

Spelling List  
Term 5 2026

Our spelling programme enables us to ensure children are confident with the rules appropriate for their year group and supports them with improving the accuracy of their spelling during independent writing.

For each spelling rule, two lists have been provided with List B being more challenging than List A. Your child can choose each week which list to learn but should only learn List B if they are confident with all the spellings in List A. There are also lists of words which do not fit a rule (known as *common exception words*) and each week both lists will contain a couple of these for your child to learn/revise.

<b>WEEK</b>	<b>Spelling Rule</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>
2  Week beginning: 27.04.26	The suffixes -ly and -less.	badly hopeless lovely joyless unless <i>after</i> <i>again</i>	slowly quickly careless fearless happily <i>after</i> <i>again</i>
3  Week beginning: 04.05.26	Words ending in -tion.	station fiction motion national section <i>pretty</i> <i>plant</i>	addition subtraction potion option introduction <i>pretty</i> <i>plant</i>
4  Week beginning: 11.05.26	Contractions	can't didn't hasn't couldn't it's <i>every</i> <i>everybody</i>	wouldn't shouldn't wasn't she'll they'll <i>every</i> <i>everybody</i>
5  Week beginning: 18.05.26	The possessive apostrophe	the girl's a dog's the child's the man's Ben's <i>climb</i> <i>many</i>	the woman's a teacher's a postman's the school's Charlie's <i>climb</i> <i>many</i>