ei/ sound spelt ei, eigh, or ey</b><br>1. Vein<br>2. Weigh<br>3. Eight<br>4. Neighbour<br>5. Neighbourhood<br>6. neighbourly<br>7. They<br>8. Obey<br>9. Reign<br>10. Prey                                           | <b>Homophones (special focus 2)</b><br>1. Air<br>2. Heir<br>3. Whole<br>4. Hole<br>5. Knot<br>6. Not<br>7. Morning<br>8. Mourning<br>9. Peace<br>10. Piece<br>1. |                   |
| Week 8                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Week 9                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Week 10                                                                                                                                                                        | Week 11                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Week 12                                                                                                                                                                                        | Week 13                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Week 14                                                                                                                                                          | Half Term Holiday |
| <b>Words ending in -able (unit 3)</b><br>1. Adorable<br>2. Applicable<br>3. Considerable<br>4. Tolerable<br>5. Understandable<br>6. Reliable<br>7. Adorable<br>8. Enjoyable<br>9. Miserable<br>10. Breakable | <b>Words can often end in -ance or -any if there is a /ae/ sound or /ei/ sound in the right position – ation ending are a clue</b><br>1. Observation<br>2. Observance<br>3. Observant<br>4. Expectation<br>5. Expectant<br>6. Expectance<br>7. Toleration<br>8. Tolerance<br>9. Tolerant<br>10. Hesitation<br>11. Hesitant<br>12. hesitance | <b>Double letters (special focus)</b><br>1. Accompany<br>2. According<br>3. Appreciate<br>4. Attached<br>5. Accommodate<br>6. Aggressive                                       | <b>ch' with the hard sound (Greek origin) (Y3)</b><br>Scheme<br>Chorus<br>Chemist<br>Echo<br>Character<br><br><b>'ch' with the 'sh' sound (French origin)</b><br>Chef<br>Chalet<br>Machine<br>Brochure<br>champagne                                                                                         | <b>Words with silent t (unit 4)</b><br>1) Fasten<br>2) Listen<br>3) Glisten<br>4) Soften<br>5) Castle<br>6) Rustle<br>7) Hustle<br>8) Bustle<br>9) Jostle<br>10) Whistle                       | <b>Common exception words</b><br>1. Accommodate<br>2. Accompany<br>3. According<br>4. Achieve<br>5. Aggressive<br>6. Amateur<br>7. Ancient<br>8. Apparent<br>9. Appreciate<br>10. Attached<br>11. Awkward<br>12. Cemetery<br>13. Category | <b>Y making a vowel sound (special focus)</b><br>1. rhyme<br>2. rhythm<br>3. symbol<br>4. system<br>5. forty<br>6. curiosity<br>7.                               |                   |

**Common exception words** are words in which the English Spelling code works in an unusual or uncommon way. They are not words for which phonics 'doesn't work', but they may be exceptions to spelling rules, or words which use a particular combination of letters to represent sound patterns in a rare or unique way.