



Year 6 Spelling Lists 2022/2023

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List 1	List 2	List 3	List 4	List 5	List 6
Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words
muscle prejudice available determined rhyme identity accommodate suggest competition existence	accompany average conscience develop explanation immediately necessary privilege rhythm symbol	according awkward conscious dictionary familiar individual neighbour profession sacrifice system	achieve bargain controversy disastrous foreign interfere nuisance programme secretary temperature	aggressive bruise convenience embarrass forty interrupt occupy pronunciation shoulder thorough	amateur category correspond environment frequently language occur queue signature twelfth



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List 7	List 8	List 9	List 10	List 11	List 12
Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Challenge Words	Words with the short vowel sound /i/ spelt y	Spelling Rules: Words with the long vowel sound /i/ spelt with a y
ancient cemetery criticise equipped government leisure opportunity recognise sincerely variety	apparent committee curiosity guarantee lightning parliament recommend soldier vegetable especially	appreciate communicate definite exaggerate harass marvellous persuade relevant stomach vehicle	attached community desperate excellent hindrance mischievous physical restaurant sufficient yacht	rhythm system physical symbol mystery lyrics oxygen symptom typical crystal	rhyme occupy apply hyphen hygiene python supply identify multiply recycle



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List 13	List 14	List 15	List 16	List 17	List 18
Adding the prefix '-over' to verbs	Convert nouns or verbs into adjectives using suffix '-ful.'	Words which can be nouns and verbs.	Words with an /oh/ sound spelled 'ou' or 'ow'	Words with a 'soft c' spelt /ce/.	Prefix dis, un, over, im. Each have a particular meaning: dis - reverse; un - not; over - above/more; im - opposite
overbalance overthrow overturned overcoat overslept overcook overpaid overreact overtired overlooked	merciful plentiful beautiful fearful faithful boastful doubtful thankful pitiful fanciful	produce impact transport silence permit object contest subject increase freeze	shoulder smoulder mould thrown known blown window shallow soul poultry	prejudice nuisance hindrance sacrifice cemetery certificate celebrate necessary deceased December	disappointed dissatisfied dissimilar unsure unnecessary unnatural overseas overrule overreact impatient



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List 19	List 20	List 21	List 22	List 23	List 24
Words with the /f/ sound spelt ph	Words with origins in other countries	Words with unstressed vowel sounds.	Words with endings /shuhl/ after a vowel letter.	Words with endings /shuhl/ after a consonant letter.	Words with the common letter string 'acc' at the beginning of words.
graph pheasant phone photo physical alphabet dolphin elephant pamphlet sphere	hoist easel restaurant pyjamas bungalow veranda ballet blizzard gymkhana origin	explanatory environment secretary jewellery poisonous company desperate definitely reference temperature	antisocial official superficial special artificial social racial crucial facial beneficial	influential martial spatial partial confidential essential substantial potential sequential torrential	accompany accommodate access accuse accost accrue accuracy accomplish accumulate accentuate



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List 25	List 26	List 27	List 28	List 29	List 30	List 31
Words ending in '-ably'	Words ending in '-ible'	Adding the suffix '-ibly' to create an adverb.	Changing '-ent' to '-ence.'	Words ending -er, -or, ar	Adverbs synonymous with determination.	Adjectives to describe settings
changeably noticeably dependably comfortably reasonably adorably valuably believably considerably tolerably	reversible incredible possible horrible terrible responsible legible forcible sensible visible	reversibly responsibly possibly horribly terribly visibly incredibly sensibly forcibly legibly	excellent excellence silent silence evident evidence convenient convenience different difference	computer superior customer soldier shoulder interior calendar popular particular radiator	intently diligently repeatedly knavishly determinedly resolutely relentlessly persistently tenaciously continually	picturesque magnificent regal tranquil sinister unsightly spectacular majestic noiseless bustling



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List 32	List 33	List 34	List 35	List 36
Vocabulary to describe feelings.	Adjectives to describe character	Grammar Vocabulary	Grammar Vocabulary	Mathematical Language
euphoric delighted despondent incensed terrified apprehensive jittery optimistic positive sanguine	amiable obnoxious disagreeable grotesque repugnant exquisite courageous gargantuan valiant delightful	modal relative pronoun clause parenthesis bracket cohesion ambiguity adverb determiner	subject object active passive synonym antonym ellipsis hyphen colon punctuation	addition subtraction multiplication division parallel horizontal vertical circumference