



Year 6 Spring 2 Spelling Overview Word List

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Spelling Focus	Key vocabulary – topic words	Homophones (List 2)	Words containing the letter-string ough	Words with the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c (ceiling/receive – including exception words)	*revisit - Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in –fer (referring/preference)	Mixed review of rules covered in Spring 2
Spelling Rule	No rule – children to be exposed to topic words for the ½ term		(focus on ough sounding ow/owe – dough/plough)	The ‘i before e except after ‘c’ rule applies to words where the sound spelt by ei is /i:/. Exceptions: protein, caffeine, seize (and either and neither if pronounced with an initial /i:/ sound)	The r is doubled if the –fer is still stressed when the ending is added. The r is not doubled if the –fer is no longer stressed.	No specific rule – revisit challenging rules from the ½ term.
Spellings		Draught Draft Dessert Desert Dissent Descent Serial Cereal Weary Wary Steal	Plough Dough Through Bough Although	Deceive Deceit Conceive Receive Receipt Perceive Ceiling Protein Seizure Caffeine Either Neither	reference preference conferred conferring inferred referring referred referral preferred transferred	
Word list	Variety Privilege frequently	Community Communicate Forty	Prejudice Twelfth physical	Foreign Committee thorough	Persuade Familiar cemetery	Temperature Parliament explanation