## HIGH LITTLETON CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



**SPELLING PROGRESSION** 

## **Spelling**

Pupils are taught spelling as per Appendix 1 of the English National Curriculum. In EYFS and Year 1, spelling is taught through the daily 'Unlocking Letters and Sounds' phonics session.

From Year 2 pupils have a weekly spelling lesson from the Twinkl scheme of work. Spellings are sent home and tested each week, alongside an additional piece of spelling homework. Spellings are brought into the rest of the curriculum where possible, including in their reading to maximise learning opportunities and embed theory into practice, using it in a range of contexts. Children learn specific spelling rules in line with the National Curriculum objectives.

## Reception

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 3	Phase 3 (Mastery)	Phase 4	Phase 4 (Mastery)
s a t p i n m d g o c k ck e u r h b fff I II ss  Read words with -s ending  Common exception words taught:  the to into no I go	j v w x y z zz qu ch sh th (voiced and unvoiced) ng ai ee igh oa oo oo ar or ur Read words containing -ing endings with no change to the root word  Common exception words taught: me we be he she was you they all	ow oi ear air ure er  Reading and spelling words containing digraphs and trigraphs.  Assess and review Phase 3 work:     j v w x y z zz qu ch sh th ng  Common exception words taught:     are my her  Revisit: me we be he she	Revisit Phase 3 work: ai ee igh oa oo oo ar or ur ow oi ear air ure er  Common exception words revisited:  was you they all are my her	CVCC and CCVC words with adjacent consonants that contain graphemes taught in Phase 2.  Read words containing -ed and -ing endings with no change to the root word.  Common exception words taught:  said have like so do some come were there little one when out what	CVCC and CCVC words with adjacent consonants that contain graphemes taught in Phase 3.  Polysyllabic CVCC and CCVC words, polysyllabic CCVCC words, CCCVCC words, CCCVCC words, CCCVCC words, CCCVCC words.

Year 1

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Phase 4	Phase 5	Phase 5	Phase 5	Phase 5	Phase 5
Revisit Phase 4 work Adding -s and -es as a plural marker for nouns Adding -s and -es as a third person singular marker for verbs Adding the suffixes -ing and -ed to verbs Adding the suffix -er to verbs to change them to nouns Adding the suffix -er to adjectives Adding the suffix -est Adding the prefix un- to verbs Adding the prefix un- to adjectives Reading words with contractions.	New graphemes for reading: ay ou ie ea oy ir ue aw wh  ph ew oe au ey a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e u-e  Teach the days of the week New phoneme /zh/	Revise new graphemes for reading.  Revise the days of the week.  Correct use of -nk ph -wh -tch -ve (NC)	Alternative pronunciations of known graphemes for  reading: a (as in acorn) a (as in fast) a (as in was) e (as in wind) o (as in mind) o (as in no) u (as in unit) u (as in put) ow (as in snow) ie (as in chief) ea (as in head) er (as in head) er (as in her) ou (as in you) ou (as in could) ou (as in mould) y (as in by) y (as in gym) y (as in very) ch (as in school) ch (as in chef) c (as in cell) g (as in gent) ey (as in they)	Alternative spellings of phonemes:  /ch/ (as in picture) /ch/ (as in catch) /j/ (as in fudge) /m/ (as in lamb) /n/ (as in gnat) /n/ (as in knit) /r/ (as in wrap) /s/ (as in listen) /s/ (as in house) /z/ (as in house) /z/ (as in house) /i/ (as in some) /i/ (as in some) /i/ (as in happy) /i/ (as in donkey) /ear/ (as in beer) /er/ (as in beer) /er/ (as in half) /air/ (as in there) /air/ (as in there) /air/ (as in bare) /or/ (as in bare) /or/ (as in four) /or/ (as in four) /or/ (as in learn) /ur/ (as in word)	Alternative spellings of phonemes:  /oo/ (as in could) /oo/ (as in put) /ai/ (as in day) /ai/ (as in came) /ee/ (as in sea) /ee/ (as in these) /ee/ (as in these) /ee/ (as in these) /ee/ (as in chief) /ee/ (as in key) /igh/ (as in pie) /igh/ (as in by) /igh/ (as in like) /oa/ (as in low) /oa/ (as in low) /oa/ (as in toe) /oa/ (as in bone) /(y)oo/ (as in tune) /(y)oo/ (as in stew) /oo/ (as in slue) /oo/ (as in June) /oo/ (as in special) /sh/ (as in sugar) /sh/ (as in chef)

Year 2

Term 1	Term 2	Ter	m 3	Ter	m 4	Teri	m 5	Ter	·m 6
Phase 5 (Mastery)	Phase 5 (Mastery)	knock know knee knitting knife	badge edge bridge dodge fudge	table apple bottle little middle	cry fly dry try reply	copier copied happier happiest cried	patting patted humming hummed dropping	other mother brother nothing Monday	word work worm world worth
Phase 5a) spellings recap: choosing from alternative graphemes with the same sound:  oi/oy, ow/ou, ur/er/ir, or/aw/au, ai/ay/a-e, ee/ea/e-e/ey, igh/ie/i-e, oa/oe/o-e, oo/ew/ue/u-e(oo), ew/ue/u-e(you)  Revisit Phase 5b) (Mastery): Revisit alternative spellings of phonemes: /ch/ (as in picture), /ch/ (as in catch), /j/ (as in fudge), /m/ (as in lamb), /n/ (as in gnat), /n/ (as in knit), /r/ (as in wrap), /s/(as in listen), /s/ (as in house), /z/ (as in please), /u/ (as in some), /ee/ (as in happy), /i/ (as in father), /ar/ (as in half), /air/ (as in there), /air/ (as in pear), /or/ (as in there), /air/ (as in bare), /or/ (as in all), /or/ (as in four), /or/ (as in caught), /ur/ (as in learn), /ur/ (as in word), /oo/(as in could), /oo/ (as in put) /ai/ (as in day), /ai/ (as in came), /ee/ (as in sea), /ee/ (as in	Revisit Phase 5c) (Mastery): revisit alternative spellings of phonemes: /oo/(as in clue), /oo/(as in June), /oo/(as in blew), /sh/(as in special), /sh/(as in station), /sh/(as in sugar), /sh/(as in chef) Assess and review all alternative spellings of phonemes.	gnat gnaw gnash gnome gnarled write written wrote wrong wrap wrist wreck wrestle wriggle wren race ice cell city fancy face space bicycle circle spicy	age huge change charge village gem giant magic giraffe energy jacket jar jog join adjust door floor again wild children climb parents most only both	able wobble multiple dazzle riddle camel tunnel squirrel travel towel tinsel bagel hazel vowel jewel pencil fossil nostril pupil metal pedal capital hospital animal oval	sly shy terrify sky multiply flies tries replies copies babies carries cries dries marries families find mind behind old cold gold hold told every everybody	replied tried dried driest funnier copying crying replying marrying carrying flying trying skiing hiking hiked hiker nicer nicest shiny being skining scary scaring	dropping dropped sadder saddest runner runny all ball call walk talk always small wall fall altogether last father class grass pass plant path bath people	money cover honey discover wonder key donkey monkey chimney valley trolley turkey hockey parsley journey want watch wander quantity squash quality squad quad quarrel	worst war warm towards ward television treasure usual division vision pleasure measure occasion usually leisure even break steak great move prove improve sure sugar eye

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Year 3

Ter	m 1	Ter	m 2	Ter	m 3	Ter	m 4	Ter	m 5	Ter	m 6
eight eighth eighty weight neighbour vein veil beige sleigh freight hey they obey grey	earth early learn heard earn pearl search unearth earl rehearse here hear	kindly quickly safely rudely sweetly strongly bravely secretly finally usually happily angrily lazily easily	basically frantically dramatically magically tragically comically actually accidentally occasionally eventually truly duly wholly fully	myth gym Egypt pyramid mystery hymn system symbol lyric typical gardener gardening limited limiting	misspell mislead mistreat misbehave mistrust misprint misuse misplace misheard misread dislike disobey discolour discoyer	scheme chorus echo character ache chaos stomach chemistry orchestra technology scent sent vain yein	league plague rogue vague fatigue unique antique mosque cheque technique chef chalet machine brochure	library February dictionary boundary salary summary primary secondary ordinary necessary woman wonder month govern	instruct structure construction instruction instructor unit union united universe universel university scope telescope microscope	natural occasional actual accidental medical national capital vocal sensational personal treasure measure pleasure enclosure	lecture literature fracture miniature mixture puncture sculpture signature temperature texture island answer write wrapper
prey whey survey convey disobey purvey straight campaign contain brain faint waist claim praise complaint afraid	main mane mail male knot not berry bury brake break meet meat ball bawl fair fare	busily greedily messily wearily cheekily clumsily gently simply humbly nobly horribly terribly possibly incredibly comfortably	daily publicly dryly slyly shyly coyly believe appear often group breath continue arrive women describe height	offering offered benefited benefiting focused focusing forgetting forgotten beginning beginner preferred preferring occurred occurring forbidden committed	disappear dishonest disallow disbelieve disapprove discontinue scheme chorus echo character ache chaos stomach chemistry orchestra technology	rode road steel steal waist waste bicycle biplane bisect bilingual biannual reappear redecorate reapply repay rebuild	crochet ricochet parachute moustache champagne chute address busy business heart fruit breathe strange complete extreme forwards	brother another shovel above Monday discover enough young touch double trouble country courage rough tough cousin	periscope inspect spectator respect perspective spectacles press suppress express compress impress prevent invent venture adventure eventful	closure leisure exposure pressure composure fissure creature picture nature furniture capture culture moisture future gesture structure	knife knock thumb doubt half calm build guide guard wheat whale honest whirl gnome gnaw surprise

Year 4

Terr	n 1	Ter	m 2	Ter	m 3	Ter	m 4	Terr	n 5	Teri	m 6
caught	illegal	expansion extension	musician politician	accept	creation radiation	science	phone	interact interfere	exit extend	dangerous	famous
naughty	illegible		•	except affect	indication	crescent	phonics			poisonous	nervous
taught	illogical	comprehension	electrician magician	effect	ventilation	discipline fascinate	microphone	intercity	explode	mountainous	ridiculous
daughter	illiterate illicit	tension corrosion	magician mathematician	aloud			telephone	international	excursion	joyous	carnivorous herbivorous
autumn					relegation	scent	homophone	intermediate	exchange	synonymous	
clause	irregular	supervision	dietician	allowed	dedication	scissors	real	internet	export	hazardous	porous
cause	irrelevant	fusion	statistician	weather	demonstration	ascent	reality	intergalactic	exclaim	riotous	adventurous
astronaut	irresponsible	conclusion	technician	whether	abbreviation	descent	realistic	interrupt	expel	perilous	courageous
applaud	irrational	persuasion	clinician	whose	translation	scientist	unreal	intervene	external	momentous	outrageous
author	irresistible	suspension	beautician	who's	vibration	scenery	realisation	interlude	exterior	scandalous	advantageous 
inactive	medal	expression	though	cereal	submerge	centre	solve	antiseptic	non-stick	tremendous	regularly
incorrect	meddle	discussion	although	serial	subheading	century	solution	anticlockwise	non-stop	enormous	occasionally
inaccurate	missed	confession	dough	check	submarine	certain	insoluble	antisocial	non-starter	jealous	frequently
insecure	mist	permission	through	cheque	subordinate	recent	dissolve	antidote	non-smoker	serious	usually
indefinite	scene	admission	breakthrough	through	subway	experience	solvent	antibiotic	nonsense	hideous	rarely
incomplete	seen	transmission	thought	threw	superman	sentence	sign	antivenom	non-fiction	fabulous	perhaps
infinite	board	possession	bought	draft	supervise	notice	signature	anti-ageing	non-drip	curious	maybe
inedible	bored	profession	brought	draught	supersede	celebrate	assign	antifreeze	non-violent	anxious	certainly
inability	which	depression	fought	stares	superpower	ceremony	design	antiperspirant	non-profit	obvious	possibly
indecisive	witch	impression	ought	stairs	superhuman	certificate	signal	antigravity	non-believer	gorgeous	probably
immature	division	invention	interest	information	girls'	circle	length	autograph	calendar	various	awkwardly
immeasurable	invasion	injection	experiment	adoration	boys'	decide	strength	autobiography	grammar	furious	frantically
impossible	confusion	action	potatoes	sensation	babies'	medicine	purpose	automatic	regular	glorious	curiously
immortal	decision	question	favourite	preparation	parents'	exercise	history	autofocus	particular	victorious	obediently
imperfect	collision	mention	imagine	education	teachers'	special	different	autocorrect	peculiar	mysterious	carefully
impatient	television	attraction	material	location	women's	cinema	difficult	autopilot	popular	humorous	rapidly
immovable	revision	translation	promise	exaggeration	men's	decimal	separate	autopsy	consider	glamorous	unexpectedly
impolite	erosion	devotion	opposite	concentration	children's	accident	suppose	automobile	remember	vigorous	deliberately
important-	inclusion	position	minute	imagination	people's	city	therefore	autonomy	quarter	odorous	hurriedly
improper	explosion	solution	increase	organisation	mice's	citizen	knowledge	autocue	integer	rigorous	reluctantly

Year 5

Ter	m 1	Te	rm 2	Tern	n 3	Terr	n 4	Tei	rm 5	Ter	m 6
vicious gracious spacious malicious precious conscious delicious suspicious atrocious	apply supply identify occupy multiply rhyme cycle python hygiene	doubt lamb debt thumb solemn autumn column knight knuckle	equipment environment government parliament enjoyment document management movement replacement	community curiosity ability visibility captivity activity eternity flexibility	stationary stationery steal steel wary weary who's whose fate fete	forty scorch absorb decorate afford enormous category tornado according	criticise advertise capitalise finalise equalise fertilise terrorise socialise visualise	though although dough through cough trough rough	nearby everywhere nowhere inside downstairs outside upstairs underneath behind	definite desperate literate secretary stationary dictionary Wednesday familiar original animal	boastful faithful doubtful fearful thankful beautiful pitiful plentiful fanciful merciful
ferocious ambitious cautious fictitious infectious nutritious	hyphen past passed proceed precede aisle	knot wrestle wrapper island aisle debris	statement certainly definitely possibly perhaps probably	sensitivity happiness hardness madness nastiness silliness	alter altar ascent assent bridal	opportunity pause cause sauce fraud launch	amplify solidify signify falsify glorify	enough plough bough drought brought bought	somewhere sincere interfere sphere adhere severe	deflate deform decode decompose defuse	attractive creative addictive assertive abusive
contentious	isle	mortgage	frequently	tidiness	bridle	author	notify	wrought	persevere	recycle	cooperative
superstitious	aloud	castle	often	childishness	cereal	August	testify	thought	atmosphere	rebuild	exhaustive
pretentious	allowed	yacht	occasionally	willingness	serial	applaud	purify	ought	mere	rewrite	appreciative
anxious	affect	guarantee	rarely	carelessness	compliment	astronaut	intensify	borough	hemisphere	replace	offensive
obnoxious	effect	guilty	always	foolishness	complement	restaurant	classify	thorough	austere	revisit	expressive
symbol	farther	can	vegetable	membership	principal	pollinate	blacken	yesterday	amateur	overthrow	musical
mystery	father	could	vehicle	ownership	principle	captivate	brighten	tomorrow	ancient	overturn	political
lyrics	guessed	may	bruise	partnership	profit	activate	flatten	later	bargain	overslept	accidental
oxygen	guest	might	soldier	dictatorship	prophet	motivate	lengthen	immediately	muscle	overcook	mathematical
symptom	heard	must	stomach	championship	descent	communicate	mistaken	earlier	queue	overreact	functional
physical	herd	shall	recommend	craftsmanship	dissent	medicate	straighten	eventually	recognise	overtired	tropical
system	led	should	leisure	fellowship	desert	elasticate	shorten	recently	twelfth	overcoat	bridal
typical	lead	will	privilege	apprenticeship	dessert	hyphenate	thicken	previously	profession	overpaid	central
crystal	mourning	would	occur	citizenship	draft	alienate	tighten	finally	develop	overlook	global
rhythm	morning	ought	neighbour	sponsorship	draught	validate	toughen	lately	harass	overbalance	industrial

Year 6

Ter	m 1	Teri	m 2	Teri	m 3	Terr	n 4	Term	5	Ter	m 6
individual individuality interfere interference interference interruption interruption interrupted language leisure lightning marvellously mischief mischievously muscle necessary unnecessary unecessary unisance occupy reoccupy occupation occur reoccur opportunity opportunities parliament persuade	persuasive physical physical physicality prejudice privilege profession professional programme programming pronunciation mispronunciation queue queuing recognise recognised recognised recommendation recommended recommendable relevant relevance restaurant rhyme rhyming rhythm sacrifice secretary shoulder signature	sincere sincerely soldier stomach sufficient insufficient sufficient sufficiency suggest suggestion suggested symbolism symbolic system systematic systematic systematically temperature thoroughly twelfth variety variable vegetable vehicle yacht yachting detergent enforcement enlargement excitement	nourishment patient recruitment resident subsequent urgent coincidence coincidence indulgence insistence residence patience patience persistence violence consistency currency fluency urgency affordable believable collectable durable durability gable inexcusable inseparable	preservable regrettable reusable sealable sustainable undesirable undesirability unsuitable unsuitability viable laughable respectable inevitable arguably noticeably regrettably reliably comfortably collectible convertible forcible gullible inedible illegible inaudible plausible resistible sensible flexibly inevitably	impossibly irresponsibly changeable noticeable referring preferred transferring transferred employee referee preference co-own co-operate co-ordinate re-enter ceiling receive deceive perceive conceit deceit protein seize diesel hygiene pierce retrieve	siege shriek yield ought bought thought nought fought rough evacuation glacial interdependence pyramid rhythm roughest tough toughest cough enough although dough through through through ough through censorship mountainous adaptation cylindrical chorus	loch crumb succumb handkerchief champagne silhouette wreckage wreath advice advise chronology latitude condensation denominator resurrection automatically autopilot autopsy aerobatics aerodrome aerodynamic aerodynamic aerosol aeroplane aerospace century epicentre variable circumference estimation	contrast consequence whereas either neither simultaneously concurrently nevertheless contrary alternatively approximately foundations tongue absorbed rehearsed thoughtfully frantically recklessly enthusiastically victoriously sheepishly inquisitively hastily rudely obnoxiously illuminated century chorus diameter advertise	wearily solemnly occasionally annually menacingly ferociously sorrowfully exuberantly worship flagship absorbed gymnastics parachute creature navigation	device devise practice practise prophecy prophesy licence license father farther isle aisle aloud allowed affect effect	complement compliment descent dissent profit prophet stationary stationery weather whether ascent assent cereal serial