

**Year 4 Spelling List - summer 2**

Dear Parents / Carers,

Below is a copy of the spellings which will be tested this half term. There will be a general spelling rule each week (6 spellings) with 3 high frequency words and a topic word at the end. The last week will be a combination of all words over the half term.

These words will no longer be placed into books on a weekly basis and therefore this list should be kept in a safe place. You may also find it useful to take a photo on a smartphone to keep a record of the words which will enable you to support your child's learning beyond the home. A copy of these words will also be available from the school website should you need to replace them. Many thanks for your continued support.

<b>Week 1</b> <b>Test date 9<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Week 2</b> <b>Test date 16<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Week 3</b> <b>Test date 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b>
1. accept 2. except 3. affect 4. effect 5. aloud 6. allowed 7. fast 8. feet 9. fell 10. wales  spelling rule: <i>homophones and near homophones</i>	1. cereal 2. serial 3. check 4. cheque 5. through 6. threw 7. garden 8. gave 9. giant 10. Northern Ireland  spelling rule: <i>homophones and near homophones</i>	1. information 2. adoration 3. sensation 4. preparation 5. education 6. location 7. hard 8. have 9. head 10. London  spelling rule: <i>nouns ending in the suffix - ation</i>
<b>Week 4</b> <b>Test date 30<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Week 5</b> <b>Test date 7<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Week 6</b> <b>Test date 13<sup>th</sup> July</b>
1. creation 2. radiation 3. indication 4. ventilation 5. relegation 6. dedication 7. I'll 8. I'm 9. inside 10. queen  spelling rule: <i>nouns ending in the suffix -ation</i>	1. submerge 2. subheading 3. submarine 4. subordinate 5. subway 6. supervise 7. jumped 8. just 9. keep 10. monarchy  spelling rule: <i>adding the prefix sub- and super-</i>	1. girls' 2. boys' 3. parents' 4. teachers' 5. people's 6. children's 7. key 8. king 9. know 10. parliament  spelling rule: <i>plural possessive apostrophes with plural words</i>
<b>Week 7</b> <b>Test date 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	A combination of the previous 6 weeks words.	

**Helping your child.**

One method of helping your child learn their spelling is 'Look, cover, write, check'

Children look at a word and sound it out, cover it, practice writing it and then check it.

If you wish to challenge your child even further you could ask them to say a sentence using the word or even write a sentence and then try to improve it.