

Y3 Spellings - Autumn Term 1 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 11 th September Words where the digraph 'ou' makes an /ow/ sound	Friday 18 th September Words where the digraph 'ou' makes an /u/ sound	Friday 25 th September Words where the 'y' makes an /i/ sound	Friday 2 nd October Words with the suffix '-ure'
mouth ouch sprout hound around trout sound found spout proud	touch cousin double enough country couple trouble encourage young flourish	symbol lyrics gym pyramid myth system synonym mystery Egypt gymnastics	adventure unnatural natural capture picture sculpture nature fracture creature mixture
Friday 9 th October Words ending in '-ure'	Friday 16 th October Words from the Y3/Y4 list	Friday 23 rd October Words with the prefix 're-'	
treasure unsure measure enclosure sure furniture pleasure future pressure closure	actual enough bicycle island answer fruit circle often earth popular	redo review return replay refresh reaction redecorate rebound reappear revenge	

Y3 Spellings - Autumn Term 2 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 6 th November Words with the prefix 'dis-'	Friday 13 th November Words with the prefix 'mis-'	Friday 20 th November Words where '-ing', '-er' and '-ed' are added to multisyllabic words	Assessment Week There will be no Friday spelling test this week.
disappoint disobey disappear disable disapprove disagree dislocate dislodge disadvantage dislike	mistake misbehave mislead misplace misspell misread mistrust mislaid misuse misunderstanding	covering covered developing developed gardening gardener limiting limited listening listened	In order to prepare for the spelling test completed within assessment week, we recommend that children revise previously taught spellings or practise words from the Y3/Y4 word list.
Friday 4 th December Words where '-ing', '-en' and '-ed' are added to multisyllabic words	Friday 11 th December Words from the Y3/Y4 list	Friday 18 th December Words with the digraph 'ai' and tetragraph 'aigh'	
forgetting forgotten beginning propelled preferred permitted regretting committed forbidden equipped	centre decide disappear early heart learn minute notice regular therefore	straight strainer fainted claimed waist snail painter chained failure waiter	

Y3 Spellings - Spring Term 1 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 8 th January Words with the digraph 'ei' and tetragraph 'eigh'	Friday 15 th January Words where the digraph 'ey' makes an /ai/ sound	Friday 22 nd January Words with the suffix '-ly'	Friday 29 th January Words that are homophones
veil rein reign reins eight eighteen weigh sleigh freight neighbour	obey disobey prey osprey they grey survey surveyor convey conveyor	calmly exactly deadly bravely boldly gladly deeply clearly hourly quickly	great grate main mane grown groan missed mist meet meat
Friday 5 th February Words from the Y3/Y4 list	Friday 12 th February Words that end in 'al'		
build describe imagine library natural ordinary promise recent suppose weight	arrival burial comical emotional magical national optional personal survival tropical		

Y3 Spellings - Spring Term 2 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 26 th February Words ending in 'le'	Assessment Week There will be no Friday spelling test this week.	Friday 12 th March Words ending in '-ly' where the base words end in 'le'	Friday 19 th March Words ending in '-ly' where the base words end in '-ic'
battlele articlele settlele humblele strugglele terriblele possiblele examplele capablele adjustablele	In order to prepare for the spelling test completed within assessment week, we recommend that children revise previously taught spelling rules or practise words from the Y3/Y4 word list.	gentlyly simplyly humblyly responsiblyly durablyly terriblyly incrediblyly noblyly wrinklyly possiblyly	basicallly franticallyly logicallyly automaticallly historicallyly magicallyly publiclyly dramaticallly tragicallyly specificallly
Thursday 25 th March Words ending in '-ly'; exceptions			
trulyly slylyly fullyly dulyly shylyly whollyly drilyly coylyly happilyly dailyly			

Y3 Spellings - Summer Term 1 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 16 th April Words from the Year 3/4 word list	Friday 23 rd April Words with the suffix '-er'	Friday 30 th April Words where the digraph 'ch' makes a /k/ sound	Friday 7 th May Words ending in '-gue' and '-que'
address probably mention experience arrive certainly history occasionally reign sentence	teacher richer stretcher scorcher dispatcher preacher catcher cruncher butcher watcher	scheme stomach chorus monarch school echo anchor chemist chaos character	vague antique league unique plague grotesque fatigue plaque dialogue mosque
Friday 14 th May Words where the digraph 'sc' makes a /s/ sound	Friday 21 st May Words that are homophones	Friday 28 th May Words from the Year 3/4 word list	
science scented scene fascinate scenery discipline scissors crescent ascends descend	ball bawl break brake male mail fair fare berry bury	guard accidentally breathe heard century peculiar possible consider quarter eight	

Y3 Spellings - Summer Term 2 (2026 – 2027)

Friday 11 th June Words with the suffix '-ion'	Friday 18 th June Words from the Year 3/4 word list	Friday 25 th June Revision Words	Assessment Week There will be no Friday spelling test this week.
vision confusion collision fusion division decision erosion television invasion revision	special perhaps strange position difficult pressure question important length purpose	exactly decide bravely disadvantage pleasure survey dislocate ordinary island promise	In order to prepare for the spelling test completed within assessment week, we recommend that children revise previously taught spelling rules or practise words from the Y3/Y4 word list.
Friday 9 th July Revision Words	Friday 16 th July Revision Words		
freight plaque hourly grotesque missed suppose scented descend daily automatically	teacher scheme history mention bawl crescent regular eighteen mane disable		